



\* Also known as the Sonoma County Waste Management Agency (SCWMA)

## EXEMPTION REQUEST FOR A BUSINESS, NON-PROFIT, OR MULTIFAMILY

Information on this report will not be disclosed except as required under the law

**This request pertains to (select one):**

- AB 341 (Recycling)       AB 1826 (Organics)       Both

**General information (must be filled out completely):**

Property name:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Business <input type="checkbox"/> Non-profit <input type="checkbox"/> Multifamily complex (Please list # of units _____ )		
Street address (No P.O. Boxes):		
City:	State:	Zip:
Mailing address (if different):		
City:	State:	Zip:
Contact name:	Phone number:	
Email address:		

**Reasons for exemption (Use all that apply and attach additional documentation as necessary):**

1. We use a drop-off or buy-back facility for  Recyclables  Organics  
*Please provide a description of the material, the amount generated each week (weight in pounds), as well as a contact name and phone number at the facility.*
  
2. Our regional distribution center disposes of our  Recyclables  Organics  
*Please provide a description of the material, the amount generated each week (weight in pounds), as well as a contact name and phone number at the center.*
  
3. A person or organization collects, at no cost, our  Recyclables  Organics  
*This includes food donations to people or animals. Please provide a description of the material, the amount generated each week (weight in pounds), the name and contact info of the collector, and any other documentation that may support your case.*

4. We use a shared container for our  Recyclables  Organics  
*Please describe the sharing arrangement/parties involved, description of the material, container size(s), and container location(s).*
  
5. There is insufficient space for storage or service of containers for  Recyclables  Organics  
*Please describe the set-up, reasons for lack of space, and attach pictures that may support your case. Follow-up and/or site visits may be required before an exemption is granted.*
  
6. We and/or our landscaping contractor(s) haul away our organic waste for composting.  
*Please provide a description of the material, the amount generated each week (weight in pounds), the contractor name and contact info (if applicable), and any other documentation that may support your case (e.g., compost facility receipt or landscaping contract).*
  
7. We compost our organic material on-site.  
*Please provide information on the type of materials being composted, a description of the compost pile location, the approximate amount of material added to the pile every week, and attach pictures to this form.*
  
8. The amount of organic waste material generated per week is less than a ½ cubic yard.  
*Please provide an explanation or description of the waste generated if it is not considered organic waste. A site-visit and/or follow-up may be required before an exemption is granted.*

I declare that I, the owner or property manager or their designee, have read this document and that the facts stated herein are true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that by submitting this form, I am subject to an annual site visit from City or County staff to confirm the facts provided above.

Signature (digital ID accepted)

Date

**Please submit completed forms by email or postal mail to:**

Sonoma Garbage Collectors  
sonomagarbage@gmail.com  
P.O. Box 400, El Verano, CA 95433