



CASH FOR RESTAURANTS AND COFFEE SHOPS

Zero Waste Washington is offering **cash assistance** for local restaurants and coffee shops to switch from disposable to reusable food serviceware

SAVE MONEY AND HELP THE ENVIRONMENT BY SWITCHING TO DURABLE SERVICE WARE!

- UP TO \$500 FOR DURABLE SERVICEWARE
- UP TO \$1500 FOR DISHWASHER UPGRADES
- UP TO \$500 TOWARDS A REUSE SERVICE

Available for: baskets, plates, bowls, ramekins, cups, mugs, trays, utensils, bulk dispensers, dishwasher, dishwasher trays, reuse service, and more.

Mini-grants have no strings attached. After application approval, participants will have two months to purchase serviceware, dishwasher upgrade, or reuse service, and then be reimbursed.

Time limited. Apply soon!

Receipts are necessary for reimbursement. Available for restaurants, coffee shops, food trucks, etc. located in King County (cities and unincorporated areas, except for those located in City of Seattle)

For more information: Contact Michelle at michelle@zerowastewashington.org

**Cash Assistance Application
Durable Serviceware for Food Businesses in King County**

This mini-grant is intended to reduce food serviceware waste by providing durable serviceware and dishwasher upgrades for local businesses. Funding can also be used to subscribe to a reuse service.

Requirements:

- Applicants must be within King County limits to apply. Applicants must not be located within the City of Seattle.
- **Durable serviceware:** If awarded, applicants must provide proof of purchase (via receipt, invoice, etc.) of appropriate serviceware items to receive reimbursement (up to \$500). Applicant must be switching from a disposal product to a durable product for in-house dining.
- **Dishwasher upgrade:** Applicants may also apply for dishwasher upgrade funding (up to \$1500), if also applying for durables funding. If awarded, applicants must provide proof of purchase (via receipt, invoice, etc.) of dishwasher upgrade to receive reimbursement.
- **Reuse service:** Applicants may also apply for funding towards a subscription to a reuse service, such as cups or serviceware for to-go (up to \$500) and must provide a receipt to receive reimbursement.
- **Reimbursement:** Zero Waste Washington will send you a check or will reimburse your cost via an online method, per your preference.

Business Name:

Physical Address:

Mailing Address (if different):

Contact Name:

Contact Phone Number and Email:

Application information: *The maximum amount for purchasing durable service-ware is \$500. The maximum amount for dishwasher upgrades is \$1500. The maximum amount that can be used for a subscription to a reuse service is \$500. Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.*

Reimbursement information: *Receipts will be needed for reimbursement to your business. For purchases totaling over \$600, a W-9 will be needed for reimbursement.*

Applying for (please check): Durable items, Dishwasher Upgrades (if also purchasing durables), Reuse Service

Amount Applying for: \$ _____ (Your best estimate, including tax and shipping)

What are you planning on purchasing? (Ex. Cups, Plates, Utensils, Bulk dispensers, Dishwasher, Dishwasher trays, Reuse service, etc.): _____

I understand that I must answer a follow-up questionnaire following the purchase of durable service ware or dishwasher upgrades or reuse service AND that I must submit receipts in order to receive reimbursement.

Signature (can be typed or electronic)

Date

Please email the completed application to Michelle Alten-Kaehler at michelle@zerowastewashington.org.
Questions: please email or call (425) 829-9497