

**CalRecycle  
LA LTF Update  
July 2022**

**SB1383 – Latest updates**

**CalRecycle published the following new and updated SB 1383 resources:**

Contact information: [SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov)

**New JACE Branch and Compliance Assistance**

With the enactment of SB 1383 and the implementing regulations, CalRecycle continues to move forward with assisting local government and other local entities to meet the State's goal of diverting 75% of organic waste from landfill disposal to reduce impacts to our climate.

CalRecycle chose to utilize its relations with local governments and other local entities to help expand and put into place new programs to divert and support the recycling of organic waste. To help local government and other local entities to be successful in this effort, CalRecycle will continue to provide local assistance and market development, guidance, as well as technical and financial support. CalRecycle has also tapped into its cadre of experienced staff to support local governments and other local entities compliance efforts by establishing the Jurisdiction and Agency Compliance and Enforcement Branch (JACE) within the Waste Permitting, Compliance, and Mitigation Division. JACE will work hand in hand with Local Assistance and Market Development (LAMD) staff in supporting local government and other local entities efforts especially as local jurisdictions go beyond their good faith efforts to where they are able to meet the specific compliance requirements of the SB 1383 regulations.

JACE was formed by combining part of LAMD with the Jurisdiction Compliance Unit. This change, however, does not mean your jurisdiction will be losing a LAMD representative. If your current LAMD representative is moving to JACE, a new LAMD representative will be assigned to you, and supportive introductions will be made as soon as possible.

The two branches—JACE and LAMD—will collaborate closely to assist jurisdictions in their efforts to comply with requirements to implement programs to use less, recycle more, and ultimately to help meet goals to reduce impacts to our shared environment.

The roles and responsibilities of JACE include, but are not limited to:

- Collaborating closely with LAMD to ensure entity and overall state compliance with the state's recycling laws
- Evaluating jurisdiction compliance with state recycling laws (e.g., AB 939, AB 341, AB 1826, and SB 1383)

- Evaluating state agency, non-local entity, and local education agency compliance with state laws (e.g., AB 75, AB 2812, SB 1383, and the State Agency Buy-Recycled Campaign)
- Investigating complaints of alleged violations
- Implementing enforcement actions (e.g., Compliance Orders, Notice of Violations, Corrective Action Plans, Penalties)

The roles and responsibilities of LAMD include, but are not limited to:

- Collaborating closely with JACE to identify regulated entities that need assistance
- Providing resources and guidance to local jurisdictions to assist them with complying with state laws
- Assisting state agencies, non-local entities, and local education agencies to expand programs
- Developing new tools, peer matching, and serving as a liaison to provide the full suite of CalRecycle's resources

Compliance communications from JACE will come to you through listserv messages, directly from JACE staff, and/or the new JACE email address: [JACE@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:JACE@calrecycle.ca.gov)

### **Previously provided SB 1383 Resources:**

#### **I Recycle Smart Statewide Recycling Campaign**

CalRecycle has launched a statewide recycling campaign called I Recycle Smart. This communication is to inform you, while you normally receive emails from the LAMD email (listserv), information and materials pertaining to CalRecycle's statewide education and outreach efforts will be shared through [irecyclesmart@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:irecyclesmart@calrecycle.ca.gov) which allows CalRecycle to design messages and include images.

As valued, local-government stakeholders, CalRecycle will share periodic updates about the campaign from the statewide recycling campaign email address: [irecyclesmart@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:irecyclesmart@calrecycle.ca.gov).

- Visit the new campaign website: <https://irecyclesmart.com/>
- [Download](#) more information about the campaign.

