

Legal basis for the implementation of the Program

1. **Section 17 of the Local Government Code** mandates LGUs to provide an efficient and effective **solid waste collection and disposal system** under a comprehensive environmental management program.

2. **Section 10 of Republic Act 9003, otherwise known as the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000** stipulates that segregation and collection of solid waste shall be conducted at the barangay level.

3. **City Ordinance No. SP-1707, S-2006**, requires the segregation at source of all households, institutional, industrial and commercial wastes and/or garbage into wet or biodegradable, and dry or non-biodegradable, pursuant to RA 9003.

4. **The Supreme Court Ruling of a Continuing Mandamus to Clean and Rehabilitate Manila Bay** directs National and Local Government Agencies, including the City Government of Quezon City, to facilitate and hasten the rehabilitation of the Manila Bay Region thru various strategies, which includes, among others, the proper management of solid wastes to keep it from being disposed in creeks and rivers that eventually flow in the Manila Bay.



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From the above, it can be seen that the program is implemented in a way that is easy to understand and follow. The use of simple language and clear signs is a key element of the program's success.



Examples of solid wastes to be segregated include:

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