

## Recycling Dividends Program and Small Scale Initiatives : Approved Expenses

<p><b>Beyond the Bin</b></p> <p><b>Closing The Loop</b>  <a href="https://www.mass.gov/service-details/find-a-switestatewide-contract-user-guide">https://www.mass.gov/service-details/find-a-switestatewide-contract-user-guide</a></p>	<p>Transportation and/or processing costs for recycling materials listed in <b>RDP CHARM</b></p> <p>Post-consumer Recycled Content Products from <a href="#">state contracts</a>, limited to \$2000 per year. Grantee must confirm recycled content.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o FAC104 Landscaping, Green Roof Products, Playground Equipment, Site Amenities</li> <li>o FAC88 Lawns &amp; Grounds, Equipment, Parts and Services</li> <li>o FAC100 Building Maintenance, Repair &amp; Operations, Supplies and Tools</li> <li>o OFF45 Art and Instructional School Supplies</li> <li>o OFF47 Office Supplies, Recycled Paper and Envelopes</li> <li>o OFF38 Office, School and Library Furniture</li> <li>o OFF44 Print, Copy &amp; Mail Services, and Printed Promotional Products</li> <li>o VEH96 OEM &amp; NON-OEM Motorized Vehicle Parts, Refined Motor Oil, Lubricants</li> </ul>
<p><b>Equipment</b></p>	<p>Recycling carts/recycling bins          Roll-off containers, compactors, balers          Equipment for collection/recycling of hard to recycle materials  <a href="#">FAC87/FAC113</a> Recycling Containers, Compost Bins and Rain Barrels</p>
<p><b>Model Programming</b></p>	<p>Dedicated Enforcement Coordinator          Recycling Coordinator salary          Project-based temporary staffing          Pre-approved site improvements to recycling drop-off locations          Regional recycling hauling and/or processing bid development from <a href="#">state contracts</a> PRF 61 &amp; PRF 67;          solid waste and recycling consultants through PRF67          PAYT program costs including bags, stickers, additional staff.</p>
<p><b>Organics Diversion</b></p>	<p>Compost bins and screeners; kitchen scrap buckets          Organics carts for curbside collection          Organics containers to support drop-off program          Organics collection          Organics program development costs for a new diversion program</p>
<p><b>Other</b></p>	<p>Other expenses as approved in writing by MassDEP in advance of the expense. Includes recycling processing costs over \$50 per ton, composting equipment and items/activities not identified on this list.</p>
<p><b>Outreach &amp; Education</b></p>	<p>Waste reduction and/or outreach and education materials, signs, mailings (and applicable postage costs), Conferences and memberships (\$750 per year)          Training costs, waste-audits, waste characterization studies, recycling market publications, etc.          Educational speaker fees (solid waste and recycling topics)          Waste collection mobile applications and fees, newspaper ads, PSAs.</p>
<p><b>Public Spaces</b></p>	<p>Public space/outdoor event recycling containers</p>
<p><b>Reuse</b></p>	<p>Establishing and/or maintaining a municipally operated swap-shop          \$5,000 annually on municipally owned Things/Tool Libraries (\$1,000 annually for third-party owned)          \$4,000 annually for municipally located Repair Events (excluding food/refreshments)          Reuse events</p>
<p><b>Schools</b></p>	<p>School recycling and composting: stipend for coordinating school-wide or district-wide recycling/composting program; dishwasher          School composting: collection and processing costs          School recycling and composting: equipment to support source reduction, recycling, composting</p>
<p><b>Source Reduction</b></p>	<p>Specific source reduction purchases: reusable tray and silverware for cafeterias, reusable shopping bags or reusable water bottles, installed water filling stations</p>
<p><b>Toxics Reduction</b></p>	<p>HHW collection event costs, drop-off or mobile pickup events. <a href="#">FAC110</a> is available as a resource.          School chemical cleanouts          Environmentally Preferred Products <a href="#">FAC85</a>, Categories 1-7</p>