

WHEN POSSIBLE

DO NOT USE:

- Plastic bags
- Expanded polystyrene (Styrofoam™) items



- Plastic utensils, stir stick or straws

- Disposable decorations, including balloons
- Pre-packaged goodie bags or individually wrapped promotional items



- Ensure that all vendors/display table participants are aware of Elk Grove's requirements to separate Recyclables and Organics for recycling.

Feel free to send the event guidelines pdf to all vendors and participants.



EDIBLE FOOD REQUIREMENTS

Per California's Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Reduction Strategy (SB1383), certain large events* will be required to donate leftover edible food generated by event food vendors.

*"Large event" means an event, including, but not limited to, a sporting event or a flea market, that charges an admission price, or is operated by a local agency, and serves an average of more than 2,000 individuals per day of operation of the event, at a location that includes, but is not limited to, a public, nonprofit, or privately owned park, parking lot, golf course, street system, or other open space when being used for an event.

The City of Elk Grove RECYCLING & WASTE EVENT GUIDELINES

Resources Inside



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Provide Recycle, Organics and Garbage for Event

- Subscribe to waste collection service sufficient to contain the waste generated by your event.
- Provide waste stations in convenient locations for recycle, organics, and garbage separated by event employees, vendors, and attendees.
- No standalone containers are permitted.
- Remove or cover all public litter cans throughout event area so they can't be used.

Employ Zero Waste Purchasing Practices

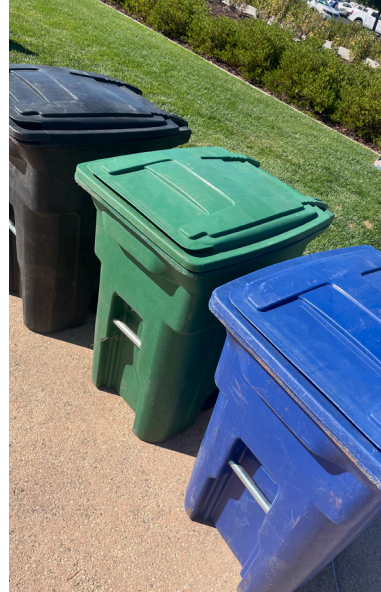
- Use reusable, recyclable or compostable containers.
- Provide condiments (e.g., sugar, ketchup, mustard, salad dressing) in bulk instead of in individual packages and servings.
- Limit single-use water bottles. **Note: these bottles are prohibited at City sponsored events.**



Waste Station Guidelines

Recycle, organics, and garbage containers must be placed directly beside each other. If possible, provide waste station monitors to ensure proper sorting.

Place containers side-by-side in same order for each station (example: blue, green, black). Place waste stations in visible, high traffic areas that do not conflict with the Fire Marshall's requirements (i.e., entrances, exits, bathrooms, etc.). Use appropriate signage on all waste station containers.



Scan this code to Download and Print Posters for display above waste station containers



↓ reduce

↻ reuse

♻️ recycle

🌱 rot