#### **Procurement Webpage and Q&As Published**

CalRecycle has published an informational webpage dedicated to the SB 1383 requirements for the procurement of recovered organic waste products. This webpage provides guidance on jurisdiction procurement targets and opportunities to procure recovered organic waste products, and can be found here:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/procurement/recoveredorganicwasteproducts>

CalRecycle has also published Q&As focused on the procurement of biomass electricity and renewable gas, which can be found here:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/faq/recycledproducts>

CalRecycle has published a new set of Q&As on the SB 1383 requirements for the procurement of recovered organic waste products and recycled-content paper. These Q&As provide expanded clarification on a variety of procurement topics, including product eligibility, the reduced procurement target mechanism, and direct service provider procurement, and can be found here:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/faq/recycledproducts>

### **Recycled-Content and Recyclable Paper Certification form sample**

CalRecycle has updated the SB 1383 webpage for procurement of recycled-content paper to include an optional Recycled-Content and Recyclable Paper Certification form. This form may be used by paper product vendors to certify the minimum recycled-content and recyclability of paper provided to the jurisdiction and may help jurisdictions meet their recordkeeping requirements.

The Recycled-Content and Recyclable Paper Certification form can be found here:

<https://calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/procurement/RecycledPaper>

### **New Webpages**

- Resources for Non-Local Entities Non-Local Entities

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/nonlocalentities>

CalRecycle has published an informational webpage dedicated to the SB 1383 requirements for Non-Local Entities. This webpage provides further details and resources to assist special districts, federal facilities, prisons, state park facilities, county fairgrounds, state agencies, and public universities and community colleges.

- Resources for Local Education Agencies: K-12 Public Schools and School Districts

Local <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/schools>

- Enforcement of Organics Waste Collection, Processing, and Diversion from Landfills

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/enforcement>

- Notification of Intent to Comply (SB 619)

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/enforcement/noic>

-->Process

-->Application

-->Sample Resolution

-->Webinar PowerPoint

-->Webinar Recording

- Implementation Guidance for Local Enforcement Agencies

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/lea/regs/implement>

### **CalRecycle Accepting Department-Issued Waiver and Exemption Requests for SB 1383**

CalRecycle is now accepting department-issued waiver and exemption requests (14 CCR Section 18984.12). Information on waiver and exemption eligibility and access to applications can be found online at:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/waivers>. Completed applications and additional supporting documents (if needed) should be sent to [SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov). There is no deadline to submit an application, though the regulations go into effect on January 1, 2022, and some applications may take time to process and review before they are approved or denied. Although we are accepting and acknowledging receipt of waivers for review now, they will not be effective until January 1, 2022. Data that CalRecycle is compiling for each jurisdiction that is eligible for a waiver or rural exemption will be coming soon.

For further assistance, please contact your CalRecycle Local Assistance and Market Development representative (<https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/LGCentral/Contacts>) or send an email to the SLCP inbox ([SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov)).

### **CalRecycle Issued Waivers Webpage Updates (sent Dec. 20, 2021)**

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/waivers>

- California DoF Census Tract Population Density: Population Density for each tract, sorted by county (Column F)
- Census Tract reference maps available from U.S. Census: Grouped by county
- DoF County and Jurisdiction populations: Sorted by county
- Disposal Reporting System (DRS) Data Reports

## **SB 1383 Recordkeeping Requirements Webpage**

CalRecycle has published the SB 1383 Recordkeeping Requirements Webpage (with more to come on the page) as well as a model Implementation Record Tool and a model Performance-Based Implementation Record Tool that jurisdictions can use to assist in meeting implementation record and recordkeeping requirements. Here is the link for the webpage and tools:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/recordkeeping>

### **Updated pages (sent December 20, 2021)**

- SB 1383 Edible Food Recovery Recordkeeping Tools

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/recordkeeping/>

The tools are also available on the following webpages:

- Food Donors <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/foodrecovery/donors>

- Food Recovery Organizations and Services

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/foodrecovery/organizations>

- Self-Hauler Recordkeeping Tool

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/recordkeeping>

- Updated SB 1383 Model Implementation Record Tools

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/recordkeeping/implementationrecord>

-->Color coding and language clarification updates

-->Waste Evaluation tab updates

-->Inspection and Enforcement tab updates

- Webinar Recording and PowerPoint for SB 1383 Model Implementation Record Tools

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/recordkeeping/implementationrecord>

## **Procurement Calculator Tool**

CalRecycle has released the SB 1383 Procurement of Recovered Organic Waste Products Calculator Tool. This is an optional tool that may be used by cities and counties to assist them in planning and procurement efforts to meet their SB 1383 procurement requirements. Please note the tool is for informational and example purposes only and it should not be used without consideration of an individual city or county's particular needs or circumstances. Additionally, while this tool may assist a

jurisdiction with the SB 1383 recordkeeping requirements, this is not a recordkeeping document and should not be construed as the city or county's Implementation Record.

