

Partnership Conditions

Love Food Hate Waste

Acceptance of application

By submitting the application form, you offer to become a partner of the Love Food Hate Waste Program in accordance with the Partnership Proposal and these conditions.

The NSW EPA may accept or reject your partnership application. The NSW EPA may reject your application if:

- you were subject to an investigation for a breach of environmental laws in any Australian jurisdiction within the last 12 months,
- it is considered that your corporate mission, objectives or functions are not sufficiently aligned with the principles and objectives of the Love Food Hate Waste Program.

If the NSW EPA accepts your application, the NSW EPA will issue you a signed letter of partnership and a partnership certificate.

The NSW EPA's acceptance of your application to be a partner in no way:

- implies that the NSW EPA endorses your business or your activities, or
- affects the proper and impartial exercise of the NSW EPA's regulatory functions in relation to you.

Term of partnership

Your partnership will start when the NSW EPA receives and accepts your online application form and will last for the duration of the Love Food Hate Waste program unless terminated earlier.

Partnership benefits and commitment

As a partner in the Love Food Hate Waste program, your organisation will:

- support the food waste avoidances goals of the Love Food Hate Waste program

- allow the NSW EPA to promote your organisation at LFHW events, in our marketing material and online at www.lovefoodhatewaste.nsw.gov.au
- adhere to the style guide when you reproduce Love Food Hate Waste material.

Use of program logo

Your right to use the Love Food Hate Waste logo under the partnership is non-exclusive.

You agree to:

- use the logo in accordance with the Love Food Hate Waste brand guidelines, and
- not transfer or assign to anyone else your rights to use the logo
- not to make commercial profit from the Love Food Hate Waste material.

Intellectual property on program materials

The NSW EPA will own the intellectual property rights over all the materials the NSW EPA produces in relation to the Love Food Hate Waste Program. Where appropriate, the NSW EPA may grant further non-exclusive licenses for you to use such materials as part of the program.

The NSW EPA will consult with you on the use of your logo on the Love Food Hate Waste website and other Love Food Hate Waste Program materials that the NSW EPA produces. However, the NSW EPA will have overall control over such production.

You will own the intellectual property rights over any materials you produce in relation to the Love Food Hate Waste program. You will provide the NSW EPA with copies of all your promotional materials and grant the NSW EPA (without cost) a non-exclusive irrevocable license to use, reproduce, communicate to the public, and adapt the intellectual property to the program.

Dispute resolution

The NSW EPA will use its best endeavours to resolve any issue or dispute arising from this partnership in cooperation with you. Any matter that cannot be resolved at the officer level will be referred to the Chief Environmental Regulator of the NSW EPA, or their delegate, for mediation.

Reporting

You will provide the NSW EPA with a report, when required, on the activities you have carried out and the outcomes of such activities.

Termination

The NSW EPA may terminate your partnership with the program if:

- you become subject to an investigation for a breach of environmental laws in any Australian jurisdiction,
- your corporate mission, objectives or functions change to conflict with those of the NSW EPA or the Love Food Hate Waste program,
- you engage in any activity that conflicts with the functions and objectives of the NSW EPA or the Love Food Hate Waste Program, or
- you fail to comply with the terms and conditions of the partnership and your failure to comply significantly affects the integrity of the Love Food Hate Waste Program and cannot be remedied.

You may terminate your partnership with the program if:

- your corporate mission, objectives or functions change to conflict with those of the NSW EPA or the Love Food Hate Waste program, or
- you engage in any activity that conflicts with the functions and objectives of the NSW EPA or the Love Food Hate Waste program.

On the expiration or termination (for whatever reason) of the partnership:

- all partnership benefits will immediately cease
- you will immediately cease using the Love Food Hate Waste logo and any other materials related to the Love Food Hate Waste Program
- the NSW EPA will immediately cease using your logo and any other intellectual property that you own in relation to the Love Food Hate Waste Program.

For further information

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