



The City of Ferndale is holding a public outreach event about changes in legislation related to waste and recycling on March 1, 2025, specifically the steps that the city is taking towards complying with Senate Bill 1383. The bill, which became effective on January 1, 2022, will be applicable to the citizens of Ferndale soon, and the council will be taking steps to reduce the impact of this legislation by adopting an ordinance to allow a phased in three stream waste system that will serve all citizens universally in the future. THIS CHANGE WILL INCLUDE INCREASES TO YOUR CURRENT RATES.

There are a lot of parts to SB1383, so we encourage you to come down to City Hall at 834 Main Street on March 1st, anytime between 10am-12pm to ask questions and learn more about the mandatory upcoming changes.

Here are some helpful links to publication on SB1383, including links to videos and slide shows.

<https://calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/collection/systems/>

<https://calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/collection/contamination/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7ZoiQVvIW3M>

Jurisdiction Responsibilities

Provide Organics Collection Services to All Residents and Businesses



Conduct Education and Outreach to Community



Secure Access to Recycling and Edible Food Recovery Capacity



Establish Edible Food Recovery Program



Procure Recyclable and Recovered Organic Products



Monitor Compliance and Conduct Enforcement

