

Commercial Customers

Statewide, businesses currently recycle only 25% of their material, while the remaining 75% is still landfilled.

Internal recycling and compost containers are available **at no additional cost.**

(Limited quantities - subject to availability)



Containers available for Commercial and Multi-Family customers come in a variety of sizes to suit your **Recycle, Compost** and **Garbage** service needs.



Sizes available:

*20 Gallon - 32 Gallon - 64 Gallon - 96 Gallon



Sizes available in cubic yards:
1yd - 2yd - 3yd - 4yd - 6yd - 8 yd

Larger bins are also available
9, 15, 20, 30 and 40 cubic yards.

*Only Compost and Garbage carts are available in a 20-gallon size



It's the Recology way!

WASTE ZERO

Recology's Zero Waste Specialists provide on-site technical assistance to Commercial and Multi-Family Dwelling customers to help you achieve the highest level of diversion possible and answer any questions you may have.

To contact a Waste Zero Specialist, call **650.595.3900** or email them at GreenYourBiz@recology.com



Mandatory Commercial Recycling

State Law Requirements for Businesses and Multi-Family Dwellings in San Carlos



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As of July 1, 2012, California requires all businesses that generate four (4) or more cubic yards of garbage per week and multi-family dwellings with five (5) or more units to recycle*.

Affected businesses include, but are not limited to, office buildings, retail, restaurants, non-profits, strip malls, government offices and schools. Multi-family dwellings include apartments, townhomes and condominiums.

The purpose of the law is to:

- Reduce garbage sent to landfills
- Reduce greenhouse gas emissions

*San Carlos businesses and multi-family dwellings with two (2) cubic yards or more of garbage per week must comply with the City's mandatory commercial recycling and organics ordinance.

The specific statutory language for Assembly (AB) 341 can be found in the State's Public Resources Code: PRC Division 30, Part 3, Chapter 12.8, Section 42649

Go to: <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Recycle/Commercial/default.htm> to learn more about AB 341.

How to Comply

Compliance is easy with the BizSMART program available through Recology San Mateo County!

Recycling collection services in the blue Recycle Cart or Bin are provided at **NO ADDITIONAL CHARGE** if you subscribe to garbage collection services, and with BizSMART - recycling has never been easier! Simply contact Recology to set up service or answer any questions.

And if you are already recycling - *thank you!*

In addition to having recycling services provided by Recology, customers can also self-haul the recyclables or arrange for their pickup.

Contact

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BizSMART

Makes Recycling Easy!

You CAN Recycle:

- ◆ 5-gallon plastic buckets
- ◆ Cardboard
- ◆ Glass bottles and cans
- ◆ Plastic containers numbered 1-7
- ◆ Milk and juice cartons
- ◆ Metal cans
- ◆ Office papers, newspapers, junk mail, magazines, phone books, soft/hard cover books
- ◆ Small scrap metal
- ◆ Shredded paper (place in sealed paper or clear plastic bags and set in the Recycle Cart or Bin)