The Procurement Calculator Tool can be found on the SB 1383 Procurement Homepage (<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Organics/SLCP/Procurement>), or through direct download at <https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/Docs/Web/118521>

## **SB 1383 Jurisdiction Procurement Target**

On November 17, 2021, an email was sent to notify annual reporting and jurisdiction contacts of the annual recovered organic waste product procurement targets for each city and county for the calendar year of 2022 have been published on CalRecycle's website

- Jurisdiction Procurement Targets  
list <https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/Docs/Web/119889>

The Compost Use Best Management Practices Webinar recordings, Agenda, Resources and Q&A are now accessible from the [Compost and Mulch Use Toolbox](#) webpage at the following URL -  
<https://calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/compostmulch/toolbox/>

## **FAQs/Q&A**

CalRecycle has published SB 1383 Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) and Questions and Answers (Q&A) for collections, procurement, and food recovery. They are located on the left hand navigation of every 1383 webpage and on the homepage (<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/>) under the blue banner titled "SB 1383 Regulations." More Q&A questions will be coming so check back frequently.

**CalRecycle has developed a webpage for SB 1383 Education and Outreach resources:** <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/education>.

The [Education and Outreach Resources](#) webpage on our website includes resources to help educate local decision makers and leaders about SB 1383 regulations. This webpage will be updated on an ongoing basis.

- [PowerPoint](#)

We have developed a PowerPoint for jurisdictions with talking points that explain the regulations in more detail. The intent is that local jurisdiction staff could use this PowerPoint to inform decision makers about the high-level requirements of SB 1383.

- **Video**

We developed a short 3-minute video that highlights the main requirements of SB 1383 and encourages local government leaders. The video was designed to complement the PowerPoint presentation.

- **Infographics**

We have published several infographics that outline SB 1383 regulations and goals. CalRecycle designed these specific infographics to be understandable to a general audience as well as engaged stakeholders.

Additionally, we are also developing more specific infographics that explain the various sections of the regulations. Those tools will be more designed for engaged stakeholders that are familiar with the regulations.

### **Model Tools**

CalRecycle has released its model tools. As a reminder, the model tools include: model franchise agreement, model mandatory organic waste disposal reduction ordinance, model procurement policy, and model edible food recovery agreement. These tools are highly customizable and provide guidance/options notes. Please note the tools are for informational and example purposes only and it should not merely be duplicated without consideration of an individual jurisdiction's particular needs or circumstances.

CalRecycle would like to thank HF&H Consultants, LLC., Debra Kaufman Consulting, and Diversion Strategies, LLC., for developing these model tools.

The model tools can be found

here: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/education>

Contact: [SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:SLCP.Organics@calrecycle.ca.gov)

### **SB 1383 Guidance Released: How to Identify SB 1383 Commercial Edible Food Generators**

In response to stakeholders, CalRecycle has published the following guidance document. CalRecycle created this document to provide possible methods by which jurisdictions could identify which entities qualify as tier one and tier two commercial edible food generators as defined in the SB 1383 regulations. This guidance tool was developed by CalRecycle as a courtesy for informational and example purposes only. Use of this tool is optional and is not a regulatory requirement.

The document is located here:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/foodrecovery/capacityplanning>

### **SB 1383 Edible Food Recovery Capacity Planning Tools**

CalRecycle has published three edible food recovery capacity planning tools which includes a survey, calculator, and guidance document. The tools are located here: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/foodrecovery/capacityplanning>

These guidance tools were developed by CalRecycle as a courtesy for informational and example purposes only. Use of these tools is optional and is not a regulatory requirement.

