



Zero Waste Commission

**FISCAL YEAR 2025-26 WORK PLAN**

The following goals and activities have been identified for fiscal year 2025-26:

Goal	Resources	Program Activities	Outputs	Outcomes
Development of Zero Waste Strategic Plan	Consulting team, City staff	Various public presentations and workshops.  Distribute information to increase public input.	Recommendations to Council as needed.	Support for the development of a comprehensive, detailed strategic plan to achieve City's zero waste goals.
Compliance with SB1383-- Food Recovery and Organics Diversion	City staff, community partners	Continue updates from staff, explore community compost opportunities, invite community partners and related resources to discuss their efforts with Commission.	Recommendations to Council as needed.	Help in achieving compliance with SB1383 requirements and to promote local resiliency.
Strengthening existing and adopting new zero waste ordinances	City Staff, consulting team, Ecology Center, UC Berkeley/ Cal Zero Waste, BUSD	Through sub committees and then the commission as a whole, evaluate and recommend ways to strengthen existing City ordinances and to adopt new ones that further efforts to achieve zero waste goals.	Recommendations to Council as needed.	Support for strengthened and new zero waste ordinances.

<p>Review and assessment of accepted materials: Inclusion or exclusion in City collection services</p>	<p>City staff, Urban Ore, CCC, Ecology Center, CAW, NCRA, CPSC, StopWaste, Others</p>	<p>Presentations at ZWC by community partners, specialists. Review list of accepted materials, and recommend changes, if any.</p>	<p>Commission on feedback.</p>	<p>To help Council have an accurate understanding of City's collection services and the extent to which they align with the City's goals.</p>
<p>Review of regional and State proposed legislation</p>	<p>City Staff, Californians Against Waste, California Product Stewardship Council, Northern California Recycling Association</p>	<p>Presentations by outside organizations to help ZWC track and understand proposed legislation, for the purpose of advising Council.</p>	<p>Recommendations to Council as needed.</p>	<p>To help establish effective, fiscally prudent laws that support City's zero waste goals</p>