# County of Fresno

Business and Multifamily Waste and Recycling Service Guide



### **Proud to Service Fresno**

WM and the County of Fresno are proud to present you with this service guide to your trash, recycling, and organic waste collection services.

#### **Service Overview**

Businesses and multifamily customers can subscribe to recycling, organic and trash collection.

#### Household Hazardous Waste

Fresno County, in partnership with the 15 incorporated cities throughout Fresno County, offers a program to County residents known as the Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Network. The HHW Network is a collection of local drop-off sites that collect the five most common types of HHW: paint, household batteries, sharps, fluorescent tubes and bulbs, and e-waste. Network sites are limited to household quantities only and DO NOT accept business waste. For more information, please visit the County's website at cleanupfresnocounty.com/hhw, or contact the Resources Division at (559) 600-4259.

# California's Mandatory Commercial Recycling Law (AB 341)

California's Assembly Bill 341 (AB 341) was enacted to increase recycling rates and reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from the commercial sector. As part of the California Global Warming Solutions Act, this law mandates that businesses and multifamily residential properties meet specific recycling requirements to help the state achieve its environmental goals.

# **Organic Waste Collection**

Also, in accordance with State Senate Bill 1383, California's Short-Lived Climate Pollutants Reduction law, businesses and multifamily properties must participate in a program to recycle their organic waste (food, food-soiled paper and green waste) by subscribing to organic waste recycling service or self-hauling organic waste to an approved facility. To assist businesses and multifamily properties in complying with SB 1383, WM is proud to offer organic waste recycling services to meet your needs. To get started, contact Customer Service to schedule a site visit with a Recycling Coordinator.

#### **Trash Collection**

Regardless of the size of your business or multifamily property, we can create a customized collection program that meets your needs and protects the environment. Trash containers are available in a variety of sizes, including 96-gallon carts and 1.5, 3 and 6 cubic yard dumpsters. Roll-off containers and compactor services are also available.









# Why SB 1383?

SB 1383 aims to slow climate change by diverting organic materials from landfills. It also aims to recover edible food, and redirect it to food-insecure Californians. Learn more about California's Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Reduction Strategy at https://calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp.

### What Goes in the Organics Container:



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Meat, Fish & Poultry

Yard Waste

Dairy





Bread, Pasta, Rice, Grains, Coffee Grounds

Place organics materials directly into your organics cart - To reduce odor, put food waste in a paper bag.

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**Do Not Include:** Plastic or Compostable Bags Plastic Film Serveware/Utensils **Plastic Containers** Foam Containers Hazardous Waste Fats, Oils, or Greases **Batteries** 

#### What Goes in the Recycling Container:



**Plastic Bottles & Containers** 



Paper



Food & Beverage Cans



Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard

Place recyclables directly into your recycling cart - Don't bag your recycling materials.



**Glass Bottles & Containers** 



#### **Do Not Include:**

Food Or Liquids Plastic Bags or Film Foam Containers Clothing, Furniture or Carpet Batteries Electronics Hazardous Waste Yard Waste

# What Goes in the Trash Container:



Foam Cups & Containers



Plastic Bags & Film



Diapers

Garden Hose



**Broken Ceramic Dishes** & Pots



Pet Waste



Food Soiled Paper,

Coffee Filters & Tea Bags

Candy, Snack & **Food Wrappers** 



**Clothing & Textiles** 



Do Not Include: Organics/Recyclables Hazardous Waste Electronics Aerosol Cans Batteries, Tires or Paint Flammable Material



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