



Vanguard Renewables and the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes

Leading the Organics to Renewable Energy Movement Across America



Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes

Vanguard Renewables and the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes are on a mission to achieve net-zero GHG emissions in food and beverage manufacturing. Together, by recycling organic waste in Farm Powered anaerobic digesters, we can help repurpose environmentally harmful waste into renewable natural gas (RNG), a carbon-negative thermal fuel source. The Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes is a committed group of food and beverage collaborators dedicated to preserving our planet through recycling organic waste via Farm Powered anaerobic digestion. Ours is a group that holds sustainability, regenerative agriculture practices, and equitable, responsible decision-making above all else.

As part of the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes, you will receive:

- Vanguard Renewables' assistance and partnership in helping you reduce GHG emissions from food and beverage waste streams
- Quarterly Partner Sustainability Reports that illustrate the GHG reduction equivalency of the RNG/electricity created from your food waste
- No cost licensing to include the Farm Powered logo on products, packaging, and promotional materials to show customers you care about the environment
- Brand exposure in Vanguard Renewables' blog posts, website, and social channels
- Profile and logo on VR website
- Potential to be featured in a promotional piece, article, or video as selected by Vanguard's marketing team
- Signage at a local farm
- Other collaboratively beneficial opportunities

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**SUSTAINABILITY
HEROES**



As a Farm Powered Sustainability Hero, you will be an integral part of:

- Producing renewable energy from organic waste to power homes, businesses, and communities
- Sustaining farms for future generations by reducing on-farm methane emissions and providing a diversified income stream and beneficial byproducts that support regenerative agriculture
- Reducing greenhouse gas emissions from food waste by diverting food and beverage waste from landfills and incineration in compliance with state organics to landfills bans and food and beverage companies' ESG and decarbonization goals

As part of joining the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes, you will pledge to:

- Capture and recycle as much food waste as possible inherent in the farming, manufacturing, and sale of food and beverage products from your company's operations within 75 miles of a Vanguard Renewables farm-based anaerobic digester or Organics Depackaging Facility
- Participate in meetings and collaboration opportunities, and share challenges and best practices

Why the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes was formed

Vanguard Renewables' Farm Powered® organics collection and recycling program is a zero waste, closed loop lifecycle that regenerates what was previously considered waste and converts it into renewable energy. Due to our success in helping large multi-state producers reduce GHG emissions by collaborating to recycle their organic waste, smaller food and beverage industry leaders wanted a way to make the same commitment to recycling unavoidable food and beverage waste and to have a collaborative opportunity to learn and grow with their peers - the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes group.

Who to expect as your fellow Heroes

- Esteemed food and beverage manufacturers ranging from microbreweries to multi-product producers that have a proven track record of holding environmental and social sustainability as core values of their businesses
 - Local and regional leaders with strong identity, brand, and sustainability values
- Companies with robust, defensible, measurable, and ambitious climate goals
- Single-state or smaller regional peers
- Vanguard Renewables reserves the right to admit and restrict companies from joining the Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes based on their alignment with the values and goals Vanguard holds as prerequisite to being a founder of change, and the values and goals of our fellow Farm Powered Sustainability Heroes members

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