

CT Recycling Requirements

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CT Recycling Law

CT recycling law has been in place for almost 30 years

- **First 20 years:** Established recycling law, with few changes.
- **Last 10 years:** Significant changes have occurred
- See DEEP Webpage “ [Recycling ... It’s the Law!](#) ”

Public Act 10-87 (Expansion & Clarification of CT Recycling Requirements)	Commercial Organics Recycling Law Recycling of Source Separated Organics (CGS Sec. 22a-226e)
Public Act 11-24 (Paint Stewardship Law)	Public Act 13-42 (Mattress Stewardship Law)
Public Act 13-285 (An Act Concerning Recycling & Jobs)	Public Act 14-94 (An Act Concerning CT's Recycling & Materials Management Strategy...)



Key Recycling Laws

CGS Section 22a-241b(c): Every person who generates solid waste from a residential property shall... separate from other solid waste the items designated for recycling...

CGS Section 22a-241b(d): Every person who generates solid waste from a property other than a residential property shall... make provisions and cause the separation from other solid waste the items designated for recycling...

CGS Section 22a-241b(e): No person shall knowingly combine previously segregated designated recyclable items with other solid waste.

CGS Section 22a-241l(b): Each contract... for the collection of solid waste shall make provisions for the collection of designated recyclable items, either by providing for the collection of designated recyclable items by the same collector... or by including identification of the collector with whom such contract exists.



Website Resources-Recycling Enforcement

- Recycle homepage

[General Information on Recycling in Connecticut](#)

- Recycling...It's the Law!

[Recycling Its the Law \(ct.gov\)](#)

- Business Recycling Assistance

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