

# ORGANICS/COMPOST

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**NO METAL, GLASS, OR PLASTIC. REGULATION SB 1383 REQUIRES ORGANICS RECYCLING SERVICE.\***

To make it easier to collect food scraps, food-soiled paper and plant debris, StopWaste is offering free indoor green bins. Apply online at [StopWaste.org/free-green-bins](http://StopWaste.org/free-green-bins)

- FOOD SCRAPS - FRESH, FROZEN, COOKED, & MOLDY**
- bread, rice, pasta, cereals, & grains
  - coffee grounds & tea leaves
  - dairy products
  - egg shells
  - fruits & vegetables
  - meat & bones
  - nuts & shells
  - pits, peels, skins, & rinds
- FOOD-SOILED PAPER**
- paper coffee filters & paper tea bags
  - newspaper & paper bags
  - paper plates & cups (not plastic lined)
  - paper take out boxes (not plastic lined)
  - paper towels & napkins
  - pizza boxes
  - waxed paper & wax-coated boxes
  - wooden chopsticks & utensils
- PLANTS, LEAVES, YARD TRIMMINGS, & CLEAN WOOD**
- small branches (less than 6" in diameter)

- NO GLASS, METAL, STYROFOAM,® OR PLASTIC**  
**NO DIRT, ROCK, CONCRETE, BRICK, OR TREATED WOOD**  
**NO LIQUID FAT, OIL, OR GREASE**  
**NO GARBAGE, PET LITTER, OR FECES**  
**NO HAZARDOUS WASTE**



**NO SHARPS OR HAZARDOUS WASTE**  
 It is illegal to dispose of hazardous waste in any ACI container. Please take hazardous materials to a Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection facility. There is fast free drop off at four locations in Alameda County.  
**Visit [StopWaste.org/hhw](http://StopWaste.org/hhw) or call 1-800-606-6606 for more information.**

\*Senate Bill 1383 and Alameda County's Mandatory Recycling Ordinance require recycling. Learn more by visiting [Stopwaste.org/Rules](http://Stopwaste.org/Rules)

# RECYCLABLES

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**PROPER SORTING MAKES A DIFFERENCE. AVOID CONTAMINATION BY KEEPING ITEMS CLEAN & DRY. PLEASE SCRAPE, WIPE, OR RINSE CONTAINERS. THANK YOU.**

- PAPER PRODUCTS - PLEASE FLATTEN BOXES**
- cartons (dairy, juice, soup, broth, & milk alternatives)
  - catalogs, junk mail, magazines, & phone books
  - corrugated cardboard & paper boxes (flatten and/or cut large or multiple pieces)
  - hard cover books (up to 40 lbs.)
  - newspaper (including inserts)
- GLASS BOTTLES & JARS**
- please remove lids & recycle
- ALUMINUM & METAL**
- food & beverage cans
  - paint cans (empty & dry only)
  - pots & pans
  - scrap metal pieces (up to 30 pounds per item)
- RECYCLABLE PLASTIC BOTTLES, TUBS, & CONTAINERS**

**REDUCE SINGLE USE.**  
 Visit [Stopwaste.org/at-home/reduce-reuse-repair](http://Stopwaste.org/at-home/reduce-reuse-repair) for more info.

- NO ORGANICS OR GARBAGE**  
**NO WAX-COATED CARDBOARD**  
**NO PLASTIC BAGS OR FILM PLASTIC**  
**NO STYROFOAM®**  
**NO PRESSURIZED TANKS**  
**NO DIRT, ROCK, BRICK, OR CONCRETE**  
**NO HAZARDOUS WASTE**

Scan the QR code for a searchable list of what goes where and a video that shows what happens to your recyclables after they are collected.




# GARBAGE/LANDFILL

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**REMEMBER, IT'S ALWAYS BETTER TO REUSE, RECYCLE, COMPOST OR DONATE THAN TO DUMP IN THE LANDFILL.**

