

**INTEGRATED WASTE
MANAGEMENT
TECHNICAL ADVISORY
COMMITTEE**

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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.

MEMBER JURISDICTIONS

Carlsbad
Chula Vista
Coronado
Del Mar
El Cajon
Encinitas
Escondido
Imperial Beach
La Mesa
Lemon Grove
National City
Oceanside
Poway
San Diego
San Marcos
Santee
Solana Beach
Vista
County of San Diego

Thursday, April 6, 2023

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

This meeting will be held in person at 5510 Overland Ave. San Diego, CA 92123 on the second-floor conference room #271 for TAC members and guests, as well as online at the link below for TAC guests.

Meeting Link: [Join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#)

+1 619-343-2539 United States, San Diego (Toll)

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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Thursday, April 6, 2023– Agenda

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| 1. QUORUM (at least 10 jurisdiction representatives must be present) | APPROVE |
| 2. STATEMENT (JUST CAUSE) AND/OR CONSIDERATION OF A REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE REMOTELY (EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCES) BY A COMMITTEE MEMBER, IF APPLICABLE | APPROVE |
| 3. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS | INFORMATION |
| 4. REVIEW OF THE MARCH 2, 2023 MEETING SUMMARY | INFORMATION |
| 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS
<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> | INFORMATION |
| 6. CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT | INFORMATION |
| 7. PRESENTATIONS

City of San Diego Organic Waste Recycling Marketing Campaign Update
Emily Creegan, PhD, City of San Diego | INFORMATION |
| 8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE | INFORMATION |
| 9. CPSC UPDATE | INFORMATION |
| 10. LEGISLATION | INFORMATION |
| 11. SB 1383 & AB 1826 – ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE – 3 bin? | DISCUSSION |
| 12. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT (on hiatus) <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Household Hazardous Wasteb. Organicsc. Edible Food Recovery | INFORMATION |
| 13. ROUNDTABLE
TAC Members may present items to the Committee regarding topics not covered in the agenda | DISCUSSION |
| 14. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS | |

**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Thursday, March 2, 2023 – Meeting Summary**

Attendance

Members:

Avecita Jones, City of Carlsbad
Manuel Medrano, City of Chula Vista
Ofelia Andrade, City of Coronado
Michael Luna, City of Del Mar
Monica Martinez, City of El Cajon
Lori Calvert, City of Escondido
Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach
Hilary Ego, City of La Mesa
Christian Olivas, City of Lemon Grove*
Ricardo Rodriguez, City of National City
Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside
Jennafer Steffen, City of Poway
Polina Osipova, City of San Diego
Heather Heckman, City of Santee
Leslie Webb-Blanco, City of Vista*

Virtual Guests:

Jill Firch, CalRecycle*
Tracy Swanborn, HF&H Consultants*
Sarah Davis, Hoch Consulting*
Serena Lee, City of La Mesa
Lucian Toma, reEarth Consulting*
Ellyn Law, County of San Diego
Michael Wonsidler, County of San Diego
Vanessa Mello, County of San Diego DEHQ*
Craig Kolodge San Pasqual Valley Soils*
Fernando Moreno, SCS Engineers*
Mallika Sen, Solana Center for Environmental Innovation*
Leslie Webb-Blanco, City of Vista*
Stephen Mergener, Zero Waste San Diego, Scalvage*

Staff: Eric Wolff, County of San Diego

**Virtual Attendee*

Meeting Summary

1. QUORUM

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

2. STATEMENT (JUST CAUSE) AND/OR CONSIDERATION OF A REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE REMOTELY – None.

3. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Jurisdiction representatives and guests introduced themselves.

4. REVIEW OF THE FEBRUARY 2, 2023 MEETING SUMMARY – Reviewed. No comments.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Stephen Mergener, Zero Waste San Diego: Thank you to those that participated in the 10th annual Zero Waste Symposium! The event included 200 in-person attendees and 50 virtual attendees with 25 speakers discussing an array of sustainability topics. A list of upcoming [Fixit Clinics](#) was also shared including San Diego Lemon Grove (3/11) and Carlsbad (4/1).

