



ORGANICS

Recycling

NEWSLETTER



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Featured Recycling Customer

MOONSTAR BUFFET

383 Gellart Blvd, Daly City
(650) 992-2888
www.moonstarbuffet.com



Daisy Li, Moonstar Buffet

Moonstar Buffet is best known for its offering of tantalizing seafood dishes, upscale atmosphere and affordable prices. Moonstar also prides itself on being an environmental steward by composting and recycling the majority of the total waste it produces.

Behind the scenes, the owners and staff of Moonstar work hard to divert as much recycling as possible, a large component of this being food waste (organics). Daisy Li, owner of Moonstar Buffet, is no stranger to organics recycling, having participated in the City of San Francisco organics program for several years.

"Encouraging my employees to get on board with organics recycling was easy. It's beneficial for both our restaurant and the environment," said Ms. Li.

Kitchen waste such as seafood shells, bones, fruits and vegetables and rice are all accepted organics recycling materials. The staff simply stores these items in a separate container which is then emptied into an outdoor recycling bin. Allied Waste Services collects the bin twice per week, making a significant dent in the amount of trash Moonstar would ordinarily generate.

Because a large portion of food deliveries arrive in waxed cardboard containers, Ms. Li recently added an additional organics container from Allied Waste dedicated just for this item (although it is acceptable to mix waxed cardboard with other organics recycling).

Organics Recycling Program Participants



Sizzler Daly City



Sizzler Colma



Outback Steakhouse

Pacific Supermarket

Celia's Mexican Restaurant

Koi Palace

Moonstar Buffet

"I like the keep the waxed cardboard separate from the wet material to reduce any odors it may cause. This will also keep my neighbors happy!"

Moonstar Buffet is one of the first restaurants in Daly City to lead the way in organics recycling. Not only does recycling more reduce the impact of trash bills to the bottom line, it also sets an excellent standard that combining great service with sustainability ensures a successful business.

Why participate in Daly City's Organics Program

- **Cost savings by better management of disposal costs.**
- **Better for the environment – divert waste from landfills and turns organic waste into useful by-products, such as soil amendments and fertilizers.**
- **Assists the City of Daly City to meet the State's waste diversion requirements.**
- **Restaurants can recycle more than 76% of their waste by joining this program.**
- **Free assistance is offered to make your program a success (bins, staff training, newsletters, follow-ups and more).**
- **Help the City of Daly City meet their best management practices for food and waste handling.**

If you're interested in discussing organics recycling at your business, please contact Allied Waste Services today at (650) 756-1130 for a free waste audit and a customized diversion program.



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ACCEPTABLE ORGANICS ITEMS FOR RECYCLING

Composting for Business

Acceptable items for Recycling...

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

DAIRY PRODUCTS & BREADS

MEAT & SEAFOOD including bones and shells

WAXED CARDBOARD

YARD TRIMMINGS & CLEAN WOOD

Not Accepted

**No plastic,
glass,
metal,
non-
waxed
cardboard,
or food
soiled
paper**



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