



EPA - FOOD RECOVERY CHALLENGE

CONTACT PROGRAM MANAGER

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Member Details

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- Select Type
- Advertising/Marketing
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- Airlines
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Member Name *

Contact Information

Name *

Job Title

Email *

Phone Number

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Location Details

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Confirm your location details

Country *

- Select Country
- Select Country
- American Samoa
- Australia
- Bahamas
- Belgium
- Bermuda

State/Province *

City/Town *

Zip/Postal Code *

Address *

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2 or 3 Gathered Together

PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

New Response for: 2 or 3 Gathered Together

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Our organization is choosing to participate in EPA's Food Recovery Challenge. Our goal is to reduce our food waste to landfills or work with others to reduce their food waste to landfills through activities such as: source reduction, donations and composting. Information on SMM and the Food Recovery Challenge, please visit <http://www.epa.gov/smm/foodrecovery/index.htm>

All fields are required on this form. You will not be able to submit this form if any field is left empty.

Program Start Date:

Participant Information

Name of Organization: *

Facility Name: *

Principal Contact: *

Title: *

Address: *

City: *

State or Territory: *

- Select
- State
- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas
- California
- Colorado
- Connecticut
- Delaware
- District of Columbia
- Florida
- Georgia
- Hawaii
- Idaho
- Illinois
- Indiana
- Iowa
- Kansas
- Kentucky

Zip: *

Phone: *

Email: *

Today's Date: *

How did you find out about the Food Recovery Challenge? *

(E.g. Website, Conference, Outreach material, FRC Participant, FRC Endorser)

Our organization would like to join the Food Recovery Challenge as a: *

- FRC Participant - Reduce wasted food through prevention, donation, composting and anaerobic digestion
- FRC Endorser - Promote sustainable food management by educating organizations about the environmental consequences of wasted food and recruitment of participants

By checking this box, I am stating that I understand the Food Recovery Challenge requirements, agree to the above terms and conditions, and have the authority to register my organization for the Food Recovery Challenge. *

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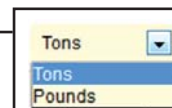
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Food Waste Prevention and Recycling - Summary Activities

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Food Donation	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
Food Recycling (e.g. composting, anaerobic digestion)	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
Total Diverted			<input type="text"/>	

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Total			<input type="text"/>	

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Total			<input type="text"/>	

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Baseline Year: *

2010



2010 ▾

- Select
- 2000
- 2001
- 2002
- 2003
- 2004
- 2005
- 2006
- 2007
- 2008
- 2009
- 2010
- 2011
- 2012

I will be reporting Food Waste Prevention and Recycling: *

- Summary Activities
- Detailed Activities

In column two of each activities table, please identify in the boxes provided, if you engaged in the specific activity during the baseline year (yes) or not (no).

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Food Waste Prevention and Recycling - Summary Activities

DIVERSION CATEGORY	ACTIVITY IN BASELINE YEAR	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS*
Total Diverted				<input type="text"/>	

DIVERSION CATEGORY	ACTIVITY IN BASELINE YEAR	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS*
Food Waste Prevention	Select		Tons	<input type="text"/>	
Food Donation	Select		Tons	<input type="text"/>	
Food Recycling (e.g. composting, anaerobic digestion)	Select		Tons	<input type="text"/>	
Total Diverted				<input type="text"/>	

Food Waste Disposed - Optional

Select
 Select
 Yes
 No

Tons
 Tons
 Pounds

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS
Landfilled		Tons	<input type="text"/>	
Total Disposed			<input type="text"/>	

Total Tons Diverted:

Total Tons Generated:

Food Waste Diversion Rate:

 %

Comments:

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Food Waste Prevention and Recycling - Detailed Activities

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Total					

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Source Reduction through purchase, storage and handling	Select	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
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Composting - Food Only	Select	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
Anaerobic Digestion w/beneficial use of digest	Select	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
Other Recycled	Select	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
Total				<input type="text"/>	