Mallika Sen, Solana Center for Environmental Innovation: The Solana Center is conducting extensive education and outreach with the City of San Diego to support the organic materials collection rollout. Solana Center also had the opportunity to share insight on SB 1383 programming at the SWANA and CalRecycle March webinar. Solana Center will be starting inspections for tier 2 commercial edible food generators. A full list of upcoming public outreach events is available on Solana Center's [website](#).

6. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT – No report.

7. PRESENTATION

Eric Wolff, County of San Diego: Preliminary results of the County's Processing Facility Capacity Study was shared. The County surveyed facilities that process recyclable, organic and construction and demolition materials to understand existing processing capacity and assess, if and when, additional capacity will be needed in the future. The white paper is still in draft form and is anticipated to be shared with the Board of Supervisors on June 28. For more information, please contact Eric at Eric.Wolff@sdcounty.ca.gov.

8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE

Jill Firch, CalRecycle: Jill reported on the following:

- CalRecycle is hosting a SB 1383 chat with a focus on multifamily dwellings on 3/15. The April chat will focus on local education agencies. Recordings of past webinars are available on CalRecycle's YouTube channel.
- CalRecycle Jurisdiction and Agency Compliance and Enforcement Branch is completing EAR reviews. LAMD staff will follow up with any identified technical assistance when they complete conference calls for the jurisdictions.
- The 2022 EAR will be released in June with a due date to CalRecycle by August 1, 2023. CalRecycle will hold a training webinar prior to June.
- CalRecycle continues to work with jurisdictions with an approved notification of intent to comply through the SB 619 process to develop their corrective action plans.
- CalRecycle began SB 1383 compliance evaluations. Notifications will be sent out prior to the evaluation. Every jurisdiction will be reviewed in the next four years.
- CalRecycle hosted four webinars in December and January on the I Recycle Smart Campaign. The training recordings and presentations are available on the Jurisdiction Toolkit [webpage](#).
- An update on [grant/loan opportunities](#) was shared including Organics Grant Program (applications due 4/20), Greenhouse Gas Reduction Loan Program (continuous applications), Recycling Market Development Zone Loan Program (continuous applications), Redemption Pilot Project Program (continuous applications).
- The next CalRecycle public meeting is scheduled for March 21.

9. CPSC UPDATE – No update

10. LEGISLATION

Ellyn Law, County of San Diego: Ellyn shared an update on the following bill:

- [SB 707](#), Responsible Textile Recovery Act of 2023 – This bill would establish a stewardship program for the collection and recycling of any apparel, textile, or textile article that is unsuitable for reuse by a consumer in its current condition.

11. SB 1383 & AB 1826– ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE

Michael Luna, City of Del Mar: Del Mar completed their SB 1383 rollout for commercial customers. IWMTAC members discussed waivers and potential appeal processes.

Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside: Colleen noted that it would be helpful to have a share table on how jurisdictions are planning on addressing enforcement.

Michael Luna, City of Del Mar: Michael asked the group how jurisdictions’ internal agreements on purchases were going.

IWMTAC Members: IWMTAC members discussed implementation record files.

12. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT

- Household Hazardous Waste, Organics, Edible Food Recovery** – No report.

13. ROUNDTABLE

Avecita Jones, City of Carlsbad: The City of Carlsbad is hosting a Fixit Clinic and e-waste collection event March 4. The City has an open Environmental Specialist I position.

Hilary Ego, City of La Mesa: Hilary introduced Serena Lee to the group. Serena will be representing La Mesa at TAC meetings moving forward. Save the date for La Mesa’s Earth Day fair on April 22! The City also has a new contract with I Love a Clean San Diego for a litter cleanup program.

Michael Luna, City of Del Mar: Del Mar hosted a Del Mar Recycles event on February 11 that diverted 10 tons from the landfill and collected 30 pounds of donatable goods with Goodwill.

Jennafer Steffen, City of Poway: Jennafer will be Poway’s new TAC representative.

Polina Osipova, City of San Diego: The City continues the residential organics collection rollout. The City’s Single Use Plastic Reduction Ordinance goes into effect April 1, 2023.

Monica Martinez, City of El Cajon: El Cajon is hosting a cleanup in celebration of Earth Day.

Caitlin Barboza, County of San Diego: Thank you to those who attended the Zero Waste Symposium at the County Operations Center. The event had a 98% diversion rate!

14. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 6, 2023.