

NEW RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS FOR BUSINESSES



The City of Ventura and E.J. Harrison & Sons want to help you prepare your business to comply with the State of California's Mandatory Commercial Organics Law.

AB 1826

Starting in 2016, California state law requires businesses, including schools, hospitals, restaurants, government buildings and other establishments to begin separating and recycling organic waste.



Implementation Schedule

8 Cubic Yards of Organic Waste
Businesses with a 3-yard dumpster that is serviced **five or more times** per week will need to arrange for a business waste assessment by **April 1, 2016**.

4 Cubic Yards of Organic Waste
Businesses with a 3-yard dumpster that is serviced **three or more times** per week will need to arrange for a business waste assessment by **January 1, 2017**.

4 Cubic Yards of Commercial Waste
Businesses with a 3-yard dumpster that is serviced **at least twice per week** will need to arrange for a business waste assessment by **January 1, 2019**.

Please contact the City of Ventura for information about complying with AB 1826.

Free Business Waste Assessment Includes:

- 30-minute onsite consultation with City of Ventura Environmental Sustainability and E.J. Harrison staff
- Evaluation of your current trash and recycling service
- Information about organics recycling service and service level determination
- Information about food donation (if applicable)
- Customized training and educational materials for your staff and customers
- FREE indoor recycling containers provided by the City of Ventura

Schedule your **FREE business waste assessment**
<http://surveymonkey.com/r/vtaorganics>

For more information, visit: www.cityofventura.net/foodwaste • 805-652-4525

Special needs can be met by calling (805) 667-6500 or the California Relay Service



VUSD GREEN FLASH!

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In an effort to update and share important information with all our employees, the Healthy and Green Schools Partnership Committee along with our City Partners are committed to share this "Green Flash" with you. If you have a "Green" tip you would like to share, please forward it to kristie.wallace@venturausd.org