Food Waste Disposed - Optional

Select
 Select
 Yes
 No

Tons
 Tons
 Pounds

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS
Landfilled	_____	Tons	<input type="text"/>	_____
Total Disposed			<input type="text"/>	

Total Tons Diverted:

Total Tons Generated:

Diversion Rate:

Comments:

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Food Waste Prevention and Recycling Goals - Summary Activities

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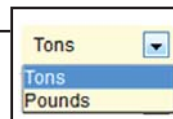
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Food Waste Prevention and Recycling Goals - Detailed Activities

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Total			<input type="text"/>	

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We have provided two ways for you to track your data. If you are just beginning to work on a new program or have not done an inventory of your food waste recently, please use the summary section at the top of the form for inputting your annual data. If you have more detailed information about your data and would like to track by individual actions, please fill out the detailed section at the bottom of the form. Please note: only one section should be filled out in the database but please feel free to print this form out if you are interested in tracking your data in more detail or to gain a better understanding of what food waste you are generating. For ideas on how to measure your progress, please click here. (<http://www.epa.gov/smm/wastewise/measure-progress.htm>)

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From 

Date: *

To Date: * 

I will be reporting Food Waste Prevention and Recycling: *

- Summary Activities
- Detailed Activities

Tons ▼

Tons

Pounds

Food Waste Prevention and Recycling - Summary Activities

DIVERSION CATEGORY	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS*
Food Waste Prevention	<input type="text"/>	Tons	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Food Donation	<input type="text"/>	Tons	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total Diverted			<input type="text"/>	

DIVERSION CATEGORY	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS*
Food Recycling (e.g. composting, anaerobic digestion)	<input type="text"/>	Tons	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total Diverted			<input type="text"/>	

Food Waste Disposed - Optional

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS
Landfilled	<input type="text"/>	Tons	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total Disposed			<input type="text"/>	

Total Tons Diverted:

Total Tons Generated:

Diversion Rate:

 %

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Food Waste Prevention, Food Donation, Food Recycling (<http://epa.gov/waste/consERVE/foodwaste/>)

Composting (<http://www.epa.gov/waste/consERVE/composting/>)

Anaerobic Digestion (<http://epa.gov/waste/consERVE/foodwaste/fd-anaerobic.htm>)

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Annual Data

Member: **ERG - TEST**

Cycle: **ANNUAL**

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New Response for: Other Organization - ERG - Test

Survey Data

Instructions:

All information and data submitted to EPA as part of the Food Recovery Challenge (FRC) will be reviewed for accuracy and completeness. If additional information and data is needed, or if EPA needs to clarify anything that has been submitted, participants will be contacted by a representative of the Food Recovery Challenge (FRC).

Participants must report data in the three food diversion categories (prevention, donation, and food recycling). If the participant does not implement food diversion activities for a category or cannot provide a reliable estimate, the participant should enter zero. Entering food waste disposal data is optional, but is necessary if you would like to calculate a food waste diversion rate.

We have provided two ways for you to track your data. If you are just beginning to work on a new program or have not done an inventory of your food waste recently, please use the summary section at the top of the form for inputting your annual data. If you have more detailed information about your data and would like to track by individual actions, please fill out the detailed section at the bottom of the form. Please note: only one section should be filled out in the database but please feel free to print this form out if you are interested in tracking your data in more detail or to gain a better understanding of what food waste you are generating. For ideas on how to measure your progress, please click here. (<http://www.epa.gov/smm/wastewise/measure-progress.htm>)

Please complete and submit this form by March 31 each year.

If you are just beginning to work on a new program or have not done an inventory of your food waste recently, please select "Summary Activities" below for inputting your goals.

If you have more detailed information about your data and would like to track by individual actions, please select "Detailed Activities" below for inputting your goals.

