

# SB 1383

## Reducing Short-Lived Climate Pollutants in California



An Overview of SB 1383's  
Organic Waste Reduction  
Requirements



# CLIMATE CHANGE NEGATIVELY IMPACTS CALIFORNIA

**Landfilled Organic Waste Emits Methane Gas—**

**A Super Pollutant  
More Powerful than CO<sub>2</sub>**

**CALIFORNIA DISPOSED  
APPROXIMATELY 27  
MILLION TONS OF  
ORGANIC WASTE IN  
2017**

**CALIFORNIA THROWS AWAY  
MORE THAN 6 MILLION TONS  
OF FOOD WASTE EVERY YEAR!**

**IN CALIFORNIA, MILLIONS ARE  
FOOD INSECURE**

**1 IN 8 CALIFORNIANS**

**1 IN 5 CHILDREN**



**CALIFORNIA**  
is already experiencing  
the impacts of  
**CLIMATE CHANGE**

IN 2015 THE DROUGHT COST THE  
AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY IN THE  
CENTRAL VALLEY AN ESTIMATED  
\$2.7 BILLION & 20,000 JOBS



# SB 1383 REQUIREMENTS

2022

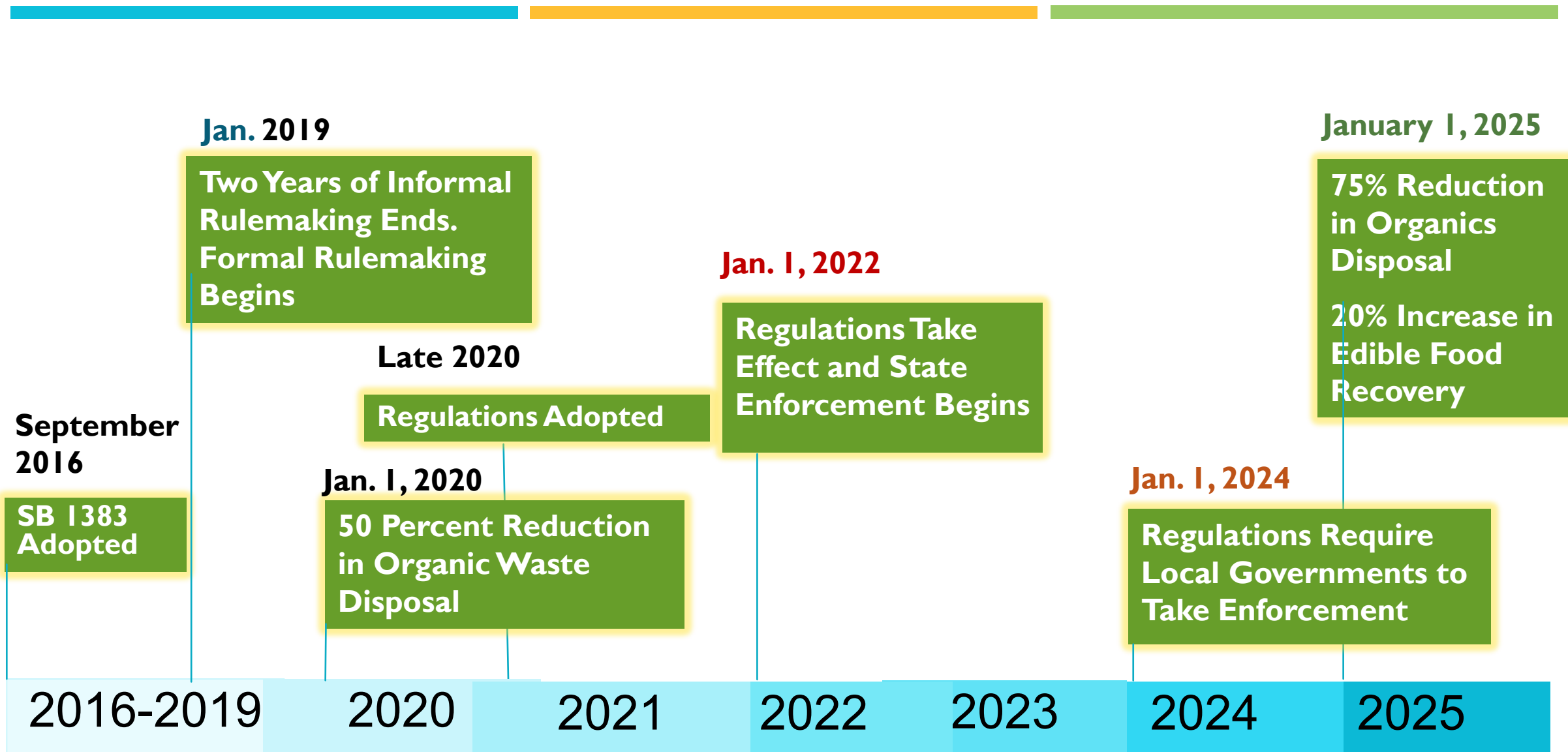
- REGULATIONS TAKE EFFECT

2025

- 75% REDUCTION IN LANDFILLED ORGANIC WASTE
- (5.7 Million Tons Allowed Organic Waste Disposal)