- NON-RECYCLABLE GLASS**
- ceramics & Pyrex®
  - incandescent lightbulbs only **NO FLUORESCENT, CFL, or LED**
  - kitchenware (dishes, bowls, cups, etc.)
  - mirror, tempered glass, & window glass
- SNACK PACKAGING & NON-RECYCLABLE PAPER**
- dryer sheets
  - laminated items
  - metallic & embellished wrapping paper
  - paper used for cleaning (not food-soiled)
  - photographs
- NON-RECYCLABLE PLASTICS**
- plastic cups, plates, & utensils
  - plastic film, wrap, & bags
  - plastic straws & stir sticks
  - records, tapes, & CDs
  - snack packaging
  - Styrofoam® cups, plates, packaging peanuts, & blocks
- OTHER**
- balloons (latex & mylar)
  - clothes hangers (plastic & metal)
  - diapers & wipes
  - hose (garden or rubber)
  - personal hygiene products
  - pet feces & litter (bagged)
  - plastic sponges
  - rubber bands
  - shoes, clothing, textiles, rugs, & mats (that cannot be donated)
  - toothpaste tubes
  - toys (that cannot be donated)
  - wood (stained or painted)

- NO ORGANICS OR RECYCLABLES**  
**NO DIRT, ROCK, BRICK, OR CONCRETE**  
**NO HAZARDOUS WASTE**



**Questions? CONTACT US OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO FIND OUT MORE.**

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## Contact ACI for help starting or improving your recyclables and organics collection program.

• ACI provides up to 96 gallons of mixed recycling and 96 gallons of organics recycling service per week at no extra charge to qualifying business customers. Call us today to determine your eligibility and get your carts delivered.

• ACI's Sustainability Specialist will visit to survey your waste and recycling needs, answer any questions, and provide posters for employees. The posters clearly show what should go in each ACI container. Please let us know if you have more than just bottles, cans, paper products, yard trimmings, and food scraps to recycle.

• ACI offers a variety of other recycling services. We have collection programs for construction, demolition debris, and more.

• ACI offers wheeled carts, bins (1 - 7 cubic yards), and debris boxes (10 - 40 cubic yards). We may also be able to assist you with the procurement of a compactor or other necessary equipment. Contact us for assistance with enclosure planning for new construction or remodeling.

• ACI's current garbage, recycling, and organics collection rates are available on our website [AlamedaCountyIndustries.com](http://AlamedaCountyIndustries.com), or by calling our customer service department at 510-483-1400.

**Office Hours & Location**  
Monday - Friday: 7 am - 6 pm  
2307 Blanding Avenue, Suite B  
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## Reducing Waste is the Law

*Small steps add up to BIG changes in reducing waste. Together, we can all make a difference.*

### SENATE BILL 1383 (SB 1383)

Reduces emissions of short-lived climate pollutants (SLCP) by reducing organic waste disposal in landfills.



**HOW DO I COMPLY?** You must have **ORGANICS** collection service and put all food, food-soiled paper, and yard trimmings in the green bin. Visit [StopWaste.org/Rules](http://StopWaste.org/Rules)\* for more info.

### ASSEMBLY BILL 827 (AB 827)

Requires businesses to provide **RECYCLABLES** and **ORGANICS** collection containers to collect these materials generated from products purchased on the premises.



**HOW DO I COMPLY?** Provide **RECYCLABLES** and **ORGANICS** waste containers that are easily accessible, visible, and clearly labeled for customers to sort their waste. Visit [AlamedaCountyIndustries.com/alameda/commercial/resources](http://AlamedaCountyIndustries.com/alameda/commercial/resources) for links to more info.

### ASSEMBLY BILL 1276 (AB 1276)

Prohibits food facilities and third-party food platforms from providing any single-use foodware accessories or standard condiments to customers, unless requested.



**HOW DO I COMPLY?** Inform staff that items must be requested, not provided by default. Post signage to let consumers know they can ask for what they need. Eliminate bundled single-use items. Update online ordering menus to allow consumers to request each available accessory or condiment. Visit [Stopwaste.org/resource/stopwaste-ab-1276-fact-sheet](http://Stopwaste.org/resource/stopwaste-ab-1276-fact-sheet) for links to more information.

\*Español, 中文, 한국어, & Tiếng Việt and more.  
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City of Alameda  
Commercial  
Service Guide



SEE INSIDE FOR SERVICE PROGRAM INFORMATION.

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Alameda County Industries  
We are proud to be your service provider for  
Recyclables, Organics & Garbage.



## Collection Service Tips

You can help us provide safe & efficient service.

- Keep your collection cart/bin lids closed. Do not overload your containers.
- Make sure the area around your carts or bins is clear on collection day.
- Right size your service levels. Make sure your **RECYCLABLES**, **ORGANICS**, and **GARBAGE** collection service levels are correct for waste reduction law compliance (SB 1383) and safe, efficient service.

## CONTACT US - WE CAN HELP YOU

Have questions? Need additional collection containers or more frequent service?

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phone 510-483-1400

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