

Are You in Compliance with SB 1383?

(A law to reduce greenhouse gases)

¿Está cumpliendo la ley SB 1383?

(La nueva ley para reducir emisiones de gases de efecto invernadero)

Quý vị có tuân thủ SB 1383 không?

(Một luật mới nhằm giảm khí thải nhà kính)

What is SB 1383?

Senate Bill 1383 (SB 1383) is a statewide law created to reduce methane, which is one of the most potent greenhouse gases and a major contributor to climate change. Organic waste in landfills accounts for around 20 percent of methane emissions in California. All businesses must take action to be compliant with this law. See the other side of this page to learn about the SB 1383 Requirements for Businesses.



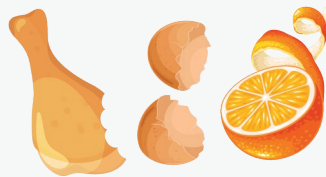
What is organic waste?

“Organic waste” means food waste, food scraps, food-soiled paper products, and landscape waste.

Food-Soiled Paper



Food Waste and Scraps



Landscape Waste



What is the Wet/Dry system?

Republic Services is the exclusive franchise hauler for solid waste for San José businesses. They offer three options for waste collection:



1. Wet Service for organic waste



2. Dry Service for recyclables and everything else



3. Customized Service for clean recyclables

Resources

Please contact Republic Services:

- To add Wet service or adjust your waste service
- To receive free waste audits, employee trainings, or proper signage

Visit the City of San José website:
SJEnvironment.org/CommercialRegulations

- To apply for a waiver or pursue alternative compliance options

Contact Republic Services

Call: (408) 432 1234 or E-mail: SanJoseRecyclingTeam@RepublicServices.com

Have more questions about complying with SB 1383 requirements?

Contact the San José Environmental Services Department:

✉ ZeroWaste@sanjoseca.gov

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SB 1383 Requirements for Businesses

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Requisitos de la Ley del Senado (SB) 1383 para Negocios
(La nueva ley para reducir emisiones de gases de efecto invernadero)

Những yêu cầu về SB 1383 đối với doanh nghiệp
(Một luật mới nhằm giảm khí thải nhà kính)

Recycling & Organics Collection

Service Level Requirement (Account Holders Only)

Subscribe to Wet service through Republic Services or be approved by the City of San José for a waiver or alternative compliance option.

Receptacle Requirement

Provide receptacles for each subscribed service (Wet, Dry, and/or Customized) to allow for proper sorting, except in restrooms.

Proper Labeling & Color Coding

Provide access to an adequate number, size, and location of receptacles with proper labels or color-coding.

Receptacles are owned and emptied by businesses into containers.

Containers are carts, bins, dumpsters, roll-offs, and compactors emptied by Republic Services.



An example of labeled receptacles provided to allow for proper sorting

Education & Training

Employee Sorting

Require employees to place waste in the proper receptacles and containers.

Annual Education

Annually educate employees, contractors, tenants, and customers about food recovery (if applicable) and proper sorting requirements.

New Tenant Education (Account Holders Only)

Provide information to new tenants within 14 days of occupancy.

Monitoring for Proper Sorting

Inspection

Periodically inspect receptacles and/or containers for improperly sorted waste.

Reminders to Employees

Inform employees of any improperly sorted waste.

Food Donation

Edible Food Donation (Some Food-Related Businesses)

If your business generates, distributes, or sells food, you may be required to meet additional food donation requirements.

See SCCFoodRecovery.org for more details.