



RESOURCE STEWARDSHIP

USE MORE. WASTE LESS. CREATE GREATER IMPACT.

A CORE APPROACH TO REDUCING WASTE AND CREATING VALUE



CONNECT

Build strong relationships across the supply chain to improve communication, planning, and resource flow.



OPTIMIZE

Improve efficiency through smarter procurement, production, and inventory systems.



RECOVER

Capture value from underutilized resources through repurposing, redistribution, and nutrient recovery.



ELEVATE

Generate measurable economic, social, and environmental benefits for communities and ecosystems.

FOOD WASTE BY THE NUMBERS

Nearly one-third of food produced for human consumption is lost or wasted.



Wasted food wastes resources like land, water, energy, and labor.



Food waste contributes to greenhouse gas emissions and climate change.



Reducing waste strengthens local economies and improves food access.

TURNING WASTE INTO VALUE



SOURCING

Responsible procurement from producers who share our values.



PREPARE

Careful preparation and production to maximize yield and quality.



RECOVER

Use every part. Repurpose byproducts into stocks, sauces, and value-added products.



REDISTRIBUTE

Share surplus food through donations and community partnerships.



REGENERATE

Return nutrients to the earth through composting and regenerative practices.



LESS WASTE



LOWER COSTS



STRONGER COMMUNITIES



HEALTHIER ECOSYSTEMS

RESOURCE UTILIZATION MATTERS

Percent of material effectively recycled or composted instead of landfilled.



Louisiana has an extremely low statewide recycling and composting rate, hovering around 4% to 5% for common household materials (including paper, plastics, glass, and metal). This means that 95% or more of these recyclable materials are sent to landfills.

4–5%

STATEWIDE RECYCLING & COMPOSTING RATE

95%+

SENT TO LANDFILLS

623,000

TONS OF RECYCLABLES
LOST TO LANDFILLS
EVERY YEAR

OUR COMMITMENT

The Coastal Commons Resource Stewardship Program is designed to create circular systems that benefit producers, businesses, communities, and the coast.



Increase profitability



Strengthen communities



Reduce food waste



Build a more
resilient future



Support coastal restoration

Stewarding resources today for a thriving world tomorrow.

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