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Title: Recyclable Materials and Yard Waste - Disposal
 For the purpose of prohibiting the disposal of recyclable materials and yard waste in a landfill or an incinerator; and providing for a special effective date.
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12/7/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Refer to Dept. of Finance	
12/7/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Refer to Commission on Sustainability	
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Explanation: Capitals indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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Introductory*

**City of Baltimore
Council Bill**

Introduced by: Councilmember Dorsey

A Bill Entitled

An Ordinance concerning
Recyclable Materials and Yard Waste - Disposal
For the purpose of prohibiting the disposal of recyclable materials and yard waste in a landfill or an incinerator; and providing for a special effective date.

By repealing and re-ordaining, with amendments

Article 23 - Sanitation

Section 16-1

Baltimore City Code

(Edition 2000)

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

Baltimore City Code

Article 23. Sanitation

Subtitle 16. Recyclable Materials and Compostable Yard Waste

§ 16-1. [No disposal at Quarantine Landfill] Disposal of recyclable materials and yard waste.

[Recyclable materials, as defined in § 11-1 of this article, and compostable yard waste may not be disposed of at the Quarantine Landfill.]

The following materials may not be disposed of at a landfill or an incinerator:

- (1) recyclable materials, as defined in § 1-1(d) {"Definitions - Recyclable materials"} of this article; or
- (2) yard waste, as defined in § 1-1(e) {"Definitions - Yard waste"} of this article.

Section 2. And be it further ordained, That this Ordinance takes effect on October 1, 2025.