

# Sort Smart, El Dorado:

## Understanding SB 1383

### Have Questions or Need Green Bin Service?

Contact El Dorado Disposal at  
(530) 626-4141.



### Or Take This Survey

Scan the QR code to  
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Animal-resistant green  
bins are available.



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# For Self-Haul Residents

## Our County, Our Responsibility: Organics Recycling

El Dorado County prides itself on its self-reliance, and with SB 1383 implementation now underway, self-haulers are a significant part of the solution in meeting the state's stringent organic waste reduction goals for landfills.

## Here's How You Can Help



### Sort Your Waste at Home:

Separate food scraps, yard waste, and oil-soaked paper products from regular trash.



**Take It to the Materials Recovery Facility (MRF):** Bring food waste, yard trimmings, and other organics to the MRF for proper composting.



**Compost or Repurpose at Home:** Compost kitchen scraps and yard waste in your own backyard.

## Why It Matters

By separating your waste, you help the county maintain its non-mandatory service status and reduce methane gas production from landfills.

# For Curbside Service Residents

California's SB 1383 law is a game changer for waste management, aiming to reduce organic waste in landfills. For residents with curbside hauling services, sorting smarter starts at home.

## Here's What Goes Where

### ORGANICS Green Bin

Food scraps, yard waste, and oil-soaked paper products belong here. BPI-certified compostable bags are optional, but not required.



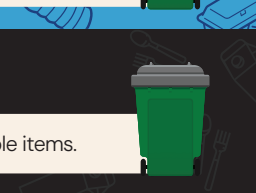
### RECYCLABLES Recycling Bin

Use for items like glass bottles, shipping boxes, and cans. Refer to the Waste Wizard on El Dorado Disposal's website for specifics on other items.



### GARBAGE Black Bin

No food waste goes in this bin. Use this for Styrofoam and other nonrecyclable items.



### HAZARDOUS ITEMS Do Not Place These Items in Any Bin

Batteries, electronics, or household hazardous waste (such as chemicals, paints, and oils) do not belong in any bin. Take these items to the MRF.

