

WASTEMATTERS

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CALIFORNIA LAWS REQUIRE PROPER WASTE SORTING

Assembly Bill 1826

requires businesses and multifamily dwellings to subscribe to organics recycling service. The law applies to all businesses and to multifamily



dwellings with 5 or more living units.

- As of April 1, 2016, the law targeted those generating 8 cubic yards or more of <u>organic</u> waste per week.
- On January 1, 2017, the law will apply to those generating 4 cubic yards or more of <u>organic</u> waste per week.
- On January 1, 2019, the law will apply to those generating 4 cubic yards or more of garbage per week.

Assembly Bill 341 requires businesses and multifamily dwellings to separate recyclable materials from their garbage and either allow the collection of recyclables by SSF Scavenger or self-haul to a recycling facility. The law applies to businesses that generate four or more cubic yards of garbage per week and to all multifamily dwellings with 5 or more living units. The law has been in effect since July 1, 2012.

For more information about AB 1826 and AB 341, please visit the "Business & Industry" section at CalRecycle.ca.gov.





SSF SCAVENGER CAN HELP YOU COMPLY

Contact us by phone at 650.589.4020 or by email at info@ssfscavenger.com today! We provide cardboard, mixed paper, and mixed container (aluminum, glass and rigid plastic) collection for no additional charge. We also provide organics collection for a discounted fee. The organics program is for food scraps, food-soiled paper, wax-coated cardboard, and vard trimmings. Scrap metal, film/sheet plastic and construction & demolition material recycling is also available. We offer a variety of collection container sizes and service frequencies to suit your needs.

Need help training your staff or tenants?

We are happy to demonstrate proper sorting and to provide program flyers and collection cart/bin labels (examples shown below). For multifamily residential customers, we can also provide kitchen pails and tote bags for the collection and transport of organic waste and recyclables.





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Service Tips

- Keep the area around your recycling and garbage carts/bins clear. Do not block with cars.
- Keep cart/bin lids closed and do not overload.
- Flatten and breakdown cardboard before placing in the appropriate cart or bin.
- Place Styrofoam products and plastic bags in the garbage. These items are not recyclable.
- Contact us to make arrangements for collection of large items or overflow waste.

BLUE LINE TRANSFER, INC.

500 East Jamie Court ◆ South San Francisco

- Public Disposal and Recycling Facility —
 Monday-Friday, 6 a.m. 4:30 p.m.
 Saturday, 7 a.m. 4:30 p.m.
- Competitive disposal rates
- Reduced rates for clean loads of wood, yard waste, dirt, rock & concrete
- Special rates for cooking oil, tires, appliances/electronics, fluorescent lamps & batteries

Note that all loads entering Blue Line must be covered and secured. There is an additional \$20 fee charged for each uncovered load.

B.O.P.A. Center

Monday-Saturday, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m.

- No-charge drop-off for San Mateo County residents
 - Televisions, laptops, computer monitors
 - Car batteries, antifreeze, motor oil & filters
 - ✓ Latex & oil-based paint—in clearly labeled containers, 10 gallon limit
 - Sharps containers

Public Buy-Back Center

Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. – 2 p.m. Saturday, 7 a.m. – 12 p.m.

For containers with California Redemption Value (CRV)

www.ssfscavenger.com/transfer

Put hazardous waste in the right place

Many of your recyclables are sorted by hand. Please protect the health and safety of our employees by properly disposing of sharps and other hazardous materials. If you can't completely use or give away your leftover paint, cleaners, pesticides, etc., please be sure to dispose of them properly.





San Mateo County Environmental Health provides information and disposal options for residents and businesses that generate sharps and hazardous waste. Call 650.363.4718 or visit www.smchealth.org/hhw today!

THANK YOU FOR READING!

This is the first edition of our commercial newsletter—designed specifically for businesses and multifamily residential property owners and managers. We hope you find the information provided to be helpful and that you will share it with others. An electronic version of this newsletter and a variety of other resources can be found on our website.

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