#### **Additional Guidance Documents:**

- Detailed Sampling Guidance: Measuring Organic Waste in Mixed Waste Organic Collection Stream at Transfer/Processing Facilities and Operations: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Organics/SLCP/tpf>
- Detailed Sampling Guidance: Measuring Organic Waste Sent to Disposal from Compostable Material Handling Facilities & Operations and In-Vessel Digestion Facilities & Operations: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Organics/SLCP/recyclingfacilities>
- Detailed Implementation Guidance: Standard Collection Service versus Performance-Based Collection Service: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/collection/systems>
- Detailed Sampling Guidance: SB 1383 Organic Waste Collection Service Options: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/collection/systems>

### **Estimating Edible Food Disposed by Mandated Food Donors Recovery Capacity Planning Calculator Tool**

SB 1383 requires counties (in consultation with jurisdictions and regional agencies located within the county) to estimate the amount of edible food that will be disposed by commercial edible food generators that are located within the county.

CalRecycle has developed an Excel based tool to help counties, jurisdictions, and regional agencies estimate:

- The amount and types of edible food that are disposed by mandated food donors
- The amount of existing capacity available at food recovery organizations
- The amount of new capacity needed for recovery

### **Organic Waste Recycling Capacity Planning Calculator**

CalRecycle has published the organic waste recycling capacity planning calculator. The calculator is located here: <https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/LGCentral/organics/slcp/capacityplanning/recycling/calculator>



The main webpage for SB 1383 organic waste recycling capacity planning is located here: <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/capacityplanning/recycling>

This guidance tool was developed by CalRecycle as a courtesy for informational and example purposes only. Use of the tool is optional and is not a regulatory requirement.

### **Webpage for Elected Officials**

CalRecycle published a webpage for elected officials regarding the SB 1383 regulatory requirements.

The webpage summarizes the regulatory requirements and emphasizes that cities and counties need to plan now for any needed rate increases, changes in hauler agreements, and for implementing new programs, including mandatory organic waste collection services for all residents and businesses and edible food recovery for commercial food donors.

Please view the webpage here:

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/electedofficials>

### **SB 1383 Short-Lived Climate Pollutants (SLCP)**

Organic Waste Methane Emissions Reductions Rulemaking

**Revised SB 1383 webpage** <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp?>

CalRecycle has published SB 1383 webpages which include a homepage, documents included in the final rulemaking package as such the final and approved regulatory text, webpages dedicated to collection, procurement, food recovery, and resources for jurisdictions, food donors, and food recovery organizations and services. The webpages will be updated as new resources are made available.

### **SB 1383 Formal Rulemaking Comments and Responses Posted to Website**

CalRecycle has published the SB 1383 formal rulemaking comments and responses. The documents are located here, under the “SB 1383 Regulations”:  
<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp>

## **OPEN GRANT/PAYMENT/LOAN CYCLES**

Part of California’s Comeback Plan is a \$270 million investment in the fight against climate change and California’s transition to a renewable, circular economy

California’s \$270 million investment in modernized recycling systems includes:

1. \$165 million support food and yard waste recycling infrastructure and local implementation costs for SB 1383.
2. \$75 million to attract green industry with CalRecycle's new Office of Innovation.
3. \$5 million for surplus food recovery because 1 in 5 Californians does not have enough to eat while about 1.8 billion still-fresh meals get thrown away.
4. \$5 million to expand Community Composting programs that increase air-cleansing, green spaces and recycle food waste in disadvantaged communities.
5. \$20 million to upgrade wastewater treatment plants that turn food waste into clean energy.

## **Notice of Funds Available: Household Hazardous Waste Grant Program (FY 2022–23), Cycle 39**

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The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) administers a program to provide opportunities for the local governments in implementing safe Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) programs for collection, public education, source reduction, reuse, and/or recycling of HHW.

### **Criteria**

[Approval of Criteria, April 25, 2022](#)

### **Eligibility Applicants**

Only one application per qualifying entity will be accepted. Eligible applicants may submit an individual or regional application. One entity must be identified as the lead applicant to act on behalf of itself and its participating jurisdictions. The grants are available to:

- Local governments (cities, counties, and city and counties) as defined in Public Resources Code section 30109 that have direct responsibility for HHW management.
- Regional or local sanitation agencies and waste agencies, having direct responsibility for HHW management.

