

## CalRecycle Senate Bill 1383 Implementation Tools

Senate Bill 1383 (SB 1383, 2016) establishes targets to achieve a 50% reduction of the statewide landfill disposal of organic waste from the 2014 level by 2020 and a 75% reduction by 2025. SB 1383 requires the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle), in consultation with the California Air Resources Board, to adopt regulations to achieve specified Statewide organic waste reduction goals. The regulations were approved by the State Office of Administrative Law in November 2020 and will go into effect on January 1, 2022. The regulations require local jurisdictions like counties and cities to implement edible food recovery programs as well as organic waste collection and diversion programs.

CalRecycle has published the SB 1383 formal rulemaking comments and responses on the webpage for the California's Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Reduction Strategy: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp>. CalRecycle has also published guidance and implementation tools on the webpage, including:

- Detailed sampling guidance for measuring organic waste in source separated, organic and mixed waste organic collection streams at transfer/processing facilities and operations.
- Detailed sampling guidance for organic waste collection service options.
- Detailed implementation guidance for standard collection service versus performance-based collection service.
- A calculator for procurement of recovered organic waste products, including a presentation and webinar recording.

CalRecycle will be updating the webpage periodically with new resources for jurisdictions, local education agencies, and non-local entities. Soon, CalRecycle plans to release:

- A web-based organic waste capacity planning calculator.
- A customizable food recovery capacity survey to collect information from food recovery organizations and food recovery services.
- An Excel-based tool designed to help counties and each of the jurisdictions located in the county produce estimates for food recovery capacity planning.
- Guidance documents, including best management practices on how to identify commercial businesses required to donate edible food.

If you have questions about CalRecycle's Short-Lived Climate Pollutant program, please contact the "Short-Lived Climate Pollutants (SLCP)" staff at [SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov).



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