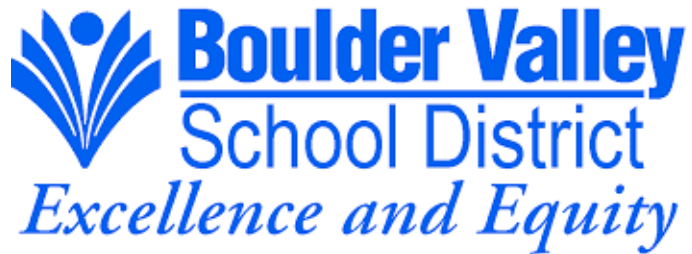


SUCCESS STORY

Boulder Valley School District



Industry:
School District

Location:
Boulder, CO

Reusables Used:
Plastic Totes & Tubs

Organization Snapshot:
School District with 30,000 students in 56 schools spread over 500 square miles in Boulder Valley, Colorado. Serves 12,000 meals daily. Sustainability Plan includes zero waste goals.

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Before: Recurring annual expenses of \$4,500 for the purchase of 3,400 cardboard boxes for distributing beef patties and apples to school kitchens.

After: Purchased 660 reusable plastic containers for apples and 366 lidded reusable tubs for beef patties with a \$10,000 grant from StopWaste. Containers are returned to vendors, sanitized, and re-packed.



After



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Results:

- ✓ Annual savings of \$4,500 from avoided cardboard box purchasing
- ✓ Reduces 2.3 tons of corrugated cardboard waste per year
- ✓ No increase in labor
- ✓ Supports District's sustainability goals
- ✓ Plans to expand use of reusables to other food vendors, e.g. potatoes