- Joint Powers Authorities (JPA) if the JPA agreement includes solid and/or hazardous waste management responsibilities.
- Qualifying Tribal Entities with direct responsibility for HHW management. A “Qualifying Tribal Entity” is defined as an Indian tribe, band, nation or other organized group or community, residing within the borders of California, which:
  - (1) Is recognized for special programs and services provided by the United States to Indians because of the status of its members as Indians; or
  - (2) Can establish that it is a government entity and meets the criteria of the grant program.

## **Projects**

### **Notice of Funds Available: Tire Incentive Program (FY 2022–2023)**

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The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) administers a program to provide opportunities for the to divert waste tires from landfill disposal, prevent illegal tire dumping, and promote markets for recycled-content tire products. The Tire Incentive Program (TIP) provides a reimbursement (as an incentive payment program) to eligible businesses that use (recycled) crumb rubber in eligible products or substitute crumb rubber for virgin rubber, plastic, or other raw materials in products. The program’s goal is to increase demand for crumb rubber and promote higher value products.

## **Criteria**

[Approval of Criteria, May 2, 2022](#)

## **Eligibility**

### **Applicants**

- Manufacturers that produce (or will produce) an eligible product.
- Waste tire processors that also manufacture an eligible product.
- Manufacturers of devulcanized crumb rubber.
- Rubber compounders.
- Manufacturers of calendered rubber sheeting products.
- Manufacturers that produce products on a contract basis for other companies provided they have that other company’s written permission to produce an eligible product and receive the incentive.

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- A new or existing product that has not benefited from the Tire-Derived Product Grant Program.
- An existing or new/improved product currently manufactured with virgin rubber, plastic or other material which will be produced with a minimum of five percent crumb rubber and may be co-extruded, injected, calendared or otherwise combined (also known as “feedstock conversion”). This includes compounded rubber and calendared sheet rubber as intermediate products.
- An existing or new/improved product currently manufactured with virgin rubber, plastic or other material which will be produced with a minimum of five percent devulcanized crumb rubber and may be co-extruded, injected, calendared or otherwise combined. This includes devulcanized crumb rubber as an intermediate product.
- An existing or new/improved product that will use fine ( $\leq 50$ ) mesh crumb rubber. Particle size and particle size distribution are determined in accordance with American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) D5644 and D5603 and will be verified by CalRecycle or a CalRecycle contractor.

Applicants are reimbursed at the incentive rates below per pound according to category.

| Incentive Category   | Incentive per Pound   |
|--|---|
| 1. New or Existing TDP (TIP product)                         | <b><u>10 cents</u></b> for total crumb rubber or EOL material used in sold (net of returns) eligible products.  |
| 2. Feedstock Conversion or Devulcanized Rubber (TIP product) | <b><u>40 cents</u></b> for total crumb rubber or devulcanized crumb rubber used in sold (net of returns) eligible products or for eligible intermediate products. |

| Incentive Category               | Incentive per Pound  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| 3. Fine (<50) Mesh (TIP product) | <b><u>50 cents</u></b> for total crumb rubber used in eligible products sold (net of returns). |

### Incentive Categories and Amounts

**Examples of possible eligible products include**, but are not limited to: devulcanized crumb rubber; flooring underlayment; rubberized flooring; industrial products; conveyer belts; calendered or compounded rubber; agricultural harvesting devices; various landscaping and garden products; various building products; various traffic devices (i.e., traffic cones, delineators, spacers, tire stops and barricades); fencing; asphalt products that are not eligible under other CalRecycle programs; asphalt products (i.e. crack seal, roofing products, etc.) must contain a minimum of five percent crumb rubber in the binder or flux, not necessarily the finished product; rubberized sidewalks, pathways, and tree wells (if specifically designed for storm water management); paints, sealants and coatings; end-of-life (EOL) material (crumb rubber, nuggets/mulch) being recycled or reused in a variety of eligible products; Source of EOL material must be located in California; and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) leveling and accessibility ramps, etc.

