

California State University, Sacramento



Proper Waste Sorting

3- Waste Stream Management Plan

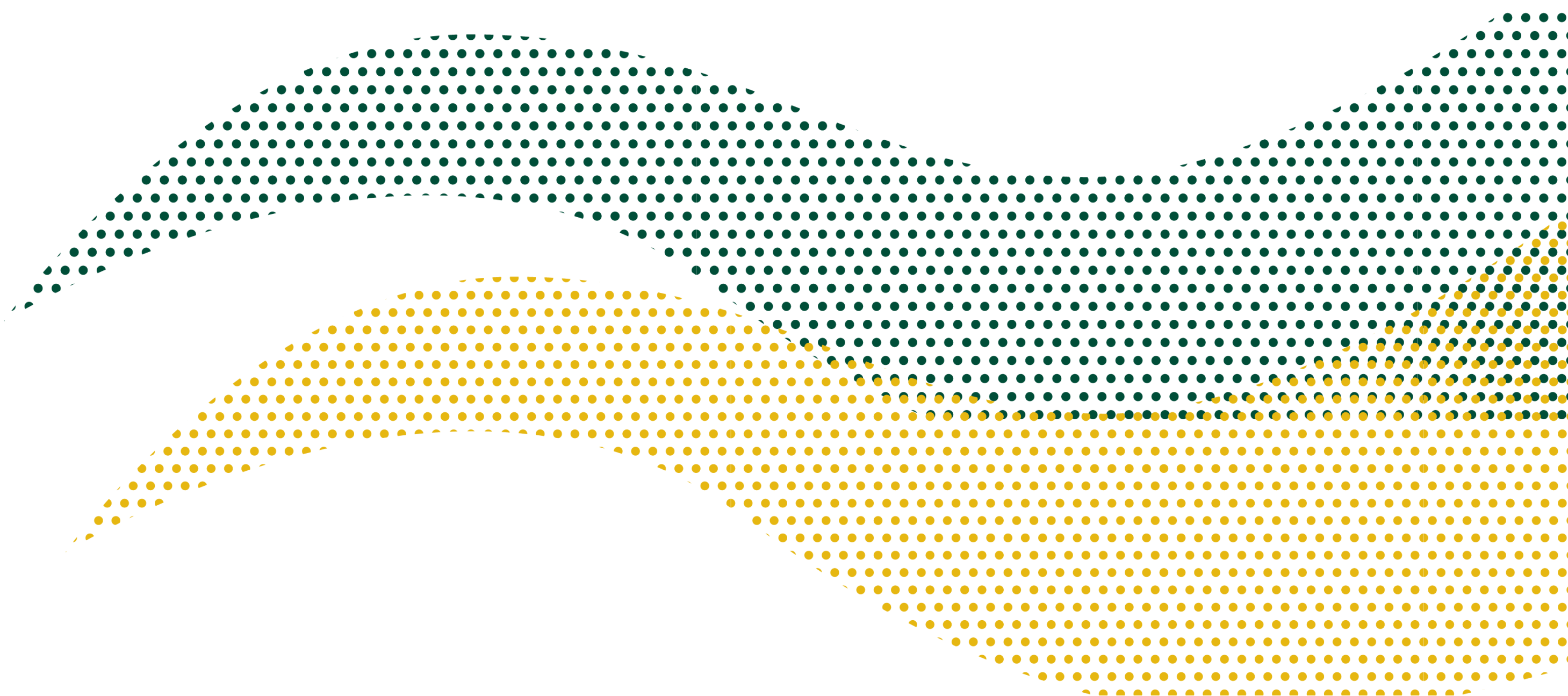


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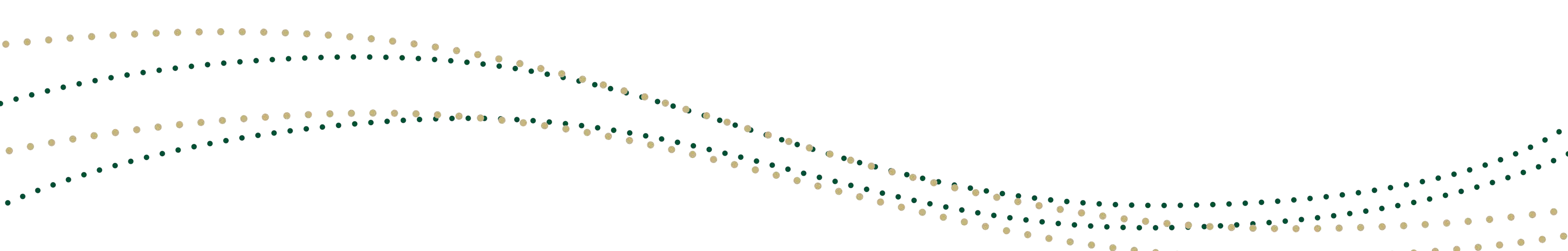


