

ACROSS CALIFORNIA, NEW FOOD AND YARD WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAMS HELP COMMUNITIES TAKE ON THE CLIMATE CRISIS BY TRANSFORMING OUR TRASH INTO VALUABLE GREEN PRODUCTS.

"We sell out every year. We can't make enough compost to serve the Valley right now."

PARTNERING WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, BUSINESSES AND NONPROFITS – CALIFORNIA'S NEW CIRCULAR ECONOMY INVESTMENTS WILL PUMP \$270 MILLION DOLLARS INTO LOCAL ECONOMIES TO HELP GROW GREEN INDUSTRIES.

CUTTING LANDFILL METHANE EMISSIONS AND REVITALIZING OUR COMMUNITIES BY GIVING FOOD, YARD AND OTHER ORGANIC WASTE ITS NEXT LIFE...

WITH \$5 MILLION DOLLARS IN NEW COMMUNITY COMPOSTING FOR GREEN SPACES GRANTS.

"It's great to get outside and work with people in your community who are interested in the same things you are – and fighting climate change is a great goal for all of us."

PRIOR GRANT RECIPIENTS ADDED 110 COMMUNITY COMPOSTING SITES TO KEEP 225 TONS OF ORGANIC WASTE OUT OF OUR LANDFILLS TO DATE.

CREATING 22 JOBS.

CUTTING CLIMATE POLLUTION.

AND PROVIDING HUNDREDS OF POUNDS OF LOCALLY GROWN PRODUCE TO CALIFORNIA COMMUNITIES.

"From as far north as Klamath to as far south as San Diego, community composting really offers us that opportunity to get out there and do our part."

ANOTHER \$20 MILLION DOLLARS IN NEW FUNDING WILL HELP UPGRADE OUR WASTE-WATER TREATMENT PLANTS TO TURN MORE LOCAL FOOD WASTE INTO RENEWABLE ENERGY TO POWER HOMES, BUSINESSES AND VEHICLE FLEETS.

"Being able to use co-digestion is a great advantage for CA because it's existing infrastructure that's already built and we can tap into that."

AND \$165 MILLION DOLLARS IN NEW INVESTMENTS WILL GO TO MORE COMPOST AND ANAEROBIC DIGESTION FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, STAFF AND SUPPORT FOR LOCAL RECYCLING PROGRAMS.

ADDING TO THE 100 MILLION DOLLARS AWARDED TO 38 LOCAL COMPOST AND BIOFUEL PROJECTS THAT WILL KEEP OVER 2.7 MILLION TONS OF ORGANIC WASTE FROM CREATING METHANE IN LANDFILLS.

CUTTING CLIMATE POLLUTION EQUAL TO TAKING A QUARTER-MILLION CARS OFF THE ROAD FOR A YEAR – WHILE SUPPORTING GREEN INDUSTRIES.

“Any time we divert organic waste out of landfills, we’re going to be able to create jobs within the local communities.”

THESE NEW PARTNERSHIPS AND NEW INVESTMENTS WILL SUPPORT CALIFORNIA’S MOVE TO A CLEANER, MORE CIRCULAR ECONOMY.

REPLACING DIRTY ENERGY WITH RENEWABLE BIOFUELS.

AND BOOSTING CLIMATE RESILIENCE THROUGH EARTH CLEANSING COMPOST THAT NOURISHES OUR CROPS, KEEPS MORE WATER IN OUR SOIL, AND HELPS PULL MORE PLANET-WARMING CARBON OUT OF OUR ATMOSPHERE.