**Specifically excluded** from this program would be: crumb rubber used by itself as an intermediate product (i.e., used as infill for a synthetic turf field) except as noted above; tire-derived aggregate; rubberized pavement or rubberized paving products (i.e., chip seal, slurry seal, etc.); rubber nuggets/mulch/bark except as noted above; rubberized sidewalks and tree wells (except as noted above); loose-fill or poured-in-place playgrounds; poured-in-place playgrounds which use ground, shredded or chunk rubber from California-generated passenger tires (not truck tires or buffings) for the cushion layer; or crumb rubber to replace ethylene propylene diene monomer (EPDM) and thermoplastic vulcanizates (TPV) in the wear layer; playground tiles; synthetic turf underlayment (not loose infill); sports/running tracks; all weather sports field infill; and similar type products which have enjoyed significant benefit from the Tire-Derived Product Grant Program and its predecessors.

## **Funding**

- \$3,600,000 available for fiscal year (FY) 2022–23.
- The minimum is \$25,000 and the maximum is \$500,000 per grant award.

**Application Due Date: July 28, 2022**

## **Notice of Funds Available: Farm and Ranch Solid Waste Cleanup and Abatement Grant Program (FY 2022-23)**

The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) administers a program to provide opportunities for the cleanup of illegal disposal sites on farm and ranch property. Farm and Ranch property, as defined in California Code of Regulations, section 17991(d), means a piece of property, publicly or privately owned, that is used for rangeland or agricultural activities such as, but not limited to commercial livestock and crop production, horticulture, aquaculture, silviculture, floriculture, vermiculture and viticulture. Farm or ranch property need not have active sales or production, but shall be appropriately zoned, or otherwise authorized for agricultural activities. Farm or ranch property includes appurtenant easements or right-of-ways such as, but not limited to, public roads and utilities.

### **Pilot Program**

Applicants in the third cycle may choose to apply under the pilot project (Pilot) if they need additional time to submit documents identified in the Application Guidelines. The Pilot will allow an applicant to apply for funds for existing illegal disposal sites with only a resolution and an estimate of expenses submitted by the application due date. After grant award, the grantee will then complete and submit the remaining application forms to GMS to make the application complete. Grantees must submit the remaining forms before cleanup costs are incurred.

Approval of Criteria, June 15, 2021

### **Eligibility**

#### **Applicants**

- Cities
- Counties
- Resource Conservation Districts
- Federally recognized Native American tribes as defined in PRC § 48100(d)(1).

## Projects

The parcel where the site is located is zoned or authorized for agricultural/rangeland use definition of Farm and Ranch Property as defined in Title 14 CCR§ 17991(d) [see definition above].

The site is used, has been used, or could be used for agricultural/rangeland activities (reference property definition for examples).

The intended future use of the site is consistent with the Property definition above.

Neither the applicant, nor the property owner, nor any resident, invitee, licensee, lessee, or person the current property owner purchased or inherited from, by contract, agreement, or other arrangement, brought any of the subject solid waste onto the property.

The aforementioned parties did not direct, authorize, permit or otherwise provide consent to another to bring the solid waste onto the property. Moreover, “unauthorized” disposal of solid waste and/or waste tires has occurred.

The responsible party either cannot be identified, located, or pay for timely and proper remediation.

The site is or was (for sites previously remediated), an illegal disposal site (i.e., not permitted and not exempt from obtaining a solid waste facility permit and is not a closed site as defined in Title 27 CCR Section 20164).

The site is in need of cleanup in order to abate a nuisance or public health and safety threat and/or a threat to the environment.

## Funding

\$1,000,000 available for fiscal year (FY) 2022–23

Up to \$200,000 per grant award, with a maximum of \$50,000 per site or cleanup project.

Please note that funding is contingent upon and subject to the availability of funds appropriated for this grant.

**Application Due Date: August 11, 2022 (Cycle 76)**

## **Notice of Funds Available: Tire-Derived Aggregate Grant Program (FY 2022-23)**

The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) administers a program to provide opportunities to divert waste tires from landfill disposal, prevent

illegal tire dumping, and promote markets for recycled-content tire products. The Tire-Derived Aggregate (TDA) Grant Program (Program) provides assistance for solving a variety of engineering challenges. TDA, which is produced from shredded tires, is lightweight, free-draining, and a less expensive alternative to conventional lightweight aggregates.

