

**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, May 4, 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, May 4, 2023– Agenda**

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| <b>1. QUORUM</b> (at least 10 jurisdiction representatives must be present)  | <b>APPROVE</b>     |
| <b>2. STATEMENT (JUST CAUSE) AND/OR CONSIDERATION OF A REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE REMOTELY (EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCES) BY A COMMITTEE MEMBER, IF APPLICABLE</b>                                      | <b>APPROVE</b>     |
| <b>3. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>4. REVIEW OF THE APRIL 6, 2023 MEETING SUMMARY</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>5. 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>6. CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT</b>   | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>7. PRESENTATIONS</b><br><br>Edible Food Donation<br>Vanessa Mello, County of San Diego & Kate Garrett, Feeding San Diego  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>9. CPSC UPDATE</b>  | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>10. LEGISLATION</b>   | <b>INFORMATION</b> |
| <b>11. SB 1383 &amp; AB 1826 – ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE</b>  | <b>DISCUSSION</b>  |
| <b>12. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT (on hiatus)</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>13. ROUNDTABLE</b><br>TAC Members may present items to the Committee regarding topics not covered in the agenda – “Recent” waste characterizations  | <b>DISCUSSION</b>  |
| <b>14. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS</b>   |                    |

**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT  
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
Thursday, April 6, 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  
Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach  
Serena Lee, City of La Mesa  
Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside  
Jennafer Steffen, City of Poway  
Polina Osipova, City of San Diego  
Samantha Byfield, City of San Marcos

**Guests:**

Jill Larner, CalRecycle\*  
Emily Schuetz, CalRecycle\*  
Haein Kim, City of El Cajon  
Emily Torres, City of Del Mar  
Bob Hill, EDCO\*  
Amy Unruh, I Love a Clean San Diego  
Karen Clay, I Love to Glean\*  
Dominique Dashwood, ProduceGood\*  
Emily Creegan, City of San Diego ESD\*  
Daron Warkentin, City of San Diego LEA\*  
Ellyn Law, County of San Diego  
Kaitlin Lowe, County of San Diego  
Jose Tamayo, County of San Diego  
Michael Wonsidler, County of San Diego\*  
Craig Kolodge, San Pasqual Valley Soils\*  
Cynthia Mallett, SCS Engineers\*  
Fernando Moreno, SCS Engineers\*  
Mayra Garcia, SD International Airport\*  
Mallika Sen, Solana Center\*  
Debbie Descans, Waste Management\*  
Phil Lamb, WasteVision AI\*

**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 MARCH 2, 2023 MEETING SUMMARY – Reviewed. No comments.**

**5. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**Mallika Sen, Solana Center:** Solana Center is looking for a new business location after being in Encinitas for over 40 years! Please send any site recommendations to [Mallika.Sen@solanacenter.org](mailto:Mallika.Sen@solanacenter.org). Solana Center continues to conduct SB 1383 tier 1 and 2 inspections and noted seeing great food waste management practices in place during assessments. Solana Center is working with the City of San Diego to develop a SB 1383 training program for inspectors. A list of upcoming public outreach events and workshops is available online at [solanacenter.org/events](https://solanacenter.org/events).

**Karen Clay, I Love to Glean:** Karen is working with a group that is actively pursuing a cold food hub and is interested in hearing from any organizations that need more capacity. Please contact [info@ilovetoglean.org](mailto:info@ilovetoglean.org) for more information.

## 6. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

**Eric Wolff, County of San Diego:** None

## 7. PRESENTATION

**Emily Creegan, City of San Diego:** Emily presented the City's Organic Waste Recycling Campaign. The campaign was geared towards residents and business to increase awareness and facilitate behavior change to introduce the green organics bin and how to use it. The City worked with consultants to develop a new campaign website, online partner toolkit, and various ad designs including truck signs, outdoor billboards, bus shelter ads, event banners, social media posts, audio streaming ads, videos and newspaper ads. Additional education and outreach efforts include customer lid flips and cart tags, Miramar Greenery visual checks, surveys, focus groups, stakeholder interview and media analysis. For more information visit [OrganicWasteRecycleSD.org](https://OrganicWasteRecycleSD.org).

## 8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE

**Jill Larner, CalRecycle:** Jill reported on the following:

- CalRecycle is hosting a SB 1383 chat with a focus on collaboration and program implementation for local education agencies on April 19.
- AB 661 was approved by the Governor on September 25, 2022, which adds new recycling-related requirements under the Public Contract Code.
- The 2022 Electronic Annual Report will be released in June. CalRecycle will hold a training webinar on the report prior to June. Details will be shared as they become available.
- CalRecycle has I Recycle Smart campaign [resources](#) available for jurisdictions.
- An update on [grant/loan opportunities](#) was shared including Local Conservation Corps Grant Program (applications due 4/6/23), Local Government Waste Tire Amnesty Grant Program (applications due 4/6/23), Organics Grant Program (4/20/23), Greenhouse Gas Reduction Loan Program (continuous), Recycling Market Development Loan Program (continuous), redemption pilot project program (continuous).
- The next CalRecycle public meeting is on April 18.

IWMTAC members had the following questions:

- **Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside:** Colleen asked if there was an update on the SB 1383 payment program.
- **Michael Luna, City of Del Mar:** Michael requested an update on an information request for SB 1383 enforcement on non-local entities.
- **Eric Wolff, County of San Diego:** Eric requested information on the authority for jurisdictions to conduct inspections on non-local entities.

**9. CPSC UPDATE** – No report. There is a hybrid in-person/virtual Illegal Dumping Conference April 19-21.

**10. LEGISLATION** – No update.

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

**Eric Wolff, County of San Diego:** Eric asked the group if any jurisdictions had less than a 3-bin system.

**Michael Luna, City of Del Mar:** [SB 613](#) was introduced on February 15 which would exempt a local jurisdiction from certain SB 1383 requirements if the jurisdiction disposes of less than 5,000 tons of solid waste per year and has less than 7,500 people.

**Samantha Byfield, City of San Marcos:** Samantha asked the group how jurisdictions are capturing new potential tier 1 and 2 businesses to add to their SB 1383 program. Suggestions included engaging the Planning Department or Economic Development Division, and /or hauler.

**Michael Luna, City of Del Mar:** Michael provided an update on the appeal process for SB 1383 waivers. The City is now 100% compliant!

**Serena Lee, City of La Mesa:** Interest in a calculator to determine amount of organic waste generated per tenant in multifamily complexes.

## **12. SUBCOMMITTEES' REPORT**

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

## **13. ROUNDTABLE**

**Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside:** Interest in finding reuse opportunities of hand sanitizer and COVID-19 test kits. The City also has an upcoming opening for a Senior Environmental Specialist position.

**Michael Luna, City of Del Mar:** Interest in procurement opportunities of 3-bin collection systems to use for City facilities.

**IWMTAC Members:** Members shared upcoming Earth Day activities including the following events:

- Chula Vista Earth Day – 4/15
- Carlsbad Earth Day – 4/15
- Oceanside Earth Day – 4/20

- La Mesa Earth Day – 4/22
- Keep Del Mar Clean – 4/19

**Daron Warkentin, City of San Diego LEA:** The City is hiring for a Solid Waste Inspector III.

#### **14. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS**

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 4, 2023.