



S.C. Smart Business Recycling Program Awards Application 2020

The S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control's (DHEC) S.C. Smart Business Recycling Program would like to recognize businesses, restaurants, hotels, motels, bars, non-profits, institutions, industries and other organizations in South Carolina that implement recycling and other sustainability programs to reduce their environmental impact.

If you would like your organization to be considered for recognition, please complete this application and submit recycling activities to the "S.C. Solid Waste Management Annual Report." Winners will be notified in September 2020. The application must include activities that took place in fiscal year (FY) 2020 (July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020).

Your organization also may be featured as a recycling success story on the S.C. Smart Business Recycling Program website. For more details, please visit www.scdhec.gov/smartbusiness. Please email this completed application and any attachments to smartbiz@dhec.sc.gov.

NOTICE! The DEADLINE to submit this application is September 30, 2020. Questions? Call 1-800-768-7348.

SECTION 1: BUSINESS AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Name of Business:

Type of Business:

Give a brief description of your business.

Number of Employees:

County of Business:

Contact Person:

Telephone:

Email:

SECTION 2: RECYCLING PROGRAM DATA

1. What materials are collected for recycling at your organization?

2. Do you generate revenue from the sale of materials?

Yes No

3. What waste reduction activities do you practice?

4. Describe how your organization has incorporated purchasing recycled-content products into its procurement practices.

5. Have you seen decreases in waste disposal costs due to your waste reduction and recycling activities?

Yes No

6. If yes, how much money have you saved?

7. Describe any education or incentive programs that have been put in place for your employees.

8. Describe any other sustainable efforts your organization has put into practice.

9. If possible, explain how your organization has reached out to the community to share its waste reduction and recycling efforts.

10. Have you reduced disposal costs through waste reduction/recycling activities?

Yes No

11. If Yes, please share cost savings information.

12. Did you report your recycling activities to your county or to DHEC for FY20?

Yes No

13. Does your business have on site food preparation, cafeteria or canteen?

Yes No

14. Describe how your business has incorporated food waste reduction techniques into your practices.

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INSTRUCTIONS

SECTION 1: Business and Contact Information

- **Name of Business:** Provide the name of the company applying for the award.
- **Type of Business:** Provide the type of business applying for the award (e.g., commercial, industrial, institutional).
- **Give a brief description of your business.** Provide a brief description of your business activities.
- **Number of Employees:** Please include the number of employees from the building reporting the information or the total number of those participating in the recycling program.
- **Business Location (by county):** Provide the physical address of your business including the county.
- **Contact Person:** Provide the name of the person completing the application.

SECTION 2: Recycling Program Data

These questions should be answered in order to be considered for a S.C. Smart Business Recycling Program award. The questions should be answered to the best of your ability. The answers to these questions must be based on data collected for Fiscal Year 2020 (June 30, 2019 to July 1, 2020) and submitted along with your "S.C. Solid Waste Management Annual Report" data.

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