Introduction

Each year Californians throw out 6 million tons of waste, this waste creates harmful greenhouse gas emissions as it decomposes in landfills.

To comply with a statewide organics recycling mandate that went into effect on Jan. 1, 2022, Sacramento State has invested in three-stream recycling bins for campus-generated trash, mixed recyclables, and post-consumer food waste.

This document has been created as a guide regarding proper waste disposal at Sac State.



What Goes in the Recycling Bin

Paper products:

- Office Paper, Mail, and Envelopes
- Newspapers
- Paper Bags
- Cardboard Boxes (broken down)
- Magazines

Plastics Labeled 1 through 3:

- Bottles (beverage, condiment, etc.)
- Containers (detergent, shampoo, etc.)
- PVC (less than 1/2" thick)

Aluminum & Metal:

- Food & Beverage Cans
- Aerosol Cans (empty)
- Small Scrap Sheet Metal
- Metal Pots & Pans
- Clean Aluminum Foil

Glass:

- Glass Bottles & Jars of all colors



How to Properly Recycle at Sacramento State

Recycling should be clean, dry, empty, and loose (not bagged).

If bagging is necessary, only clear plastic bags are acceptable.

What is not recyclable

- No Plastic Bags
- No Film Plastics
- No Styrofoam
- No Food Scraps or Food-Soiled Paper



What Goes in the Compost Bin

Food Scraps (frozen, fresh, or spoiled):

- Meat & Bones
- Fruit
- Vegetables
- Bread & Pasta
- Egg Shells
- Dairy Products
- Coffee Grounds
- Seafood

Food-Soiled Paper:

- Coffee Filters
- Pizza Boxes
- Used Napkins
- Paper Take-Out Containers
- Tea Bags

Green Waste Organics:

- Floral Trimmings
- Branches & Stems
- Leaves & Grass
- Sawdust/Non-Painted Wood



How to Properly Compost at Sacramento State

If bagging is necessary use certified compostable bags or clear plastic bags only.

What is not compostable

- No Glass
- No Metal
- No Styrofoam
- No Plastic
- No Liquids
- No Grease or Oils



What Goes in the Landfill Bin

Non-Recyclable Paper:

- Laminated Items
- Carbon Paper & Photographs
- Padded Envelopes
- Vacuum Bags

Non-Recyclable Plastics:

- Plastic Bags
- Film Plastics & Plastic Wrap
- Snack Wrappers
- Straws
- Bubble Wrap

Non-Recyclable Glass:

- Ceramics & Dishware
- Mirrors
- Window or Tempered Glass
- Non-Fluorescent Light Bulbs

Other:

- Diapers
- Feminine Products
- Styrofoam
- Clothes Hangers
- Toothpaste Tubes
- Hoses & Tarps
- Sponges
- Rugs & Mats
- Shoes, Clothing, & Stuffed Animals
- Treated Wood
- Pet Waste



What Goes in the E-Waste Bin

What E-Waste can be recycled at Sac State

- Computers
- TVs
- Monitors & Screens
- Chargers
- Keyboards
- Video Games Consols & Controls
- Phones & Cellphones

What E-Waste is not accepted

- All Non-Electronic Waste
- All Batteries
- Techno Trash
- Lamps
- Microwave Ovens
- Solar Panels
- Radioactive Devices
- Household Appliances



E-Waste Recycling Program

E-Waste Recycling:

E-waste is a popular, informal name for electronic products nearing the end of their "useful life."



Additional Waste Programs

Confidential Shredding Recycling:

We provide and coordinate confidential shredding recycling across campus. For more information about this program please contact Laura Gonzalez at l.gonzalez-ospina@csus.edu

Hazardous Waste:

For more information on Hazardous Waste management across campus please contact Bob Hitmomi at hitomib@csus.edu.

Universal Waste:

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