

SERVICES AND INFORMATION

RECYCLING MANDATES

CART/BIN SET OUT

Carts and Bins must be curbside or prepared for service by 5 a.m. on scheduled pickup day. Lids must be closed, and area around cart or bin free of debris. Please ensure bins are not blocked on pickup day.



HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL

Household hazardous waste is any product labeled toxic, poison, corrosive, flammable, combustible or irritant. HHW items include paint, batteries, oil, and pesticides. HHW is accepted monthly (Friday and Saturday) at the Yolo County Landfill. Please visit yolocounty.org or call 530-666-8856 for specific dates and information.



CONTAMINATION and OVERAGES

Materials must be properly sorted and fit inside carts and bins with enough room to allow the lid to close. Carts and bins with excess materials or the wrong materials in the wrong container could result in fines for the account holder. Excess and erroneous materials in containers present environmental, service and safety risks.



Waste Management offers free waste assessments to ensure you are maximizing your disposal options at the lowest possible rate. Contact us today to schedule an assessment (530) 662-8748.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANDATORY COMPOSTING AND RECYCLING

When food scraps, food-soiled paper, and yard waste break down in a landfill, they produce methane, a potent green house gas that contributes to climate change. Properly sorting your food scraps and other compostable materials not only helps fight climate change, it's also now the law. Effective January 2022, State law (SB 1383) requires residents and businesses to keep compostable and recyclable materials out of California's landfills. Call WM at (530) 795-1201 to subscribe to organics and recycling service.



WHY DOES CALIFORNIA REQUIRE ORGANICS RECYCLING?

Organics like food scraps, yard trimmings, paper, and cardboard make up half of what Californians dump in landfills. Organic waste in landfills emits: 20% of the state's methane, a climate super pollutant 84 times more potent than carbon dioxide. Air pollutants like PM 2.5, which contributes to health conditions like asthma. Reducing organic waste that goes into the landfills will have the fastest impact on the climate crisis.



WHAT IS CONSIDERED ORGANICS UNDER SB 1383?



Food Scraps



Food Soiled Paper



Landscape Debris



City Of Winters Guide to Commercial Recycling Services



RECYCLING
ONLY



TRASH ONLY



FOOD AND YARD
WASTE ONLY



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RECYCLING



Empty Plastic Bottles, Rigid Plastic Containers



All Metal Beverage & Food Cans, Aerosol Cans, Clean Aluminum Pans & Foil



Glass Bottles & Jars (Even broken)



Clean Paper, Magazines, Newspaper, Cardboard, Junk Mail



TRASH



Polystyrene Foam & Packaging



Disposable Gloves, Hairnets



Hoses, Cords & Wire



Cup Lids, Plastic Utensils, Plastic Straws



Plastic Wrap, Bags & Other Plastic Film



Snack & Chip Bags, Candy Wrappers, Drink and Beverage Boxes / Pouches (Multi-Material Packing)



FOOD SCRAPS



Food Scraps, including Fruits, Vegetables, Egg Shells



Meat, Bones, Shellfish, Cheese



Do not place items in petroleum based plastic bags. Only BPI certified compostable bags are allowed.



SEPARATE AT SOURCE
Separate food scraps while preparing meals or scraping plates.



COLLECT
Set-up a smaller reusable container to collect food scraps. Only use BPI certified compostable bags.



DISPOSE
Empty into food/yard waste cart or bin.

YARD WASTE



Food-Soiled Paper, Grass, Weeds, Green Plants, Tree Limbs, Wood Chips, Dead Plants, Brush, Garden Trimmings, Leaves and Palm Fronds. Holiday trees should be cut to fit in yard waste cart with lid closed.



Street Piles will no longer be collected for commercial accounts. Please place all yard waste into your cart or bin.

Food/yard waste service options vary. Please contact customer service for a free waste assessment. (530) 795-1201 or cssacramento@wm.com