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Generally, people don't understand composting. It's exacerbated by the terms food scraps, organics recycling and compostable. They all refer to similar things. Packaging is misleading and uses terms such as biodegradable or made of recycled materials to make it seem their product is compostable. Then, even if it is compostable it's often placed in the trash. Mandate municipalities to use consistent terminology.

Somehow we need to make recycling easier to figure out. Consistent markings and one go-to website would help. It's different everywhere.

Provide incentives for reducing the weight of trash.