



# MANDATORY RECYCLING LAW!

Athens has implemented programs to help your City achieve the waste reduction mandates set by California's newest waste management law, AB 341, which mandates that businesses with more than 4 cubic yards per week of service and apartment buildings of 5 or more units have a recycling program in place effective July 1, 2012.

The **GOOD NEWS** is that this new legislation will not result in any changes on your part which will continue to **SAVE YOU TIME, EFFORT and NO ADDITIONAL COST!** You **do not** need to sort out your Recyclables from the rest of your waste stream. Your entire waste stream is currently transported to the Athens Material Recovery Facility where your recyclable materials (over 30 items) are retrieved from the trash and diverted away from local landfills. **The existing program qualifies as the highest level of recycling and is compliant with AB 341 fulfilling your state mandated obligation.**

**This waste collection and recycling program is the most environmentally sensitive and efficient program available because it reduces the number of trucks on your streets. It also saves you time, money and helps to keep your city CLEAN and ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE!**

## The Athens Advantage:

- You will not need any additional containers.
- You will not need to sort any materials.
- You will have no additional cost.
- Please refer to the storyboard below for a more detailed explanation of the program.



Trash collected is dumped onto the Tipping floor and moved with heavy



equipment onto the Walking Floors toward the processing equipment



where employees and machines will sort out the recyclables.



Once sorted, recyclable materials are moved via conveyor



to the massive baler, where they are prepared



for shipment to foreign and domestic markets.

**NOTE: If you have a large quantity of recyclable material(s), and are willing to sort the material(s), you may qualify to be paid for the materials!**

**Please call us for a FREE WASTE STREAM ANALYSIS!**

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