



Auraria
Sustainable
Campus
Program

April 2023 Waste Report

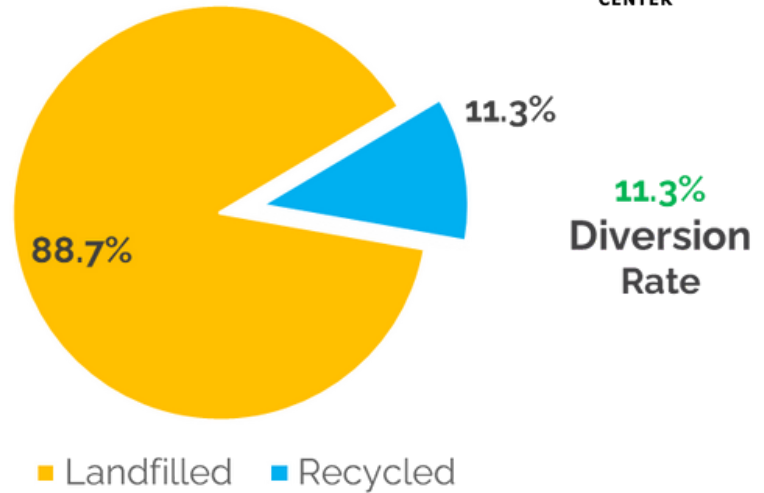


This month we had:

- 182,628** lbs of total waste
- 161,953** lbs were landfilled
- 20,675** lbs were recycled
- 30** lbs were recycled with H2R*
- 0** lbs were composted**

*Specialty items accepted by the ASCP

**Compost services temporarily put on hold due to new state-wide restrictions; we are working on a solution as fast as possible



Watch this Space:

The Auraria Sustainable Campus Program has temporarily placed front-of-house compost services on hold due to the new, state-wide restrictions on compost collection (see the press release on the right). Our team still offers back-of-house composting to campus food vendors. We are working around the clock to provide the Auraria Campus with a comprehensive composting service as soon as possible. Stay tuned!

A1 Organics Press Release

Effective April 1, 2023, accepted materials in residential and commercial compost collection will be limited to:

- ONLY food scraps
- ONLY yard / plant trimmings
- ONLY 3 gallon certified (CMA Approved) compostable bags used to collect food scraps

Did you know...



During Earth Week, the ASCP gave away 256 free menstrual cups and facilitated a clothing swap that rehomed 473 pounds of donated clothing!

Environmental Impacts

We avoided **15.9** metric tons of GHG through our waste diversion efforts.

Or the equivalent to:



2.0 homes' yearly energy use



40,968 miles driven by passenger vehicles



18.9 acres of forest sequestering carbon