

Lettuce Have Your Organics!

MANDATORY ORGANICS COLLECTION

Starting January, 2016, a new City Ordinance (Chapter 6.24) requires mandatory organics collection for all businesses and or properties generating at least 3 cubic yards of organic waste per week or generating a solid waste stream that is comprised of 25% or more organic food waste material.

Start NOW by depleting your supply of bags that are not clear. Use only clear bags (when needed) for all waste streams (compost, recycling, and landfill) Recology and City staff will visit, train, and provide free materials to aid in your transition to organics collection.



IT IS MANDATORY FOR BUSINESSES TO USE CLEAR BAGS TO SEPARATE ALL WASTE.

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USE ONLY CLEAR PLASTIC BAGS for ORGANICS, RECYCLING and GARBAGE.



COMPOST

ABONO

FOOD SCRAPS

- Bread, pasta, cereal and grains
- Dairy products (semi-solids, no liquids)
- Eggshells, nutshells, crab, shrimp shells
- Fruits and vegetables
- Leftover or spoiled food
- Meat, fish and chicken, including bones

NO containers - remove all packaging, bands and ties



FOOD SOILED PAPER & WET PAPER

- Coffee grounds, paper filters and tea bags
- Microwaveable popcorn bags
- Paper egg cartons and mushroom boxes
- Paper plates and cups, take out boxes
- Paper towels and napkins, tissues
- Pizzeria boxes (no frozen food boxes)



YARD AND PLANT TRIMMINGS

- Branches and prunings
(under 4' long and 6" in diameter)
- Flower bouquets or plants
- Grass, leaves and weeds

NO landscape materials: stakes, planters, bender boards, trellises, pickets



UNACCEPTABLE PLANT AND YARD MATERIALS

- Bamboo
- Palm Fronds
- Cactus
- Yucca
- Ice Plants

Please dispose in your garbage container.

Questions? call 408.725.4020 or visit RecologySouthBay.com