

**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.

**Thursday, February 3, 2022**

**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**

**If any accommodations are needed, please contact Eric Wolff (contact info below). Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least 3 days prior to the scheduled meeting.**

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# INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thursday, February 3, 2022– Agenda

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| <b>1. QUORUM</b> (at least 10 jurisdiction representatives must be present)  | <b>APPROVE</b>     |
| <b>2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>3. REVIEW OF THE DECEMBER 2, 2021 AND JANUARY 6, 2022 MEETING SUMMARIES</b>   | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS</b><br><i>Guests who wish to speak on a matter that does not appear on the agenda may do so during the Public Comments and Communications period.</i> | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>5. CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT</b>   | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>6. PRESENTATIONS</b><br><br>ARCA Recycling Overview<br>Joyce Allen, West Coast Regional Sales Manager, ARCA Recycling, Inc.   | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>7. CALRECYCLE UPDATE</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>8. CPSC UPDATE</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>9. LEGISLATION</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>10. COVID-19 - GENERAL DISCUSSION</b>   | <b>DISCUSSION</b>  |
| <b>11. SB 1383 &amp; AB 1826 – ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE</b>  | <b>DISCUSSION</b>  |
| <b>12. TARP YOUR LOAD/LITTER ABATEMENT</b>   | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>13. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Household Hazardous Waste</li><li>b. Organics</li><li>c. Edible Food Recovery</li></ul>                              | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>14. ROUNDTABLE</b><br>TAC Members may present items to the Committee regarding topics not covered in the agenda   | <b>DISCUSSION</b>  |
| <b>15. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS</b>   |                    |

**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT  
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
Thursday, January 6, 2022 – Meeting Summary**

**Attendance**

**Members:**

Ofelia Andrade, City of Coronado  
Manuel Medrano, City of Chula Vista  
Lori Calvert, City of Escondido  
Christian Olivas, City of Lemon Grove  
Izzy Murguia, City of Poway  
Jeanne Patton, City of San Diego  
Heather Heckman, City of Santee  
Leslie Webb Blanco, City of Vista

**Guests:**

Doug Kobold, California Product Stewardship Council  
Haley Aumiller, CalRecycle  
Roberta Goldenpenny, CalRecycle  
Malia Helms, CalRecycle  
Frank Pacheco, City of El Centro  
Fabian Rodriguez, EDCO  
Tyla Soylu, Ekolojik  
Patricia Alvarez De Los Cobos, Energy Communications  
Karen Clay, Gleaner  
Nita Kurmins Gilson, Produce Good  
Alyssa Estes, Republic Services  
Rick Gloria, City of San Diego LEA  
April Andrews, County of San Diego  
Steve Weihe, County of San Diego  
Michael Wonsidler, County of San Diego  
Melissa Porter, County of San Diego DEHQ  
Geertje Grootenhuis, San Diego Food System Alliance  
Jessica Toth, Solana Center for Environmental Innovation  
Debbie Descans, Waste Management  
Stephen Mergener, Zero Waste San Diego  
Timothy Lee  
Jayson Martin  
Jackie Weeden

**Staff:** Eric Wolff, County of San Diego

**Meeting Summary**

**1. QUORUM**

The Chair determined that quorum was not met and called the meeting to order.

**2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Jurisdiction representatives and guests introduced themselves.

**3. REVIEW OF THE DECEMBER 2, 2021 MEETING SUMMARY**

The December 2, 2021, Meeting Summary will be reviewed at the February 3, 2022 meeting.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**Geertje Grootenhuis, San Diego Food System Alliance** – San Diego Food System Alliance has developed [SB 1383 educational resources for hunger relief organizations](#).

**Nita Kurmins Gilson, Produce Good** – Produce Good is interested in partnering with local jurisdictions who apply for the CalRecycle SB 1383 assistance grant program.

## 5. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

**Eric Wolff, County of San Diego** - The County disseminated an educational [newsletter](#) on organics and reducing food waste to unincorporated area residents and businesses.

