

Responsible Recycling Task Force

Meeting #9 – December 14, 2018



Agenda

- **11:00 – 11:05:** Welcome & Introduction (*Julie Colehour*)
- **11:05 – 11:20:** Report Feedback (*Julie Colehour*)
- **11:20 – 12:00:** Top Priorities for Achieving Responsible Recycling (*Group Activity*)
- **12:00 – 12:15:** Lunch break
- **12:15 – 12:55:** Implementing Parties (*Group Activity*)
- **12:55 – 1:10:** Transmittal Process (*Julie Colehour*)
- **1:10 – 1:15:** Wrap Up & Next Steps (*Julie Colehour*)



Task Force Goals

- **Short Term Goal:** To help identify near-, mid- and long-term actions in response to reduction in export markets for mixed recyclable materials due to China National Sword policies.
- **Longer Term Goal:** To help establish commitment across the region to responsible recycling and domestic sorting/processing of curbside recyclables.
- **Outcomes:** Prepare a report with actionable items and recommendations for future action by all; if possible, develop interim tools for communications and other topics that are more immediately available.
- **Role of Task Force:** Not to make decisions, rather to learn about the problem, understand activities that are being implemented elsewhere and opportunities for change. They will provide guidance on next steps that will be brought back to county advisory committees and decision makers.

Revisit Previous Meetings

- Approve 11/15 Meeting Minutes



RRTF Report Feedback



- Overall flow of report
- Formatting of Recommendation and Action Item section
- Adjustments to wording of “Recycling is Not Free”

Top Priorities for Achieving Responsible Recycling

Group Activity



Top Priorities for Achieving Responsible Recycling in the Region:

Group Activity – *15 minutes*

- Each person receives 5 small stickies.
- **Activity:** Place your 5 stickies on the actions that you see as the top priorities for achieving responsible recycling in the region.
- **Important:** Write your name on each sticky, as well as a number to indicate the order of priority, with 1 being the highest priority.

Lunch Break

15 minutes



Implementing Parties

Group Activity



Implementing Parties:

Group Activity – *15 minutes*

- Each person receives 5 mid-sized stickies.
- **Activity:** Place your 5 stickies on the actions that your city or organization is willing and able to accomplish.
- **Important:** Write the name of your city or organization on each of your stickies and place them in the “Implementing Parties” column on the chart.

Transmittal Process

Jeff Gaisford



Wrap Up & Next Steps

- Please email any additional feedback to Colette by December 22nd
- RRTF planning team will revise and finalize report based on feedback
- The final version of the report will be sent to task force members on January 3rd