### **COUNTYWIDE INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT**

# CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE/ CRRA San Diego Chapter and Zero Waste San Diego Public Meeting MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

WHEN: Thursday, August 8, 2019 from 12:00 – 2:00 pm.

WHERE: EDCO MRF Escondido – 1021 West Mission Ave., Escondido, CA 92025

Tour of EDCO MRF starts at 12:00 pm. Regular Meeting from 1-2pm.

For directions and to RSVP, contact Steve Weihe at Steve.Weihe@sdcounty.ca.gov

Submit Agenda Items to Chair Rick Anthony and County Staff Steve Weihe 2 weeks prior to the next meeting: RicAnthony@aol.com and Steve.Weihe@sdcounty.ca.gov

# Agenda

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Approval, Minutes June 2019
- 3. Chair's Report
- 4. Staff Reports
  - Cities
  - County
  - Haulers
  - Non Profits
  - LWV
- 5. Public Comments and Communication
- 6. Regional Planning Issues
- 7. Legislative Update
  - Senator Wieckowski's Resolution supporting Basel Convention
    - o <a href="https://sd10.senate.ca.gov/news/2019-07-05-state-senate-approves-wieckowski-resolution-urging-congress-ratify-environmental">https://sd10.senate.ca.gov/news/2019-07-05-state-senate-approves-wieckowski-resolution-urging-congress-ratify-environmental</a>
  - Current Bills
    - AB 729-Carpet Recycling: Carpet Stewardship
- 8. Roundtable
- 9. Adjournment

#### **Minutes**

WHEN: Thursday, June 13, 2019 from 12:00-2:00 p.m.

WHERE: 5510 Overland -4th Floor Conf Room

- Welcome and Introductions- Rick Anthony (Chair), Bob Hill (EDCO), Natalia King (I Love a Clean San Diego), Beryl Flom (League of Women Voters), Carmen Romo (City of San Diego), Ellyn Law (County of San Diego), Steve Weihe (County of San Diego), Stephen Mergener (Scalvage), David Rousseau (Sierra Club)
- 2. Approval, Minutes May 2019- Approved; no changes

# 3. Chair's Report

- CRRA elections for the Southern District are now open. The election period will run from June 11, 2019-July 9, 2019.
- The Annual <u>CRRA Conference: The Culture of Zero Waste</u> will be held August 11-14 in Rancho Mirage.
- This year Zero Waste San Diego will be focusing on coordinating Fix-It Clinics, repealing the People's Ordinance, organizing EarthFair, and utilizing the City of San Diego's Certified Recyclable Material Collectors (CRMC) certification.

## 4. Staff Reports

- City of San Diego
  - o The City is piloting aerated static piles at the Miramar Greenery. There will be 24 stations that will increase capacity by 12,000 tons for a full capacity of 20,000 tons.
    - Member interest in future tour.

## County of San Diego

- The County continues to negotiate proposed changes to the construction and demolition recycling ordinance and non-exclusive franchise hauler agreements.
- The County is planning a tire amnesty event in Lincoln Acres.

# Haulers

- EDCO provided a facility tour and presentation on the current state of recycling for both the San Diego Regional Airport Authority and City of Chula Vista.
  - Member interest in a future tour/presentation
- EDCO highlighted the success of the shredding event in Vista which collected 9 tons of shredded material from 393 people. Upcoming shredding events will be held in Escondido (6/22) and La Mesa (6/22).
- China's National Gate Sword program is still in effect.

#### Sierra Club

Interest in Agilyx's chemical process of recycling.

# League of Women Voters

- The League of Women Voters, Zero Waste San Diego, and We The People continue
  the effort to repeal the People's Ordinance. The group had a meeting with
  Councilmember Cate's office and have scheduled a meeting with Councilmember
  Campbell in July.
- o The group is interested in working with an attorney and pursuing a lawsuit.

# • I Love a Clean San Diego

- A list of upcoming events were shared including: Bonita Community Cleanup (6/15),
   Sweetwater Community Cleanup (6/22), Break Out Your Take Out Container Day in
   Chula Vista (6/22), Zero Waste Home Workshop at the North Park Nursery (6/22),
   and Morning After Mess Cleanup (7/4).
- o ILACSD is working on updating the WasteFreeSD.org database with additional educational components.

## Scalvage

- o Scalvage continues salvaging items from estate and property cleanouts.
- The Old Mission Beach Athletic Club, Over-the-Line Tournament is scheduled for 7/13-14 and 7/20-21.

#### 5. Public Comments and Communication

- IWMCAC attendees requested information on whether the City of San Diego's polystyrene foam and single use plastics ordinance included meat trays.
- Alpha Project employs homeless people to pick up litter in San Diego communities.
  - o Alpha project has a booth at Stand Down 2019 event

#### 6. Regional Planning Issues -None

# 7. Legislative Update

- **AB 187:** *Used Mattress Recovery and Recycling Act.* This bill would revise and recast provisions of the Used Mattress Recovery and Recycling Act.
- **AB 792:** Recycling: plastic beverage containers: minimum recycled content. This bill would create a series of graduated minimum recycled content levels for all plastic beverage containers, starting at 25% in 2021.
- AB 815: Integrated waste management plans: source reduction and recycling element
  and household hazardous waste element: dual stream recycling programs. This bill
  would require CalRecycle to consider whether the jurisdiction has adopted a dual
  stream recycling program when considering if the jurisdiction has made a good faith
  effort to implement its source reduction and recycling element or household hazardous
  waste element.
- AB 827: Solid waste: commercial and organic waste: recycling bins. This bill would
  require certain businesses to provide customers with a recycling bin that is visible, easily
  accessible, and clearly marked with educational signage.

- SB 54 & AB 1080: California Circular Economy and Plastic Pollution Reduction Act. This bill would establish the California Circular Economy and Plastic Pollution Reduction Act, which would require CalRecycle to adopt regulations to source reduce and recycle 75% of single-use packaging and products sold or distributed in California by 2030.
- **AB 1509:** *Solid waste: lithium-ion batteries.* This bill would establish the Lithium-Ion Battery Recycling Program.
- **AB 1583:** California Recycling Market Development Act. This bill would delete the prescribed description of the triangle used on all rigid plastic bottles and containers that indicates the resin used to produce the bottle or container.
- **AB 1770:** *Tire recycling program: rubberized pavement.* This bill would extend the operation of the Rubberized Pavement Market Development Act to June 30, 2024.
- **SB 405:** Solid waste: reclaimed asphalt pavement: pilot project: The County of Los Angeles. This would authorize the County of Los Angeles to create a pilot project to demonstrate the viability of paving streets, roads, and highways with hot mix asphalt that is composed of between 85% and 100% reclaimed asphalt pavement.
- **SB 424:** *Tobacco products: single-use and multiuse components.* This bill would prohibit a person or entity from selling, giving, or furnishing to another person a cigarette utilizing a single-use filter made of any material, an attachable and single-use plastic device meant to facilitate manual manipulation or filtration of a tobacco product, and a single-use electronic cigarette or vaporizer device.
- **SB 667:** Greenhouse gases: recycling infrastructure and facilities. This would require CalRecycle to develop financial incentive mechanisms to fund organic waste diversion and recycling infrastructure
- SB 724: The California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act. This would increase the number of convenience zone exemptions allowable in the California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act.

## 8. Roundtable

- The County is interested in promoting a countywide message of "Don't Bag Recyclables" and "Recycle Right."
- IWMCAC member interest in providing recommendations to the County of San Diego/SANDAG.

# 9. Adjournment

• July 11 meeting cancelled. August 8 meeting hosted at EDCO.