MassDEP Commercial Organics Waste Disposal Ban

Effective November 1, 2022
Massachusetts businesses & institutions generating
one-half ton of food material per week are subject to this ban.

Easy & Cost-Effective Ways to Comply:

Prevent food waste by repurposing

Donate edible surplus

Separate food scraps for animal feed, anaerobic digestion, or composting

Contact RecyclingWorks in Massachusetts for help getting started:
recyclingworksma.com | (888) 254-5525 | info@recyclingworksma.com

Do you know how much food is in your trash?

CLICK HERE FOR ASSISTANCE

RecyclingWorks in Massachusetts is a recycling assistance program funded by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) that helps businesses and institutions reduce waste and maximize recycling, reuse, and food recovery opportunities.