

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT
COUNTY SOURCE REDUCTION (SR) CREDIT SUMMARY
For Calendar Year 2023

The number of shaded boxes illustrates the number of positive responses for each activity. A column does not correspond to any particular county. Each county had a unique combination of SR activities undertaken during the year. The credits awarded are summarized below:

- Counties (Anne Arundel, Baltimore County, Baltimore City, Charles, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Midshore, Montgomery, Prince George's,) received the full 5% credit.
- Counties (Carroll, Cecil,) received 4% credit.
- Counties () received 3% credit.
- Counties (St. Mary's) received 2% credit.
- Counties (Calvert) received 1% credit.

Part 1 – Yard Trimmings source reduction credit checklist:

Each Activity is awarded 1% credit.

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| 1. Conducted an ongoing, multi-faceted, public education program promoting grasscycling and/or home composting of yard trimmings | HA | CE | FR | BC | PG | HO | CH | MO | AA | CA | BA | |
| | FR | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Within the past three years, distributed publications exclusively promoting and describing how to utilize grasscycling and/or home composting of yard trimmings to at least 30% of single family households in the county. | HA | CE | BC | PG | CH | MO | AA | ST | CA | BA | | |
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| 3. Conducted an ongoing multi-faceted, public education program promoting food donation and food composting | HA | CE | FR | BC | PG | HO | CH | MO | BA | | | |
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| 4. Within the past three years, distributed publications exclusively promoting and describing the benefits of food donation and backyard food composting to at least 30% of single family households in the county | CH | MO | AA | BA | | | | | | | | |
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| 5. A 5% SR credit can be earned. The credit will be equal to the amount of organic (i.e. yard trimmings and food scrap) material diverted divided by the total waste generated by the County | AA | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Part 2 - General Source Reduction Credit Checklist:

Up to 3% credit is awarded based on the number of activities performed (5 to 9 = 1%, 10 to 15 = 2%, 16 or more = 3%).

| Promotion/General Education | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Staffed a SR display. | HA | CE | FR | BC | PG | HO | CH | CV | AA | ST | CA | BA |
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| 2. Hosted a SR event for the general public. | HA | FR | BC | PG | HO | | | | | | | |
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| | CE | FR | BC | PG | HO | | | | | | | |

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| 3. Incorporated SR information into a county web site. | CH | MO | CV | AA | ST | BA | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Promoted SR in schools on an ongoing basis. | HA | CE | BC | PG | HO | CH | MO | CA | BA | | | | | |
| 5. A SR curriculum or ongoing activity in schools. | PG | MO | AA | CA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Advertised residential SR success through awards program or local media. | CE | PG | MO | BA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Advertised business SR success | PG | HO | MO | BA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. Integrated SR into ongoing county employee training and education programs. | BC | PG | MO | AA | CA | BA | | | | | | | | |
| 9. Established/maintained ongoing SR recognition program for employees. | PG | CH | MO | BA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10. Promoted SR through television or radio appearance or advertisement. | HA | PG | CH | MO | CA | | | | | | | | | |
| 11. <i>Within the past 3 years</i> , distributed SR materials to at least 30% of residents | HA | CE | BC | PG | CH | MO | AA | ST | CA | BA | | | | |
| 12. <i>Within the past 3 years</i> , distributed SR materials to at least 30% of businesses | HA | PG | CH | MO | ST | CA | BA | | | | | | | |
| 13. <i>Within the past 3 years</i> , developed/updated a solid waste reuse directory. | BC | PG | HO | CH | MO | AA | CA | BA | | | | | | |
| 14. <i>Within the past 3 years</i> , conducted a focus group or a survey of residents about SR. | Kip, gree ting s | CE | FR | BC | PG | CH | MO | BA | | | | | | |
| 15. <i>Within the past 3 years</i> , conducted a focus group or a survey of businesses/institutions. | FR | PG | CH | MO | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 16. Developed/maintained system for referring people to a materials exchange program. | HA | CE | BC | PG | HO | MO | AA | BA | | | | | | |
| 17. Developed/maintained a system for providing materials to a reuse center. | HA | CE | BC | PG | HO | CH | MO | CV | AA | CA | BA | | | |
| 18. Developed/maintained a swap shop or other materials exchange. | PG | HO | MO | AA | CA | | | | | | | | | |
| 19. Coordinated a textile reuse project. | HA | FR | BC | PG | HO | CH | MO | AA | ST | BA | | | | |
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County Abbreviations

AA – Anne Arundel

AL – Allegany

BA – Baltimore County

BC – Baltimore City

CV – Calvert

CN – Caroline

CA – Carroll

CE – Cecil

CH – Charles

DO – Dorchester

FR – Frederick

GA – Garrett

HA – Harford

HO – Howard

KE – Kent

MO – Montgomery

PG – Prince George's

QA – Queen Anne's

ST – St. Mary's

SO – Somerset

TA – Talbot

WA – Washington

WI – Wicomico

WO – Worcester