

INTEGRATED WASTE
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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Integrated Waste Management Technical Advisory Committee may take action on any item appearing on the agenda contained herein.

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San Marcos
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Solana Beach
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County of San Diego

Thursday, April 1, 2021

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

This meeting will be held online only. Please use the link below to join us.

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Conference ID: 195 032 867#

Chair: County of San Diego

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**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Thursday, April 1, 2021– Agenda

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| 1. QUORUM (at least 10 jurisdiction representatives must be present) | APPROVE |
| 2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS | INFORMATION |
| 3. REVIEW OF THE MARCH 4, 2021 MEETING SUMMARY | INFORMATION |
| 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS
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| 6. CPSC UPDATE | INFORMATION |
| 7. PRESENTATIONS | INFORMATION |
| a. Mattress Recycling Council | |
| 8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE | INFORMATION |
| 9. COUNTYWIDE WAIVER FORM | DISCUSSION |
| 10. COVID-19 - GENERAL DISCUSSION | DISCUSSION |
| 11. SB 1383 & AB 1826 – ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE | DISCUSSION |
| 12. TARP YOUR LOAD/LITTER ABATEMENT – OPPORTUNITIES TO UNIFY OUTREACH | INFORMATION |
| 13. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT | INFORMATION |
| a. Household Hazardous Waste | |
| b. Organics | |
| 14. ROUNDTABLE
TAC Members may present items to the Committee regarding topics not covered in the agenda | DISCUSSION |
| 15. LEGISLATION | INFORMATION |
| 16. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS | |

**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Thursday, March 4, 2021 – Meeting Summary**

Attendance

Members:

Ofelia Andrade, City of Coronado
Manuel Medrano, City of Chula Vista
Clem Brown, City of Del Mar
Lori Calvert, City of Escondido
Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach
Hilary Ego, City of La Mesa
Carla Hutchinson, City of National City
Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside
Jennifer Hobbs, City of San Diego
Sean Harris, City of San Marcos

Guests:

Mary Matava, Agri Service
Doug Kobold, California Product Stewardship Council
Haley Aumiller, CalRecycle
Roberta Goldenpenny, CalRecycle
Yvette Snyder, EDCO
Andrew Barajas, I Love a Clean San Diego
Matthew Clough, Plastic Beach
Nita Kurmins Gilson, ProduceGood
Natalia King, County of San Diego
Ellyn Law, County of San Diego
Caitlin Lelles, County of San Diego
Melissa Porter, County of San Diego DEHQ
Steve Weihe, County of San Diego
Michael Wonsidler, County of San Diego
Sarah Feteih, San Diego Food System Alliance
Mallika Sen, Solana Center
Jean-Louis Kindler, Ways2H Inc.
Dawn Lagmay, Zero Waste San Diego
Allison Schlick, Zero Waste San Diego

Staff: Eric Wolff, County of San Diego

Meeting Summary

1. QUORUM

The Chair determined that quorum was met and called the meeting to order.

2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Jurisdiction representatives and guests introduced themselves.

3. REVIEW OF THE FEBRUARY 4, 2021 MEETING SUMMARY

Manuel Medrano, City of Chula Vista motioned to approve the February 4, 2021 Meeting Summary. Sean Harris, City of San Marcos seconded. Motion carried to approve the Meeting Summary.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Sarah Feteih, San Diego Food System Alliance: San Diego Food System Alliance is working with the Commission for Environmental Cooperation and World Resources Institute to develop a case study on the EcoChallenge program. The case study will be presented at an upcoming international G7 webinar.

Andrew Barajas, I Love a Clean San Diego: A list of upcoming events was shared including: Zero Waste Bathroom Webinar (3/6), Practical Path to Sustainable Parenting (3/16); Zero Waste Golf Tournament (6/24). For event details visit cleansd.org/events

Mallika Sen, Solana Center for Environmental Innovation: The Solana Center continues to prepare for SB 1383 implementation and has developed food waste prevention resource sheets. Virtual outreach programming also continues. A list of upcoming webinars is available [here](#). For more information, please contact Mallika Sen at Mallika.Sen@solanacenter.org.

5. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

Eric Wolff, County of San Diego: County of San Diego Planning & Development Services is hosting a webinar workshop on proposed changes to the zoning ordinance related to organic materials management on March 11 and March 23. Registration information is available [here](#). The County is also forming a TAC Edible Food Recovery Subcommittee to further explore SB 1383's edible food recovery requirements. The group will discuss opportunities and strategies for regional collaboration, share resources and provide information on how to meet the upcoming requirements. The meeting will be held the second Monday of each month at 10am, with the first meeting scheduled for April 12. For more information on the subcommittee, please contact Stephanie Ewalt at Stephanie.Ewalt@sdcounty.ca.gov. The County's presentation on proposed updates to the Non-Exclusive Franchise Agreement and Solid Waste Ordinance to the Board of Supervisors has been rescheduled and is anticipated for late spring.

- **Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside:** Colleen noted that a subcommittee meeting discussing other components of SB 1383 such as contamination or program implementation would be beneficial.

