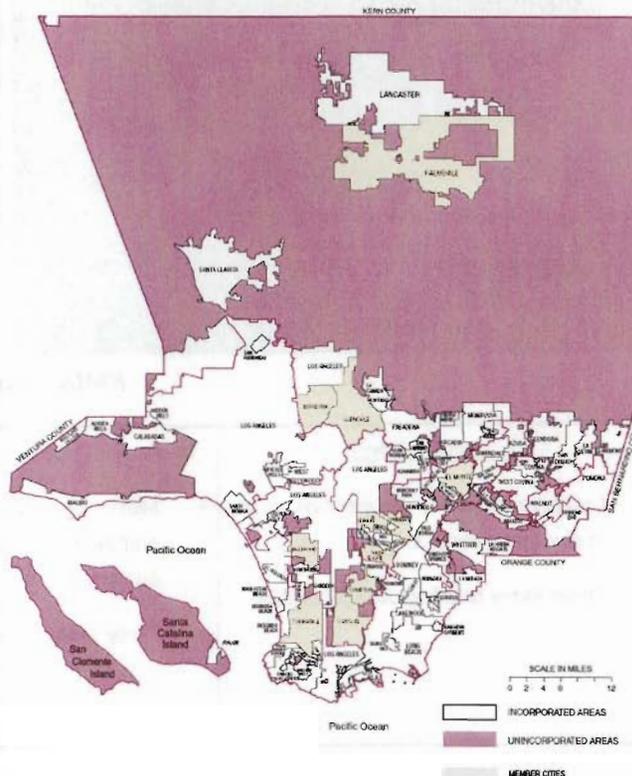


Los Angeles County Recycling Market Development Zone

Assistance to businesses located in the
unincorporated areas of
Los Angeles County and the cities of

- Burbank
- Carson
- Commerce
- Compton
- El Monte
- Glendale
- Inglewood
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*Could your Business
use up to
\$2,000,000?*

**Los Angeles County
Recycling Market
Development Zone**

**BUSINESS ASSISTANCE FOR
GREEN MANUFACTURERS
AND RECYCLING PROCESSORS**

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For more information on how
we can help your business,
please contact the
Los Angeles County
RMDZ Administrator at
(626) 458-3551,
Monday through Thursday,
7 am to 5 pm,
or you can visit our website:

<http://dpw.lacounty.gov/epd/RMDZ>

You may also visit the
State of California's
RMDZ website:

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DO YOU WANT TO EXPAND YOUR BUSINESS? COULD YOU USE BUSINESS ASSISTANCE ?

THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE (RMDZ) PROGRAM CAN HELP!

The RMDZ program combines recycling with economic development to fuel new businesses, expand existing ones, create jobs, and divert waste from landfills. The California Integrated Waste Management Board, through the RMDZ program, can assist qualifying companies.

HOW DO YOU QUALIFY?

Your business may qualify if it meets the following criteria:

1) Your business is located in the unincorporated County area or one of the cities below:

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2) Your business manufactures a recycled-content product or processes a qualifying material for recycling. Qualifying materials may consist of paper, plastic, glass, green waste, tires, or construction debris.

WHAT DOES THE RMDZ PROVIDE?

1. Financial Assistance -

Low interest, fixed-rate loan program. Currently, the program can fund loans to a maximum of \$2 million.

2. Marketing Assistance -

Staff can help you promote your business on the internet as well as using traditional advertising methods.

3. Technical Assistance -

Staff can help you locate raw materials and recommend changes which may help your business run more efficiently.

WHAT CAN RMDZ LOANS BE USED FOR?

- Purchase equipment
- Purchase real estate
- Working capital
- Debt financing



**Will
YOUR BUSINESS
Be Next?**

RMDZ Success Stories

<u>Los Angeles Fibers</u>	<u>Princess Papers</u>	<u>Three-D Plastics</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Largest recycler of residential carpet in the Western U.S. • Three loans totaling over \$2 million. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maker of recycled-content bathroom and kitchen paper products for home and work. • Three loans totaling over \$3 million. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manufactures highway traffic safety products and other plastic products. • Two loans totaling \$350,000.