



EDIBLE FOOD RECOVERY

California state law SB 1383 **REQUIRES** "Tier One" and "Tier Two" Commercial Edible Food Generators to donate the maximum amount of excess edible food to feed people.

SB 1383 Generator Requirements:



Must maintain a **written agreement** with all Food Recovery Organizations and/or services that **pick up or receive edible food.**



Must maintain **monthly records** of type, frequency, and pounds of food recovered.



Shall not **intentionally dispose of or compost edible food** that can be donated.



Starting **January 1, 2024**, penalties may be issued for **non-compliance.**

Inspections are conducted in partnership with **ReCREATE Waste Collaborative**

WHO HAS TO COMPLY?

Enforcement Begins January 1, 2024

Tier 1 Generators Inspections Begin January 1, 2022



Supermarkets: Gross annual sales of two million dollars or more.

Grocery Stores: A total facility size equal to or greater than 10,000 square feet.



Food Distributors: Distributes food to entities including supermarkets and grocery stores.



Food Service Providers: Provides food services to institutional, governmental, commercial, or industrial locations.



Wholesale Food Vendors: Receives, stores and prepares food for wholesale distribution to a retailer, warehouse, etc.

Tier 2 Generators Inspections Begin January 1, 2024



Large Venues: Serve 2,000 or more individuals per day.

Large Events: Charges an admission price, or is operated by a local agency and serves 2,000 or more individuals per day.



Restaurants: 250 or more seats, or a facility size equal to or greater than 5,000 square feet.



Hotels: With an on-site food facility and 200 or more rooms.



Health Facilities: With an on-site food facility and 100 or more beds.



Local Education Agencies: With an on-site food facility.



State Agency Cafeterias: 250+ seats or a total cafeteria size equal to or greater than 5,000 square feet.