How to Sort Your **Organic Waste**



Step 1 Set Up Kitchen **Containers**

Designate indoor containers next to dishwashing stations and food prep areas.

Step 2 **Train Staff**

Use clear plastic bags to collect food.



Step 3 **Recycle Food Organics Bin**

Place bagged food waste in outdoor bins.



Waste in Your



Plastic Containers

How to Sort Your

Recyclables

Senate Bill (SB) 1383: All commercial

are required to participate in their

jurisdiction's recycling program to

divert the following materials:

Paper & Cardboard

Metal Cans

- Items should be empty, clean and dry Items should be loose
- No plastic bags



Senate Bill (SB) 1383

Mandatory State Organics & Recycling Law

City of Brea **Commercial Businesses**

Food waste bins have a brown lid. Yard waste is NOT allowed. Clear plastic bags are allowed.

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Sustainability in Action





What Is Organic Waste?

Edible Food Recovery

What Is SB 1383?

Food Waste

Meat, dairy, grains, fruit, vegetables, bones, eggshells, coffee grounds, tea leaves



Food-Soiled Paper Paper napkins, coffee filters, tea bags, paper bags

Yard Waste* Grass, leaves, branches, plants, weeds











*Yard waste is only accepted in organics bins with green lids. Please talk to your Republic Services representative about whether your program allows yard waste materials. Senate Bill (SB) 1383 requires certain businesses to donate edible food that would have been disposed of. SB 1383 places mandated food generators into two tiers.

Tier 1: Implementation by January 1, 2022

- Wholesale Food Vendors
- Food Service Providers
- Food Distributors
- Grocery Stores (more than 10,000 sq. feet)

Tier 2: Implementation by January 1, 2024

- Hotels (with on-site food facility and 200+ rooms)
- State Agency Cafeterias (more than 5,000 sq. feet or 250+ seats)
- Health Facilities (with on-site food facility and 100+ beds)
- Large Venues and Events
- Restaurant Facilities (more than 5,000 sq. feet or 250+ seats)





To find local food banks in the area, visit **Cityofbrea.gov/ BusinessRecycle** or scan the QR code.

State Law

Senate Bill (SB) 1383 – California's Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Reduction Strategy aims to take organics out of the landfills to help reduce methane emissions. Organic materials that end up in landfills decompose, creating methane gas, a greenhouse gas emission that negatively contributes to the environment.

> What does it mean? All customers will be required to divert food waste, food-soiled paper and yard waste from their trash bins.

