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The Bureau of Sanitation has proposed changes in the City's commercial and multi-family waste collection in order to achieve a number of significant goals, including greater safety, oversight, accountability and quality of life in the City's efforts to reach a Zero Waste future.

Given the geographical dispersion of the waste collection, sorting, and diversion process due to business, transportation, safety, and environmental requirements, it is important that the City's proposed commercial and multi-family waste collection system ensure that its goals are met and that those results are verifiable, irrespective of the local jurisdiction where the waste is handled.

We, therefore, instruct the Bureau of Sanitation to include in its Report to the Council on the proposed new system for commercial and multi-family property waste, to have a requirement that future LA City commercial and multifamily waste franchise-holders take the City's "non-source separated" commercial and multifamily waste only to certified processing facilities; and that those facilities be certified by the Board of Public Works to ensure maximum diversion in service pursuant to AB 939 and AB 341 requirements.



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