



Were you about to landfill?

Instead, please help Cupertino keep recoverable materials out of the landfill! Here's how:

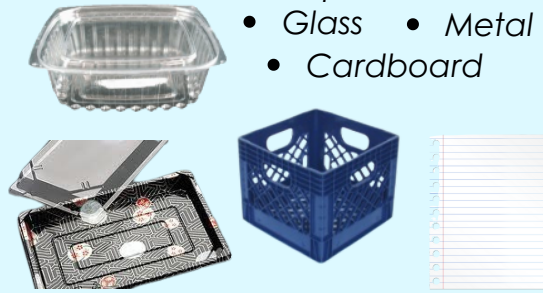
1. RECYCLE

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Clean, Empty, and Dry:

- Paper
- Plastic
- Glass
- Metal
- Cardboard



2. COMPOST

ABONO 廚餘和污紙



ALL Organic Materials:

- Raw or Cooked Food
- Food-Soiled Paper
- Landscape Trimmings



3. LANDFILL

BASURERO 垃圾填埋場

- Styrofoam™
- Plastic Food Wrappers
- Garbage bags
- Single-Use Packaging and Utensils
- Sanitary & Protective Products
- Compostable Plastic



IMPORTANT: Please use only **CLEAR** bags for garbage, compost, and recycling. Do NOT use **dark** bags. (City Municipal Code 6.24.030)



Thanks for your help in diverting resources from the landfill!



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Waste Management Guide

SB 1383: CA's Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Reduction

Food waste in the landfill creates methane, a harmful gas that negatively impacts humans and the environment. Thank you for doing your part to keep waste out of the landfill! Commercial & Multifamily Generators are required to do the following: (City Municipal Code 6.24.037.020)

Learn more at
cupertino.gov/SB1383

REQUIREMENTS

1. Hauling Service:

All generators must have compost collection & properly sort & dispose of waste materials.

3. Make It Accessible:

Compost, recycle, & landfill containers must be accessible in areas where those types of waste are generated including, but not limited to:

- Food prep areas
- Kitchen
- Behind the counter
- Common areas

If people are clearing their own tables, containers must be accessible in dining areas.

2. Educate Often:

Educate all tenants, employees, contractors, and custodial staff on how to properly sort waste. Training must be done for new employees and annually for all staff.

4. Make It Easy To Sort:

Set up color-coded, labeled, 3-bin sort stations (recycle, compost, landfill). Be sure to have clear, color-coded signage at your waste stations.



Contact southbaywastezero@recology.com for **FREE materials, trainings, and assistance!**

Exceptions: While regulations do not allow businesses to opt-out of recycling & organics recycling, businesses can request for exemptions if they generate very small amounts of organics or have extreme space constraints.



Multi-Family Waste Guide



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