Approval of Criteria, May 23, 2022

## Eligibility

### Applicants

- All California local government entities (including cities, counties, and cities and counties).
- Special districts (including transportation districts).
- Joint Powers Authorities (JPA) (where all JPA members are also otherwise eligible applicants).
- Public school districts.
- All California State agencies (including offices, departments, bureaus, and boards).
- University of California campuses, the California State University campuses, and California Community Colleges.
- Private, for-profit entities. For purposes of this Program, a “private, for-profit entity” (PFP) is defined as a business intended to operate at a profit and return a profit to its owner(s). The business must be California-based or domiciled in another state with an existing operational presence in California (certain limitations apply; please see Application Guidelines and Instructions for complete details).
- Non-profit organizations (except private elementary or secondary schools) registered with the federal government under section 501(c)(3), (c)(4), (c)(6), or (c)(10) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- Qualifying Tribal Entities. A Qualifying Tribal Entity is defined as a tribe, band, nation or other organized group or community, residing within the borders of California, which:
  - is recognized for special programs and services provided by the United States because of the status of its members as Native Americans; or
  - can establish that it is a government entity and which meets the criteria of the grant program.



## Projects

Projects generally fall into one of five categories (see TDA Uses for more complete descriptions):

Category 1: Mechanically Stabilized TDA (retaining walls).

Category 2: Low Impact Development (storm water mitigation including storm water infiltration galleries).

Category 3: Lightweight fill (slope stabilization, embankment fill, landslide repair, and retaining walls).

Category 4: Vibration mitigation (under rail lines).

Category 5: Landfill application (aggregate replacement projects such as leachate and gas collection systems, drainage layers, leachate injection). Projects that are currently underway or that have been completed at the same location within the same facility within three years of application are not eligible. Landfill application projects do not include use of shredded waste tires as alternative daily cover or alternative intermediate cover.

All projects are subject to the following requirements:

Only California-generated waste tires, processed in California, must be used in the TDA portion of the project(s).

The project(s) must be located in California.

A minimum of 500 tons of TDA must be used in the project(s), with the exception of Low Impact Development projects, which must use a minimum of 200 tons of TDA in the project(s).

Plans and specifications must be reviewed by CalRecycle staff and/or its contractor(s) prior to commencement of work. The project design plans must be uploaded in GMS at a minimum 50 percent complete at the time of application submittal and 100 percent complete prior to the start of the project. The design plans must include project costs (preliminary costs must be submitted with the application), the project location (TDA placement), type and quantity of TDA (initial estimate must be submitted with the application), and any analysis necessary to validate the design.

Each project must incorporate technical assistance/training that will be provided by CalRecycle contractors and/or staff. The following must receive CalRecycle sponsored technical training prior to implementation of the project: (1) Owner representative, (2)

Construction Management engineer (Quality Assurance / Quality Control) and (3) Construction company project supervisor.

The real property on which the project will be located must be owned by the applicant (or by a member of an applicant JPA).

If applicant's ownership of the property on which the project(s) is located does not give it complete and clear access to the project site(s), then prior to incurring any grant-eligible costs, applicant must obtain any and all access rights (e.g., easements) to the project site(s) necessary to complete the project(s) within the grant term and shall ensure that such access extends to CalRecycle staff and/or its designated contractors for the purpose of observing the project, providing technical assistance and/or training during the grant term. Such access must be in writing from the legal owner or his/her authorized agent.

Reimbursement will not exceed the amount stated on the Grant Agreement Cover Sheet (CalRecycle 110).

Construction of the TDA portion of any project must commence on or after the date indicated in CalRecycle's written Notice to Proceed and be completed by April 1, 2025.

Additionally, each of the following project requirements is specific to the individual type of project as indicated:

Landfill projects will not be reimbursed for use of more than 0.75 cubic yards (0.5 tons) of TDA per lineal foot of landfill gas collection or leachate injection line.

#### Funding

\$750,000 available for fiscal year (FY) 2022-23

\$375,000 maximum per grant award

**Application Due Dates: August 17, 2022 and December 7, 2022**

#### **Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Reduction Loan Program**

The purpose of this non-competitive loan program is to lower overall greenhouse gas emissions by providing loans to expand existing capacity or establish new facilities to process California-generated waste materials into new value-added products.