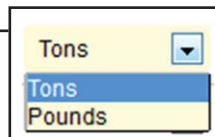
From 

Date: *

To Date: * 

I will be reporting Food Waste Prevention and Recycling: *

- Summary Activities
- Detailed Activities



Food Waste Prevention and Recycling - Detailed Activities

SPECIFIC ACTION	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS
Source Reduction through purchase, storage and handling	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Total			<input type="text"/>	

SPECIFIC ACTION	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS
Source Reduction through over-preparation and plate waste	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Other Source Reduction Activities	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Donation to Feed people	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Animal Feed	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Other Donations/Reuse	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Composting - mixed organics	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Composting - Food Only	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Anaerobic Digestion w/beneficial use of digest	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Other Recycled	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Total			<input type="text"/>	

Food Waste Disposed - Optional

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	UNIT (TONS/LBS)	TONS	COMMENTS/ACTIVITY DETAILS
Landfilled	-----	Tons	<input type="text"/>	-----
Total Disposed			<input type="text"/>	

Total Tons Diverted:

Total Tons Generated:

Diversion Rate:

 %

Comments:

*Food waste prevention and recycling activities that make up the three diversion categories, include but are not limited to: reducing over-purchasing of food, proper storage and handling techniques, reducing plate waste, making donations to feed those in need, feeding food scraps to animals, and food recycling through composting and anaerobic digestion. Information on other food diversion activities can be found at <http://epa.gov/waste/consERVE/foodwaste/>.

Additional Resources

The Food Recovery Challenge works within the food waste hierarchy with source reduction being the preferred method.

- Food Recovery Challenge is looking for innovative programs geared towards new and improved methods of food waste diversion.
- Food Recovery Challenge encourages its participants to raise awareness of food waste prevention and management.
- Food Recovery Challenge encourages its participants to improve sustainable food waste management practices both regionally and nationally.

Food Waste Prevention, Food Donation, Food Recycling (<http://epa.gov/waste/conserves/foodwaste/>)

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PROGRAM: EPA - FOOD RECOVERY CHALLENGE

Test Organization

ENDORSER FIRST YEAR GOAL FORM

 New Response for: Test Organization Survey Data**Instructions:**

This form should be completed only once to set baseline goals for endorser participation in the Food Recovery Challenge (FRC). Your baseline goals should be set for the calendar year in which you completed your participation agreement. Typical Endorser activities are listed below and should be quantified where requested. For Endorser activities not listed, please check the "Other" box and provide a narrative description in the comment field. When possible, please make every attempt to quantify your actions and goals.

CLICK "SAVE" TO RETAIN YOUR ENTRIES FOR FUTURE EDITING. CLICK "SUBMIT TO PROGRAM" WHEN YOU ARE READY TO SET YOUR ENDORSER GOAL FOR THE FOOD RECOVERY CHALLENGE.

Proposed Project Description - Please briefly describe your planned activities (include proposed project time frame). *

Link to EPA's Website:

 Yes No

Maintain information about the FRC on your Website:

 Yes No

Number of FRC publications to be distributed:

FRC presentations to be given at conferences and meetings:

Number of presentations:

Number of people attending:

Number of recognition events to be held for FRC participants:

Number of organizations for which you plan to provide FRC related technical assistance:

Recruiting FRC participants:

Number of organizations to be recruited:

Goal for number of organizations joining FRC:

Other activities (describe and quantify in comment field below):

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Test Organization

ENDORSER ANNUAL GOAL FORM

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New Response for: Test Organization

Survey Data

Instructions:

This form should be completed to set goals for endorser participation in the Food Recovery Challenge (FRC). This form must be completed every year that you participate in the Food Recovery Challenge. Typical Endorser activities are listed below and should be quantified where requested. For Endorser activities not listed, please check the "Other" box and provide a narrative description in the comment field. When possible, please make every attempt to quantify your actions and goals.

CLICK "SAVE" TO RETAIN YOUR ENTRIES FOR FUTURE EDITING. PLEASE "SUBMIT TO PROGRAM" YOUR ANNUAL GOAL DURING THE REPORTING SEASON OF JANUARY 1 AND MARCH 31 OF EACH YEAR - YOUR ANNUAL GOAL SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN CONJUNCTION WITH YOUR ANNUAL DATA.

