

Hennepin County offers grants to businesses to increase recycling

Are you a business that wants to start recycling? Maybe improve the recycling program you already have? Hennepin County is offering recycling grants of up to \$50,000 for businesses, non-profit organizations and institutions to start or improve programs to divert recyclables and organics (food and non-recyclable paper) from the trash. These grants can help with the purchase of containers, equipment purchase and installation, hauling service charges and minor improvements to loading docks and waste enclosures. Having a strong recycling program conserves natural resources and reduces greenhouse gas emissions, can help a business's bottom line, and demonstrates their commitment to sustainability to their customers. Learn more at www.hennepin.us/businessrecycling or call 612-543-1316.