The Notice of Funds Available for FY 2015–16 (Cycle 2A) GHG Loans is posted at <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Climate/GrantsLoans/GHGLoans/FY201516/default.htm>

Cycle 2A applications are being accepted on a continuous basis, subject to fund availability or until FY 2016-17 funds become available. See the GHG Loan Program

web page <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Climate/GrantsLoans/GHGLoans/default.htm> for the most current cycle information.

**Loan Application Due Date: Continuous**

Available Funds: FY 2020-21 \$2,500,000.

**Recycling Market Development Zone Loan Program**

Provides direct loans to businesses that use postconsumer or secondary waste materials to manufacture new products, or that undertake projects to reduce the waste resulting from the manufacture of a product. Information about this loan program as well as the application documents and forms can be found at

<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/RMDZ/Loans/>

**Loan Application Due Date: Continuous**

**EVENTS**

Please also see the CalRecycle Events Calendar,

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Calendar/>

**NOTE** – Due to COVID-19 emergency, please check the Events calendar prior to an event to ensure it is still scheduled and for directions as to how to access the meeting via webinar.

<https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/PublicNotices/>

**Information about the Statewide Commission on Recycling Markets and Curbside Recycling Meetings and Committee:**

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/markets/commission>

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**Other Webinars/Workshops:**

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**Next Monthly Public Meetings**

August 16, 2022

September 20, 2022

<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/PublicMeeting/>

## Quick Update

### Grants

#### Notice of Funds Available: Tire Incentive Program (FY 2022–2023)

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The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) administers a program to provide opportunities for the to divert waste tires from landfill disposal, prevent illegal tire dumping, and promote markets for recycled-content tire products. The Tire Incentive Program (TIP) provides a reimbursement (as an incentive payment program) to eligible businesses that use (recycled) crumb rubber in eligible products or substitute crumb rubber for virgin rubber, plastic, or other raw materials in products. The program's goal is to increase demand for crumb rubber and promote higher value products.

**Application Due Date: July 28, 2022**

#### **Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Reduction Loan Program**

The purpose of this non-competitive loan program is to lower overall greenhouse gas emissions by providing loans to expand existing capacity or establish new facilities to process California-generated waste materials into new value-added products.

**Loan Application Due Date: Continuous**

Available Funds: FY 2020-21 \$2,500,000.

#### **Recycling Market Development Zone Loan Program**

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**Loan Application Due Date: Continuous**

### Upcoming Events:

#### **Public Meeting Notice: RDRS Regulations Rulemaking Workshop 2**

Start Date & Time: 7/26/2022 10:00AM

End Date & Time: 7/26/2022 12:00PM

Location: Public Meeting Live Webcast <https://video.calepa.ca.gov/>

Contact(s): Eric Payne

#### Description

CalRecycle will soon begin a rulemaking to update the regulations for the Recycling and Disposal Reporting System (RDRS), pursuant to SB 343, AB 881, and AB 901. Before the formal rulemaking begins, the Department will hold three informal workshops, where staff will overview the changes, present draft regulatory text, and solicit stakeholder feedback. Each of the three workshops will be held virtually with no physical location. This page advertises the second workshop. You may attend the workshop either through GoTo Webinar, which will include voice and chat functionality, or via webcast, which is view-only. The GoTo Webinar requires registration. Please see the details below.

Attend via GoTo Webinar, requires registration:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4843185316283974927>

Attend via webcast:

<https://video.calepa.ca.gov/#/player/974>

Important: If you attend via webinar, then you will be able to make comments through the webinar tool. If you attend via webcast, then you will be able to make comments by emailing the rulemaking staff at [sb343\\_ab881\\_rulemaking@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:sb343_ab881_rulemaking@calrecycle.ca.gov).

### **Public Meeting Notice: RDRS Regulations Rulemaking Workshop 3**

Start Date & Time: 8/30/2022 10:00AM

End Date & Time: 8/30/2022 12:00PM

Location: Public Meeting Live Webcast <https://video.calepa.ca.gov/>

Contact(s): Eric Payne

#### Description

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<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6691222470017328911>

Attend via webcast

<https://video.calepa.ca.gov/#/player/975>

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