## Recycling can save your business



- Generating less waste reduces your disposal costs.
- Efficient use and reuse of supplies and products reduces purchasing costs.
- You can get paid for certain recyclable materials if you have sufficient weight and volume.



Did you know that Americans make up only 5% of the world's population, but produce 20-30% of the world's garbage?

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# Recycling makes

## a TON

### of difference

You Can Too!

**Important Information for Local Businesses** 



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### Simple ways

### your business

### can make recycling a way of life

- Replace paper and Styrofoam goods with reusable items such as ceramic plates, cups, silverware and glasses.
- ☐ Make double sided copies.
- Locate blue recycling bins in your office for paper, glass, cans, cardboard, etc. next to waste bins.
  Post signage as to what can go in the recycle container.
- Establish purchasing guidelines favoring recycled-content goods and supplies.
- Reuse packaging materials such as cardboard boxes, foam peanuts, bubble wrap, etc.
- Return toner and ink jet cartridges for refilling and reuse.
- Drop off discarded electronic goods at E-waste recycling centers to avoid putting recoverable rare earth metals in landfills.
- If possible, design products to be reusable and recyclable.

State law AB 341 requires all cities in California to divert 75% of all waste from landfills by the year 2020. To achieve this goal, the law requires all businesses and multi-family residences of 5 units or more to recycle if they generate 4 cubic yards or more of waste per week. We are taking this very seriously. And so should you.

The Evolution of the waste can.







Your city and Los Angeles County need your help!



With recycling

we all

WIN!

Perhaps you already recycle. If so congratulations! If not, please contact us today to discuss this very important program. We provide recycling services for paper, cardboard, chipboard, aluminum cans and metals, beverage bottles, jars, plastics (types 1 – 5), Ewaste, pallets, green waste (yard trimmings), carpet, mattresses, and construction and demolition debris (lumber, drywall, electrical conduit, wire, pipe, plaster, asphalt, concrete, brick, rocks and dirt).



Remember — Waste reduction and recycling

□ Saves energy

□ Reduces greenhouse gases

□ Reduces disposal costs

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