Proposed Project Description - Please briefly describe your planned activities (include proposed project time frame). *

Link to EPA's Website:

Yes

No

Maintain information about the FRC on your Website:

Yes

No

Number of FRC publications to be distributed:

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Recruiting FRC participants:

Number of organizations to be recruited:

Goal for number of organizations joining FRC:

Other activities (describe and quantify in comment field below):

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PROGRAM: EPA - FOOD RECOVERY CHALLENGE

1515 Restaurant

ENDORSER ANNUAL DATA FORM

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New Response for: 1515 Restaurant

Survey Data

Instructions:

This form should be completed to report annual data for endorser participation in the Food Recovery Challenge (FRC). This form must be completed every year that you participate in the Food Recovery Challenge. Typical Endorser activities are listed below and should be quantified where requested. For Endorser activities not listed, please check the Other box and provide a narrative description in the comment field. When possible, please make every attempt to quantify your actions and goals.

CLICK "SAVE DRAFT" TO RETAIN YOUR ENTRIES FOR FUTURE EDITING. PLEASE "MARK COMPLETE" YOUR ANNUAL DATA DURING THE REPORTING SEASON. See the FRC page (<https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/food-recovery-challenge-frc>) for details. YOUR ANNUAL DATA SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN CONJUNCTION WITH YOUR ANNUAL GOAL.

Project Description - Please briefly describe your activities completed this year (include any appropriate metrics/measurements in this box or below). *

Link to EPA's Website:

Yes

No

Maintain information about the FRC on your Website:

Yes

No

Number of FRC publications distributed:

FRC presentations given at conferences and meetings:

Number of presentations:

Number of people attending:

Number of recognition events held for FRC participants:

Number of organizations for which you provided FRC related technical assistance:

Recruiting FRC participants:

Number of organizations recruited:

Number of organizations joining FRC:

Other activities (describe and quantify in comment field below):

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PROGRAM: EPA - FOOD RECOVERY CHALLENGE

Test Organization

FOOD RECOVERY CHALLENGE AWARDS

Annual | 2018

 New Response for: Test Organization

 Survey Data

EPA is offering Narrative Awards to eligible FRC participants and endorsers. These awards cover your calendar year 2017 work. Descriptions of the awards and eligibility criteria are provided below.

Participants can apply for the narrative award categories of [source reduction](#), [innovation](#), [education and outreach](#), and [leadership](#).

To be eligible for **Narrative Awards**, a participant must do the following:

- Submit a participation agreement, baseline data and baseline goal in the SMM Data Management System
- Submit 2017 annual data in the SMM Data Management System by early 2018. See the FRC page (<https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/food-recovery-challenge-frc>) for details.
- Submit 2018 annual goals in the SMM Data Management System by early 2018. See the FRC page (<https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/food-recovery-challenge-frc>) for details.

Endorsers can apply for the narrative award categories of [endorsers](#), [education and outreach](#), and [leadership](#).

To be eligible for **Narrative Awards**, an endorser must do the following:

- Submit a participation agreement
- Submit a 2017 endorser annual data form in the SMM Data Management System by early 2018. See the FRC page (<https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/food-recovery-challenge-frc>) for details.
- Submit 2018 endorser annual goals in the SMM Data Management System by early 2018. See the FRC page (<https://www.epa.gov/sustainable-management-food/food-recovery-challenge-frc>) for details.

Please note: You are not limited to one category. Please apply for all categories that fit within the scope of your work in the FRC.

Narrative Award Categories:

