

INTEGRATED ORGANIC WASTE MANAGEMENT

Technical assistance provided to the Municipality of Villa la Angostura

CONTEXT

The municipality of Villa la Angostura (VLA), in the province of Neuquén, is one of the main tourist destinations in the Argentine Patagonia, located within the Nahuel Huapi National Park.

The integrated management of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) presents a great challenge. The following technical assistance seeks to reduce the amount of organic waste disposed of daily in order to reduce GHG emissions and improve integrated waste management.



CHALLENGES

POPULATION



The population doubles in high season.

WASTE



As a result, waste is also doubled.

COMPONENTS



Of the total waste, a large part is of organic origin.

ADMINISTRATION



These are transferred daily for disposal

PROPOSALS FOR IMPROVEMENT

The Municipality requested technical assistance in order to achieve an Integrated Organics Management Plan.

It was structured with a logical implementation that allows advance in a staggered manner.

1

Large Generators

Establish prohibitions, obligations and incentives.

2

Forest residues

Prohibit burning and encourage its use.

3

Composting

Expand the space and convert it into an educational center.

4

Campaigns

Instruct on organics collection and home composting.

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