

AB 1826

Mandatory Organics Recycling



As of September 2020, businesses (including public entities) and multi-family complexes of 5 units or more who generate 2 cubic yards of commercial solid waste per week or more are required to recycle their organic waste.

"Businesses" includes multi-family complexes with 5 units or more, however, multi-family premises are only required to recycle landscaping waste.

What is Organic Waste?

Organic waste includes food waste, green waste, landscape and pruning waste, non-hazardous wood waste, and food-soiled paper waste that is mixed in with food waste.

- Commercial businesses that produce food waste can receive an orange cart or bin.
- Commercial businesses that produce green waste including landscape and pruning waste can receive a green cart or bin.
- Contact City of Manteca Solid Waste Division at (209) 456-8440.



Businesses can meet the mandatory organics recycling requirements through any of the following:

- Source separate organic waste from other waste and subscribe to a basic level of organic waste recycling service that includes collection and recycling of organic waste.
- Recycle your organic waste on-site or self-haul the organic waste for recycling.
- Subscribe to an organic waste recycling service that may include mixed waste processing that specifically recycles organic waste.
- Make other arrangements consistent with the existing right to sell or donate the recyclable organic waste material.

Locations that will accept organic waste:

(Please call ahead to make sure they can take your organic waste)

Recology Blossom Valley Organics:	6133 Hammett Court, Modesto, CA	(209) 545-7718
City of Modesto Co-Compost Project:	7001 Jennings Road, Modesto, CA	(209) 538-2557
Recology Blossom Valley Organics:	3909 Gaffery Road, Vernalis, CA	(209) 833-3392
Central Valley Compost:	916 Frewert Road, Lathrop, CA	(209) 990-5830



For more information about AB1826:
 City of Manteca Solid Waste Division at (209) 456-8440
 CalRecycle website: <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/>



Examples Of What Can Go In A Compost Bin

Check with City of Manteca, Solid Waste Division for what can go in the Compost Bin.

FOOD SCRAPS



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- All fruits and vegetables (pits and shells too)
- Coffee grounds and paper filter
- Dairy products (no liquids)
- Eggshells and eggs
- Leftovers and spoiled food
- Meat (including bones)
- Seafood (including shellfish)

PLANTS



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- Branches and brush
- Flowers and floral trimmings
- Grasses and weeds
- Leaves
- Tree trimmings