

We would like to take a few quick minutes to share and highlight some programs that help residents keep the County clean and sustainable while we wait for people to join this breakout session. You can find information on these programs on our CLEAN LA website, information such as:

- Upcoming Smart Gardening webinars
- A list of Household Hazardous Waste/Electronic Waste Collection sites and events
- Information regarding School Programs
- Mattress/tire recycling events
- Illegal Dumping information- To report illegal dumping please call 888-8DUMPING (888-838-6746)
- Graffiti Abatement information- please report it to our hotline at 800-675-Help (4357).
- Please visit CleanLA.com or call (888) CLEAN-LA for assistance.



We will now review the specifics as they relate to UWS Garbage Disposal District customers.



The purpose of the County's ordinance is not only to comply with State law but to keep organic waste out of landfills to reduce methane emissions and the impact of climate change.

The ordinance will require everyone to have organic waste collection service unless a waiver is granted, The ordinance will also establish requirements for self-hauling, self-haulers, edible food recovery organizations, food recovery and donation requirements, as well as allowing the County the ability to inspect or request records for proof of compliance.

The ordinance will establish the process for enforcing compliance requirements, which during the first 2 years will consist of monitoring, education, assistance, and correction notices to persons not complying.

Beginning in 2024, after 2 years of implementation, notices not corrected may result in penalties.



As mentioned, the ordinance will require residents, business, and/or property owners in unincorporated LA County to maintain organic waste collection service from their hauler. Each waste hauler could potentially have slight differences to the service they provide and types of organic waste they accept in the container.

You also have the option of self-management of your organic waste. This means that you could manage your organic waste on-site such as backyard composting for residents or in-vessel composting for businesses.

It also means that you could self-haul your organic waste to an organic waste processing facility.

Additionally, businesses and multi-family property owners are responsible for providing educational material to tenants or employees to ensure they comply with maintaining organic waste collection service.



Residents will maintain their 3 bins,

Green for yard waste, blue for recycling, and black for garbage/trash as well as organics waste.

UWS will be taking the trash contents to a high diversion processing facility where food and other organic waste will be extracted from the trash instead of being disposed in a landfill.

The extracted organic waste will then be sent to an anaerobic digestion facility where the gases generated are fully captured and converted into energy or fuels.

<u>There will be no change in the way waste is collected or the way you treat your organic waste.</u>

Outreach and Compliance



The County will continue to provide on-going information through platforms such as notices, flyers, websites and social media posts.

The County is here to help support residents and businesses in the unincorporated County areas to make sure you understand your role in order to help make organic waste collection a success

Next Steps	
Effective January 2022 November 2021 Ordinanc approved the Board of Superv	Monitoring and Notices Site Visits & Workshops by
8	Public Works City of Malibu

Review timeline of next steps

In summary, we hope that you see the importance of proper organic waste management, the major benefit to the environment and reducing our impact on climate change.



This is the contact information for Jose Gutierrez, Program Manager and Arlene Serrato, the Contract Administrator for Malibu GDD. Feel free to reach out to us with any questions or concerns. We have also included Universal Waste Systems website and customer service line should you have any questions or concerns for them.



Now we will open up the questions and answers part of this presentation.

Thank you for joining us for this virtual meeting. Your engagement is very important.