



Who are we?

Zero Waste City Pte Ltd is a consulting business specialised in waste reduction for commercial and industrial facilities. We help companies implementing cost-saving opportunities and provide guidance to achieve Zero Waste goals.

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What is the Food Waste Fund?

Under the [Resource Sustainability Act](#), by 2024, food waste segregation and treatment will be mandatory for large facilities. The Food Waste Fund is a funding scheme managed by the NEA to cover the capital cost of food waste treatment solutions for organisations in Singapore.

Applicant eligibility

Any organisation in Singapore, including companies, non-profit organisations, non-government organisations, town councils, schools, institutions and managing bodies such as MCSTs can apply for the Food Waste Fund.

Project eligibility

- Must increase the quantity of food waste recycled,
- Eligible projects:
 - Projects using on-site food waste treatment systems,
 - Food waste valorisation such as
 - Modification of processing line to facilitate food waste recycling
 - Procurement of new waste recycling infrastructures such as equipment for pre-processing of by-products and receptacles
 - Engagement of logistics and transport for collection of food waste for recycling

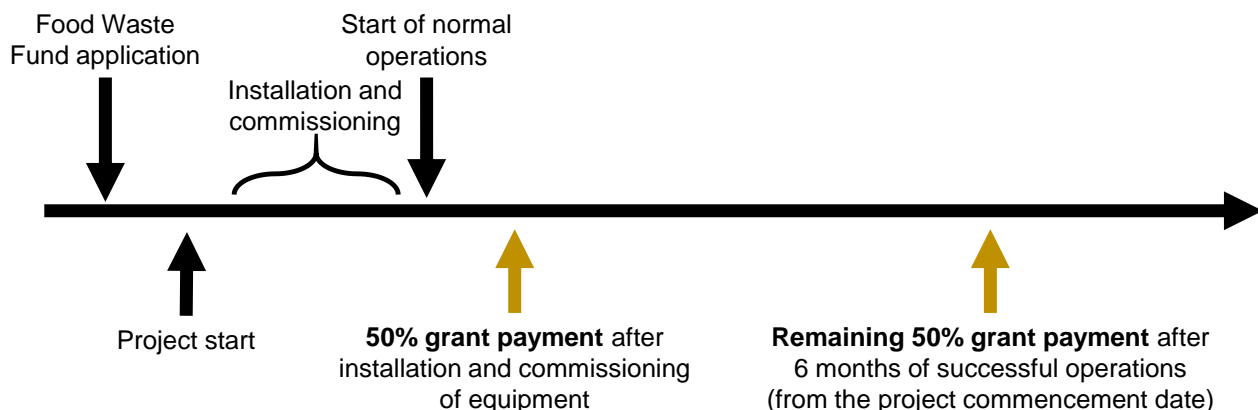
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**100% of Qualifying costs,
capped at SGD100,000 per applicant**

Qualifying costs

1. Food waste treatment system and accompanying auxiliary equipment (e.g. bins, bin lifters, weighing mechanisms)
2. Consumables for 1 year (e.g. microbes)
3. Infrastructural costs (e.g. modification of processing lines for food waste collection)
4. Collection, logistics, transportation, processing, and recycling costs

Timeline



Notes

Projects must **not** have commenced before the application submission date (i.e. issuing of purchase orders for equipment, conducting collection and recycling of recyclables, etc. (whichever is earliest)).

The fund will be open until 28th February 2021 or until the fund dries out (the Food Waste Fund has a total budget of \$1.76M), whichever is the earliest.

Acceptable on-site food waste treatment systems

The technology must involve biological processes to decompose food waste (i.e. systems that solely uses drying, heating, dewatering, dehydrating of food waste are not eligible).

To fast-track application the NEA has prepared a list of approved systems. The list is available here: <https://www.nea.gov.sg/our-services/waste-management/3r-programmes-and-resources/food-waste-management/food-waste-fund>

Other systems which are not in the list can be used but must meet minimum requirements from the NEA.

How can we help?

Zero Waste City can support businesses in:

- Identifying alternative technologies and solutions to reduce waste and valorise food waste, such as:
 - Wet digester,
 - Dry digester,
 - Composter,
 - Anaerobic digester.
- Support decision making process in the selection of the most suitable technology,
- Support Food Waste Fund application.

More information is available here:

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