- Source Reduction:** This award is issued to a participant who has demonstrated excellence in source reduction efforts, the top tier of the food recovery hierarchy. Wasted food source reduction or prevention is the strategy of preventing wasted food before it is created. Examples of this include better purchase, storage, and handling practices, so that one can prevent wasted food prior to it being generated in the first place. Please note that source reduction does not refer to alternate forms of food recovery, such as donation or composting.
- Innovation:** This award is issued to a participant who has demonstrated the creation and implementation of a new or more effective approach to improve wasted food diversion from landfills or incinerators. Examples of this include a business using the food by-products of another business in an anaerobic digestion facility to produce electricity, composting in urban settings and conducting training and implementing associated practices to prevent and divert wasted food in settings such as airports or music/arts festivals.
- Education and Outreach:** This award is issued to a participant who has raised awareness of sustainable management of food as a sustainability issue. Examples of this include a college campus creating a wasted food mascot, inviting experts to speak in classes on wasted food and its impacts on the environment and dining facilities implementing buffets made of intact, uneaten food items.
- Leadership:** This award is issued to a participant who has demonstrated excellence in improving sustainable management of food practices regionally or nationally with a focus on participants who excelled in upstream diversions from landfills or incinerators through source reduction. Examples of this include an organization tracking the amount, type of, and reason for wasted food; setting prevention goals; partnering with a food rescue organization; establishing contracts and partnerships and participating in regional committees that seek to reduce wasted food.

Endorsers: This award is issued to an endorser who has demonstrated excellence in environmental leadership by county/state government, grocers, universities, as well as other entities about the importance of sustainable management of food and influencing businesses/organizations to join the FRC. Key areas for the endorser award include demonstrating leadership, education and outreach, and innovation. An example of this includes a state government conducting outreach, education and technical assistance to businesses and institutions to aid in implementing a ban on disposal of wasted food.

Please Note: You are not limited to one category. Please apply for all categories that fit within the scope of your FRC work.

Source Reduction Issued to a Participant who has demonstrated excellence in source reduction efforts. Wasted food source reduction or prevention is the strategy of preventing wasted food before it is created. Selection is based on your narrative clearly addressing the following criteria, all weighted equally:

Describe your efforts to measure and track your generation of wasted food:

Describe your efforts to prevent wasted food at the source. Please note that source reduction does not refer to alternate forms of food recovery, such as donation or composting:

What amount of wasted food was prevented (in tons or pounds) and cost savings from your source reduction actions? **(Be sure that the amount you include here matches the wasted food prevention amount you reported in your annual data form.)**

Innovation issued to a Participant who has demonstrated the creation and implementation of a new or more effective method(s) or idea(s) to improve wasted food diversion from landfills or incinerators. Selection is based on your narrative clearly addressing the following criteria, all weighted equally:

What innovative method(s) or idea(s) was used and why was it innovative?

Describe how this innovative method(s) or idea(s) was used:

What outcome did implementation of the method(s) or idea(s) have?

Education and Outreach - Issued to a Participant who has raised awareness of sustainable management of food as a sustainability issue. Selection is based on your narrative clearly addressing the following criteria, all weighted equally:

Describe the method(s) used for outreach or education:

Provide the estimated number of individual organizations reached through your education and outreach activities, as well as providing the names of these organizations, if possible:

Provide any results from your education or outreach activities:

Describe what was significant or unique about your education and outreach activities:

Leadership - Issued to a Participant who has demonstrated excellence in improving sustainable management of food practices regionally or nationally with a focus on those Participants who excelled in upstream diversions from landfills or incinerators through source reduction. Selection is based on your narrative clearly addressing the following criteria, all weighted equally:

What wasted food prevention and reduction activities did your organization undertake that demonstrate leadership?

Describe how your efforts to prevent and reduce wasted food were implemented:

How did your efforts influence or affect other stakeholders such as suppliers or customers?

What were the outcomes from your leadership activities?

Endorsers - Issued to an Endorser who has demonstrated excellence in environmental leadership by county/state government, grocers, universities, and/or venues, as well as other entities about the importance of sustainable management of food and/or influencing businesses/organizations to join the FRC. Key areas of the Endorser award include demonstration of leadership, education and outreach, and innovation. Selection is based on your narrative clearly addressing the following criteria, all weighted equally:

Describe your leadership role in educating businesses/organizations as well as other entities about the importance of sustainable management of food, and/or influencing these organizations to join the FRC:

If possible, provide the number of entities you educated on the FRC and/or influenced to join. List the names of these organizations:

Describe what was significant or unique about your activities to educate businesses/organizations about sustainable management food and/or recruit Participants to the FRC:

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