COUNTYWIDE INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE/ CRRA San Diego Chapter and Zero Waste San Diego Public Meeting MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

WHEN: Thursday, October 14th, 2021 from 12:00 – 2:00 pm.

This meeting will be virtual

MEETING LINK: Join Microsoft Teams Meeting

Phone call in through Teams:

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Agenda

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Minutes

WHEN: Thursday, September 9, 2021, from 12:00-1:06 p.m.

- 1. Welcome and Introductions: Debbie Dodson (Carton Council), Beryl Flom (League of Women Voters San Diego), Chase Wiegand (City of San Diego), Ellyn Law (County of San Diego), Steve Weihe (County of San Diego), Stephen Mergener (Scalvage), Rick Anthony (Chair)
- 2. Approval, Minutes Sept 2021 Approved, no changes.

3. Chair's Report

The Chair is looking forward to the upcoming conferences in September and October.

4. Staff Reports

- City of San Diego
 - The City continues to plan for upcoming SB 1383 requirements including rolling out food waste collection programs at City facilities starting January 1.
 - The City distributed letters regarding the City Recycling Ordinance amendments to non-compliant multifamily complexes and businesses.
 - o The City is developing new resources for multifamily complexes.
 - The City completed 1,300 door knocks to multifamily residences and reported that over 50% of residents opened their door. Staff will complete a second waste sort next week to assess the effectiveness of outreach.
 - o The City's education services contract with I Love a Clean San Diego has begun.
 - The Zero Waste Business Awards may be postponed another year due to impacts from Covid. Updates will be shared as they become available.
- County of San Diego
 - The Program Coordinator, Recycling Specialist I and II application periods have closed.
 - The County is partnering with News & Review Publications to develop a publication that focuses on SB 1383 and organic materials management.
 - Interest in partnering with jurisdictions and organizations to coordinate organics messaging.
- Scalvage
 - o Scalvage had an HHW appointment at Miramar.
- Carton Council
 - Schools are back in session on campuses. Funding is available for schools to implement carton recycling programs.
- Zero Waste San Diego
 - Zero Waste San Diego continues to work on Fix-it Clinics. Interest in combining the clinics with reuse fairs.

- League of Women Voters San Diego
 - o The League's next Policy Committee Meeting is October 4.
 - o Interest in continuing the effort to repeal the People's Ordinance.

5. Public Comments and Communication

• The County is hosting the grand opening of the Demonstration Garden at the County Operations Center on Wednesday, October 27.

6. Regional Planning Issues

• There is an upcoming <u>Statewide Commission on Recycling Markets and Curbside</u>
<u>Recycling meeting on October 6.</u>

7. Legislative Update

- AB 246, Contractors: disciplinary actions (Approved by the Governor 7/9/21) would add illegal dumping to the list of violations that constitute a cause for disciplinary action against a contractor by the Contractors State License Board.
- AB 332, Hazardous waste: treated wood waste: management standards (approved by the Governor 8/31/2021)— would require a person managing treated wood waste to comply with the hazardous waste control laws or the management standards established in the bill.
- AB 478, Solid waste: thermoform plastic containers: postconsumer recycled plastic: commingled rates (failed deadline) would on and after January 1, 2024, require the total thermoform plastic containers sold by a producer in the state to contain specified amounts of postconsumer thermoform recycled plastic pursuant to a tiered plan that would require the total thermoform plastic containers to contain no less than 20% or 30% postconsumer recycled plastic per year on and after June 1, 2030.
- AB 504, Solid waste: commercial and organic waste: recycling bins (approved by the Governor 7/9/21)— would for a theme park, amusement park, water park, resort or entertainment complex, zoo, attraction or similar facility, restrict the requirement to provide customers with a recycling bin or container to permanent, nonmobile food service facilities with dedicated seating areas that are not full-service restaurants among other things.
- AB 881, Plastic waste: diversion: recycling: export would make the export out of the
 country (Canada and Mexico excluded) of a mixture of certain plastics considered
 "disposal" unless the mixture includes only certain plastics destined for separate
 recycling and satisfies other specified requirements, in which case that export would
 constitute diversion through recycling.
- AB 962, California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act: reusable beverage containers – would authorize the department to authorize a processor to satisfy that cancellation requirement by washing a reusable beverage container or transferring a reusable beverage container for subsequent washing to an approved processor.
- AB 1086, Organic waste: implementation strategy (failed deadline)- would request that
 the California Council on Science and Technology in consultation with its research
 partners to undertake and within 12 months complete a report that provides and

- implementation strategy to achieve the state's organic waste and related climate change goals and targets.
- AB 1201, Solid waste: plastic products: labeling: compostability and biodegradability—
 Current law defines "plastic product" for these purposes to mean a product made of
 plastic, whether alone or in combination with other material. This bill would repeal that
 definition of "plastic product" and replace certain references to "plastic product" in
 those and related provisions with "product," includes, but is not limited to, a consumer
 product, a package or packaging component, and a food or beverage container.
- <u>AB 1276</u>, Single-use food accessories would prohibit a food facility or a third-party food delivery platform from providing single-use food accessories to consumers unless requested by the consumer.
- AB 1311, Recycling: beverage containers would apply specified provisions applicable to reverse vending machines under the California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act to bag drop recycling centers.
- <u>SB 244,</u> Lithium-ion batteries: illegal disposal: fire prevention would prohibit a person from knowingly disposing of a lithium-ion battery in a container that is intended for the collection of solid waste or recyclable materials, unless the container is designated for collection of batteries.
- SB 343, Environmental advertising: recycling symbol would further declare it is the public policy of the state that claims related to the recyclability of a product or packaging be truthful and that consumers deserve accurate and useful information related to how to properly handle the end of life of a product or packaging.
- <u>SB 619</u>, Organic waste: reduction regulations would authorize a local jurisdiction facing continuing violations of SB 1383 regulations that commence during the 2022 calendar year of those regulations to submit to the department no later than March 1, 2022, a notification of intent to comply, as prescribed.

8. Roundtable

- Target is holding their annual Car Seat Trade-In Event from 9/12-9/25.
- Aquafil is a carpet and padding recycler in Miramar and both business and residential carpet and padding is accepted for free.

9. Adjournment

Next meeting is scheduled for October 14, 2021.