## 6. CPSC UPDATE

**Doug Kobold, California Produce Stewardship Council:** The Legislature reconvened on January 3. A legislative update on the following bills was shared:

- [AB 659](#) - Doubles fines for illegally dumped livestock carcasses.
- [AB 661](#) - Require state agencies to purchase recycled products.
- [AB 1067](#) - Would require the department to conduct a study inquiring whether the \$100 per day payment to the department under the California Beverage Container and Litter Reduction Act provides inducement for dealers to meet standards for redemption.
- [SB 38](#) - Overhaul of the CRV program. Affects curbside blue bins, CCP payments and funding for recycling centers.
- [SB 45](#) - Offers funding for local governments for SB 1383.

An update on regulations was shared:

- SB 1335 Regulations have been adopted. There is a resource list on CalRecycle's website and on the CPSC legislation list.
- SB 212- Stewardship plans for both pharma and sharps were due to CalRecycle on July 7, 2021. Penalties start January 7, 2022, if no approved plan. Med-Project submitted a pharma plan on September 14, 2021 that CalRecycle conditionally approved on December 9, 2021. Drug Take Back Solutions Foundation submitted a pharma plan on November 19, 2021. CalRecycle found the Foundation's pharma plan submittal complete on December 20, and has until February 17 to approve, conditionally approve, or reject the plan. Three organizations have submitted sharps plans so far. Med-Project and Ultimed submitted sharp plans that were conditionally approved by CalRecycle on December 9 and 27, respectively. Drug Take Back Solutions submitted a sharps plan on November 19. CalRecycle found the submittal complete on December 20 and has until February 17 to approve, conditionally approve, or reject the plan.

## 7. PRESENTATIONS

**Patricia Alvarez de los Cobos, Energy Communications, Corp** – Patricia provided an overview of the reach of Spanish language media in San Diego County and the opportunity for recycling related outreach to Hispanic audiences. For more information, please contact Patricia Alvarez De Los Cobos at [Patricia.Alvarez@xewt12.tv](mailto:Patricia.Alvarez@xewt12.tv).

## 8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE

**Roberta Goldenpenny, CalRecycle**, reported on the following:

- Sign up for the CalRecycle list serv for updates on various topics.
- The SB 1383 resource webpage has new training materials, tools, and guidance documents.
- There is an organics procurement informational webpage that includes FAQ and a section on procurement of biomass electricity.
- The CalRecycle YouTube page has also been updated.
- CalRecycle continues to assist jurisdictions with SB 1383 programs.
- Additional SB 619 information will be provided in the CalRecycle attachment sent with the Minutes.
- Upcoming events include the Compost Use Best Management Practices Webinar (1/19-20) and the CalRecycle monthly public meeting (1/18).
- An update on grant/loan cycles was shared including SB 1383 Assistance Grant (due 2/1), Beverage Container Recycling City/County Payment Program (due 1/18), Farm and Ranch Solid Waste Cleanup and Abatement Grant (due 2/10).

## **9. COVID-19 GENERAL DISCUSSION**

The County has recommended teleworking for the next two weeks. The haulers have not reported any work stoppages due to the high transmission of the Omicron variant.

## **10. SB 1383 & AB 1826– ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE**

SB 1383 is in effect now. The city of La Mesa has had food scrap collection since April 2021. Chula Vista has rolled out AB 1826 oversight for commercial and multi-family complexes. San Diego is actively onboarding additional businesses in the organic recycling program at Miramar Landfill.

## **11. TARP YOUR LOAD/LITTER ABATEMENT – OPPORTUNITIES TO UNIFY OUTREACH** - No report.

## **12. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT**

- **Household Hazardous Waste** – CARB considering amending or discontinuing the deposit program on small containers of car air conditional refrigerant. An estimated 1 million containers are sold annually. A \$10 recycling fee is paid upfront and there is a 60% recovery rate. CARB is holding a workshop on this topic January 20, 2022.
- **Organics** – No report.
- **Edible Food Recovery** – No report.

## **13. ROUNDTABLE** – No discussion.

## **14. LEGISLATION** – No report.

## **15. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS**

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 3, 2022.