



# Additional State Funding Opportunities: Funding for Healthy Food Systems

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# Short-Lived Climate Pollutants & SB 1383

- Organics disposal Goals:
  - Reduce methane emissions 40% by 2030
  - 50% reduction in disposal of organics by 2020 (from 2014 levels); 75% reduction by 2025
  - **20% reduction in disposal of edible food waste by 2025**
- CalRecycle Requirements
  - Adopt Regulations that may:
    - require jurisdictions to impose requirements on generators; authorize jurisdictions to impose penalties
    - include penalties on jurisdictions for noncompliance
    - requirements to meet the goal of 20% recovered edible food
  - Informal workshops 2017, formal rulemaking 2018
  - Regulation completed 2019, effective Jan 2022
  
  - Report in consultation with ARB to analyze progress by July 2020
    - Status of infrastructure, state funding, local rates
    - Progress in achieving goals, addressing regulatory and siting barriers
    - Status of markets

# CalRecycle Funding for Organics

- **Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund Grants**

- Cycle 2 (FY 16/17) - \$40 million mostly for organics
  - ~\$24M for organics infrastructure
    - \$12M Digestion Projects - \$4M max
    - \$12M Composting Projects - \$3M max (\$3M set aside for Rural Projects)
  - ~\$5 million for food waste prevention/rescue
  - 2 Workshops re: disadvantaged communities conducted in October
  - Tentative funding notices ~ December 2016

## CalRecycle Loans

- GGRF Loans ~\$7M available [Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund Loan Program](#)
- RMDZ Loans ~\$7M available [Recycling Market Development Zone Loan Program](#)

# Additional Funding Resources

Additional funding programs that food banks may be able to utilize:

- [State Loan Guarantee Program](#) California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank or IBank
- [California Capital Access Program](#) California Pollution Control Financing Authority
  - Small Business Success Story in [IBank's newsletter](#) - Hope of the Valley Rescue Mission receives funding via State Loan Guarantee Program.

CalRecycle's webpage on Food Rescue & Food Banks:

<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Organics/Food/Donation/>

# GHG Benefits of Food Rescue

**2.08 MTCO<sub>2</sub>e/Ton of Food Rescued**

- Air Resources Board Quantification Methodology

<https://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/capandtrade/auctionproceeds/quantification.htm>

- *Waste Diversion Grant and Loan Program [Quantification Methodology for FY 2015-16](#) (PDF)*
- [Waste Diversion GHG Emission Reduction Calculator for FY 2015-16](#) (.xlsx)

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