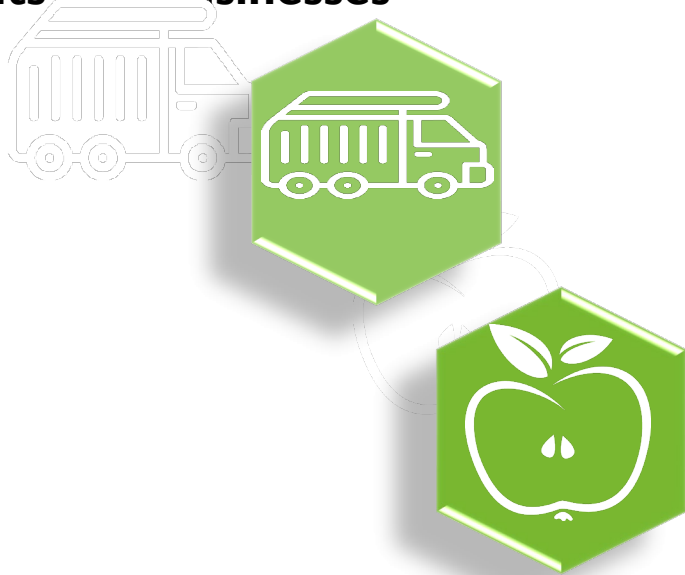
2025

20% INCREASE IN RECOVERY OF CURRENTLY  
DISPOSED EDIBLE FOOD



# JURISDICTION RESPONSIBILITIES

**Provide Organics  
Collection Services to All  
Residents and Businesses**



**Establish Edible Food  
Recovery Program**

**Conduct Education and  
Outreach to Community**



**Procure Recyclable and  
Recovered Organic Products**

**Secure Access to Recycling  
and Edible Food Recovery  
Capacity**



**Monitor Compliance and  
Conduct Enforcement**

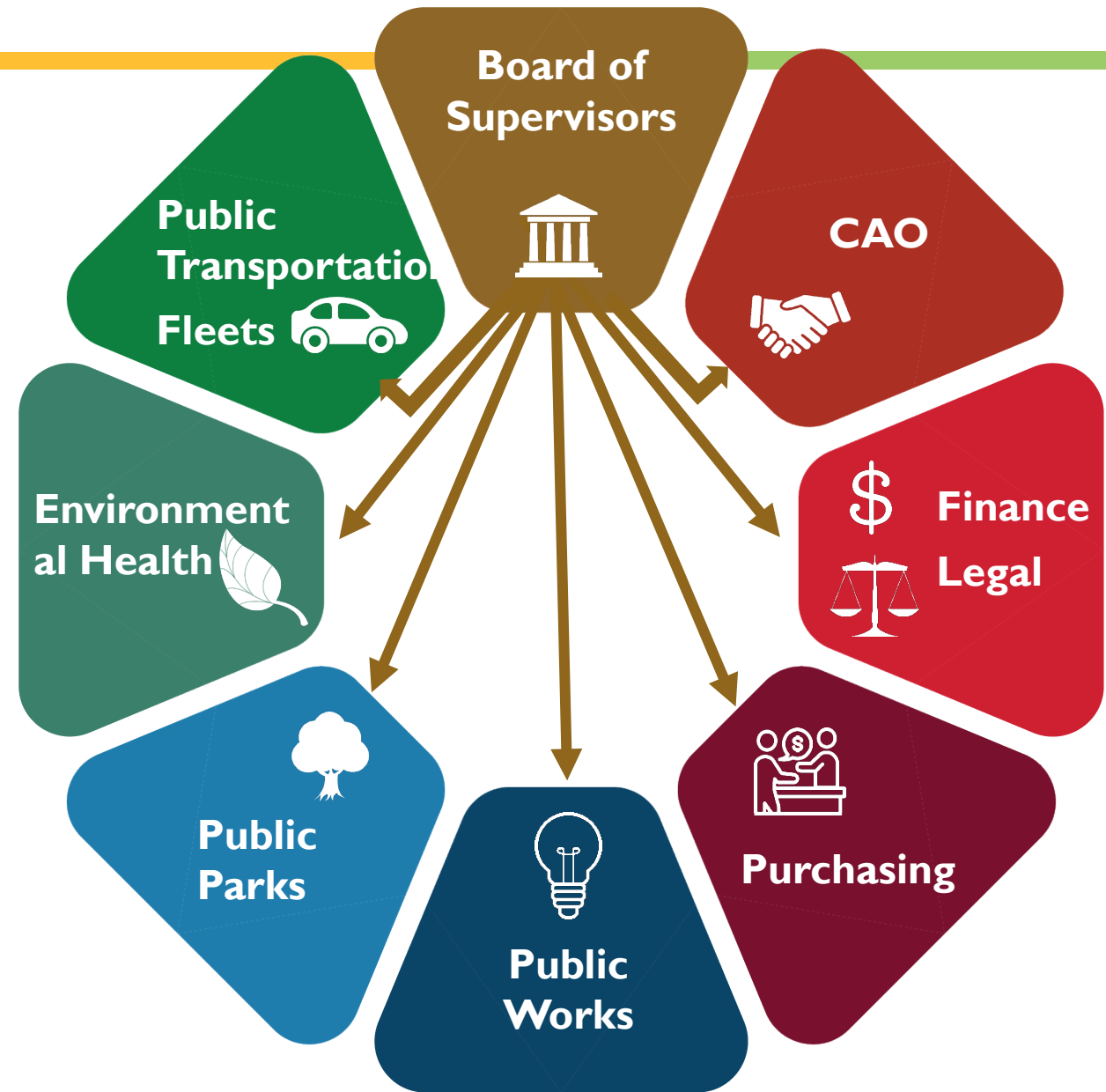


## SB 1383 IN ACTION

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

**SB 1383** doesn't just  
apply to waste  
management and  
recycling departments.

**Every local  
department plays a  
role in SB 1383  
implementation.**



# CURRENT STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION

- Monthly meetings with ZWS and jurisdiction staff
- Development of MOU – delegates SB 1383 responsibilities
- Implement waste characterization study in Spring
- Mailed information to commercial and multi-family early Feb
  - Commercial letter in June/July
  - Residential information through hauler newsletter (Q2 or Q3)
- Procurement target: 6,809 tons compost or 11,734 tons mulch per year, or a combination
  - Direct service provider option
- Applied for CalRecycle Food Recovery grant (2 year grant term)

# FUNDING IMPACTS

**Compost  
Procurement  
(\$391,300 -  
\$510,650/year)**

**Food Recovery  
Capacity  
Expansion**

**Staff Time  
(meetings,  
reporting,  
ordinances)**

**Franchised  
Hauler  
Customer Rate  
Increases**

**Enforcement of  
Regulations**



# JURISDICTION ACTIONS - JAN 1, 2022 DEADLINE

- Organics collection service for all residential and commercial generators (franchise agreement amendments)
- Mandatory Service Ordinance Required by CalRecycle
  - Up to 10,300 customers will be required to subscribe to collection service
  - Organics Only Service?
- Enforcement ordinance
- All generators notified about SB 1383 requirements
- Sign MOU – between ZWS and all 10 jurisdictions



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