

Sustainable Solid Waste Management Future Roadmap Implementation Working Group: Regional/Countywide Subcommittee

Monday, January 12, 2015
2:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.
Meeting Summary

1. Introductions *(15 minutes)*

- a. Subcommittee Purpose
 - i. Recap of Roadmap: decrease reliance on landfills; No new landfills in the county
 - ii. AB 939 (1989, Sher), AB 32 (2006, Nunez), AB 341 (2011, Chesbro), AB 1826 (2014, Chesbro)
- b. Roles and Subcommittee Interest

2. Confirm Top Priorities *(15 minutes)*

- a. Countywide Household Hazardous Waste Program
 - i. Keep out of landfills
 - ii. Countywide program is largest in the nation
 - iii. Weekly collection events and a number of permanent centers
 - iv. Potential new permanent sites
 - v. Coordination with other agencies for emergency mgmt. of HHW also part of Mass Debris Removal
- b. Regional Conversion Technology Facilities (mid to long term goal)
 - i. LACSD has current pilot projects
 - ii. Turning waste into a resource
 - iii. Organics processing facilities (composting, conversion technologies)
 - iv. Potential regional collaboration including with City of LA?
- c. Reuse and Resource Recovery Centers
 - i. Residents bring a variety of materials for reuse
 - ii. Examine statewide examples
- d. Mass Debris Removal Plan

- i. Major natural disasters- large quantities of materials
 - ii. What can be reused/recycled?
 - iii. Public Works developing RFP for working on Countywide Debris Management Plan
 - iv. Develop best practices for County to also be implemented by cities
- e. Sustainable Funding
 - i. Less material going to landfills = less revenue/funding for diversion programs; how to supplement
- f. Countywide Siting Element
 - i. Must involve cities/outreach
 - ii. Contains no new landfills

3. Discuss Follow Up Meetings and Schedule (10 minutes)

- a. Expectations
- b. Frequency and Format
 - i. Every other month
 - ii. Face to face meetings preferably
 - iii. Mid-week meeting (Wed or Thurs)
 - iv. Consideration of working group within subcommittee
- c. Next meeting tentatively scheduled for Thursday, February 26, 2015**

4. Next Steps (10 minutes)

- i. Presentations on specific programs including HHW, Debris Removal
- ii. Email with breakdown of sub-groups + participants
- iii. Follow-up to discuss makeup of working groups on specific topics
- iv. Reporting to BOS on an annual basis beginning in October

Meeting Participants

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