



## Residential Sustainability Report

Service Period: July 2017

Recyclables Collected: 143.53 tons

Trash Collected: 445.81 tons

Compostable Materials Collected: 0 tons

Total Material Collected: 589.34 tons



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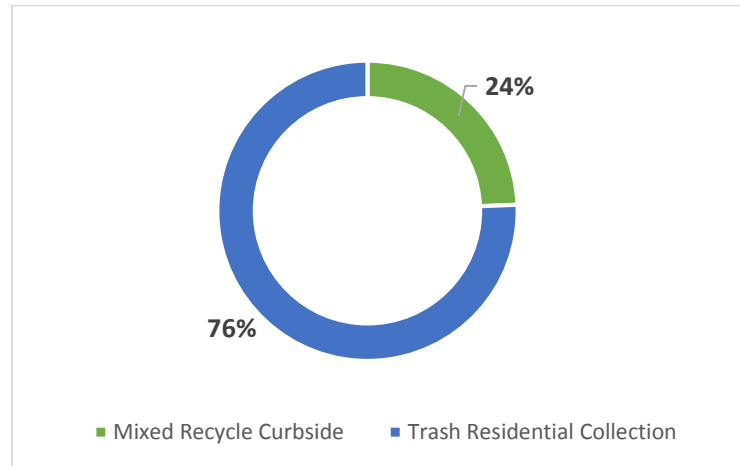
### Monthly Collection Report

June Diversion Rate: 20%

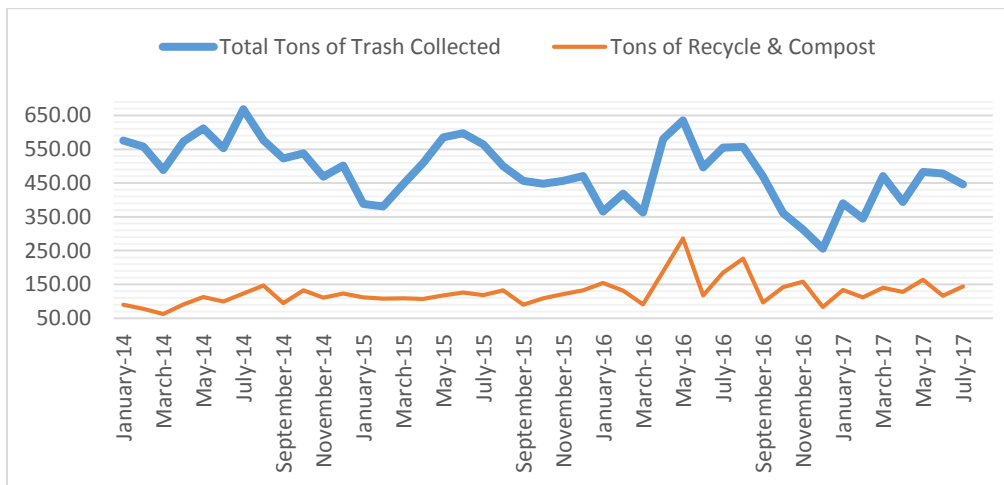
July Diversion Rate: 24%

A 25% Increase in Diversion

The *diversion rate* is the percent of materials recycled and composted.



### Month by Month Recycling Comparison



#### Plastic Recycling Facts:

In 2014, plastics comprised about 13 percent of total MSW. The total plastic waste was 33.25 million tons of which only 3.17 million tons were recycled. So, the plastic recycling rate in 2014 was only 9.5 percent. 75.5 percent of total Plastic MSW was sent to landfills.