6. CPSC UPDATE

Doug Kobold, California Product Stewardship Council (CPSC): An update on legislation with California Product Stewardship Council involvement was shared:

- [SB 289](#), Household batteries
- Framework EPR bill, Holding until next year.
- [AB 98](#), Medical Goods: Reuse and Distribution. Referred to Committee on Aging and Long Term Care
- [AB 332](#), Hazardous waste: treated wood waste: management standards. Referred to ESTM
- [AB 683](#), Solid waste: recycling. Includes spot language.
- [AB 684](#), treated wood waste. Referred to ESTM
- [AB 707](#), Mercury Thermostats. Referred to ESTM
- [AB 881](#), Plastic waste: diversion: recycling: export. Referred to Natural Resources.
- [AB 1200](#), Plant-based food packaging: cookware: hazardous chemicals. Includes spot language

- [AB 1276](#), Single-use food accessories.
- [SB 38](#), Beverage Containers. Referred to Environmental Quality.
- [SB 244](#), Lithium-ion batteries: illegal disposal: fire prevention. Referred to Environmental Quality
- [SB 343](#), Environmental advertising: recycling symbol. Referred to Environmental Quality.
- [SB 502](#), Hazardous materials: discarded appliances. Referred to Environmental Quality

Other legislation that may be of interest include:

- [AB 1201](#), Solid waste; plastic products: labeling: compostability and biodegradability.
- [SB 759](#), Short-lived climate pollutants: methane: organic waste landfills.

7. PRESENTATION

Jean Louis Kindler, Ways2H Inc.: [Ways2H](#) is a joint venture between Clean Energy Enterprises Inc., and Japan Blue Energy Corporation that is headquartered in Long Beach, California. Ways2H provides a decentralized program for waste management by using their patented thermochemical process that converts waste biomass, including plastics, into hydrogen to be used locally for power generation or direct fuel injection. Feedstocks include waste biomass, municipal solid waste- removing metals and ceramics, medical waste, and water. There is an operating system in Japan and another system anticipated to be deployed in Los Angeles. For more information, please contact Jean-Louis Kindler, at JLKindler@ways2h.com.

8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE

Haley Aumiller, CalRecycle: Haley reported on the following:

- CalRecycle Local Assistance and Market Development Staff have started scheduling conference calls with jurisdictions. Conference calls will focus on mandatory commercial organics recycling program progress and will include a series of questions and discussion on jurisdictions' readiness for SB 1383.
- CalRecycle is continuing with the SB 1383 Regional Webinars. Southern California was held on 2/18. Upcoming webinars include: Bay Area (3/11), Central Coast (3/25), and Northern California (3/30).
- CalRecycle has developed the [Procurement Calculator Tool](#) to assist jurisdictions plan for their procurement of recovered organic waste products. This is an optional tool to use for informational purposes and is not a record keeping document. CalRecycle hosted a webinar training on the use of this tool on 2/9.
- Other tools CalRecycle is working on include best management practices for identifying tier 1 and 2 generators, survey tool for food recovery, capacity planning tool, and a tool for implementation records.
- In February 2021, CalRecycle held a statewide webinar to cover solid waste facility requirements. Future webinar topics include LEA training and route review best

management practices. CalRecycle is also developing a series of training videos to assist with implementation.

- An update on [grant/loan](#) cycles was shared: Local Government Waste Tire Amnesty Grant (due 4/6/21); Beverage Container Redemption Pilot Project Program (continuous until 1/1/22); Greenhouse Gas Reduction Loan Program (continuous); Recycling Market Development Zone Loan Program (continuous).
- The next CalRecycle monthly public meeting is March 16.

9. COVID-19 GENERAL DISCUSSION

Eric Wolff, County of San Diego: The County continues to develop the virtual outreach inspection form which is anticipated to be shared at the next meeting.

- Attendees discussed virtual vs. in person site visits regarding SB 1383.

10. SB 1383 & AB 1826– ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE

Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside: The City continues to roll out their commercial organics recycling program. They are now assessing contamination from the initial rollout and are working with generators who do not need right sizing and are facing cost increases for the additional service.

11. TARP YOUR LOAD/LITTER ABATEMENT – OPPORTUNITIES TO UNIFY OUTREACH

Eric Wolff, County of San Diego: There is an upcoming [San Diego Regional Litter Abatement Subcommittee](#) meeting on March 15 from 3-4:30pm. The meeting will include a waste management discussion presented by Jim Ambroso, EDCO; Giovanna Castro, Republic Services; and Daniel Butler, Waste Management.

12. SUBCOMMITTEES' REPORT

a. Household Hazardous Waste – San Diego County unincorporated area residents are now able to use the Escondido HHW facility. The County is planning for an upcoming HHW collection event on May 1 and asked jurisdictions if they had plans for 1-day collection events.

- The City of Chula Vista will not be hosting 1-day collection events. The City of La Mesa continues to host monthly collection events at the EDCO facility and Oceanside continues to host 2 events each month.

b. Organics – The group continues to develop the SanDag Regional Planning Committee presentation and to promote the use of compost and mulch in the region.

13. ROUNDTABLE

Alison Schlick, Zero Waste San Diego: Alison introduced Dawn Lagmay to the group. Dawn will be participating in future zero waste projects in the Zero Waste San Diego intern position.

Alison also thanked all those who attended the 8th Annual Zero Waste Symposium that was held virtually on February 9th.

Matthew Clough, Plastic Beach: Matthew introduced himself to the group. Matthew is the CEO of Plastic Beach, a 501(c)3 non-profit that facilitates plastic film materials recycling at the pre-consumer stage at small and large companies. For more information, visit plastic-beach.com.

Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside: The City of Oceanside will be presenting the zero waste and climate action plan to City Council in March. Colleen highlighted the CRRA SB 1383 conference 2/23-2/25 which included over 60 speakers.

14. LEGISLATION

Ellyn Law, County of San Diego: Ellyn reported on the following:

- [AB 1086](#), Organic Waste: implementation Strategy. This bill would require the Natural Resources Agency in coordination with specified state agencies, and in consultation with stakeholders and relevant permitting agencies to prepare and submit to the Legislature, a report that provides an implantation strategy to achieve the state's organic waste, and related climate change and air quality mandates, goals, and targets.

15. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS

Meeting adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 1, 2021.