

**City of Los Angeles 70% Diversion Strategy PRELIMINARY DRAFT**

**Table 1**

<b>Program Number</b>	<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Start Year</b>	<b>Quantity of Targeted Materials in Specified Sectors of City's Waste Stream, Tons</b>	<b>Percent That Can Reasonably Be Diverted</b>	<b>Quantity That Can Reasonably Be Diverted</b>	<b>Percentage Diverted of Overall Citywide Waste Generation Amount</b>
1	City Department Source Reduction	2001	296,448	5%	14,822	0.22%
2	General Services Dept. - Packaging	2001	89,000	10%	8,900	0.13%
3	Promote Packaging Legislation	ongoing	1,060,308	1%	10,603	0.15%
4	Thrift shop partnership	2001	not used in calcs.	not used in calcs.	53,213	0.77%
5	Park Donation	2001	not used in calcs.	not used in calcs.	1,000	0.01%
6	Second Chance Week	ongoing	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	Residential Vermiculture	2002	107,057	2%	2,141	0.03%
8	Residential Blue Cart-add'l capture	2002	223,824	20%	44,765	0.65%
9	Residential Blue Cart-add'l materials	2003	77,774	25%	19,444	0.28%
10	Residential Black Cart to MRF	2002	N/A	N/A	10,000	0.15%
11	Residential Yard Trimmings Increase	2001-2002	204,004	10%	20,400	0.30%
12	Multi-Family Recycling	2002-2010	337,885	1%	3,379	0.05%
13	Commercial Education and Outreach	2001-ongoing	413,785	30%	124,136	1.80%
14	Commercial Yard Trimmings	2002	78,033	25%	19,508	0.28%
15	Commercial Food Waste	2003	234,759	20%	46,952	0.68%
16	LAX/Hyperion Food Waste	2001	17,000	100%	17,000	0.25%
17	Assistance and Outreach for C&D	2001	436,000	N/A	100,000	1.45%
18	Bulky Item	ongoing	204,644	calculated	17,556	0.25%
19	Electronics/Computer Recycling Pilot	2000	12,089	28%	3,385	0.05%
20	Biosolids	2001	310,250	100%	310,250	4.50%
21	Commercial Material Recovery Facility(ies)	2004-2010	936,000	30%	280,800	4.07%
	<b>Total</b>				<b>1,108,254</b>	<b>16.08%</b>

Note: The City of Los Angeles expects to surpass a 50% diversion rate for 2000.

The City will need an additional 14%-18% to achieve its goal of 70% by 2020.

The City will continue and increase source reduction programs such as grasscycling, home composting and xeriscaping which may not result in an increased diversion rate but follow the State's waste diversion hierarchy.