



## AGENDA

### DAY ONE: TUESDAY, MAY 12, 2015

- 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **CARMZD Quarterly Meeting** .....Granada/Hermosa Ballroom  
(All Zone Administrators Welcome)
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **RMDZ 101** (Designed for new Zone Administrators)..... California Ballroom  
Led by CalRecycle staff, this session is designed for new Zone Administrators to get an overview of the RMDZ program, roles and responsibilities and related resources. This is a great time to meet with your Zone Liaison and to address any questions you have about the program.
- 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Lunch** ..... California Ballroom
- 12:30 p.m. – 12:40 p.m. **Welcome and Introductions**  
**Marshalle Graham**, Senior Environmental Scientist (Specialist), CalRecycle
- 12:40 p.m. – 1:10 p.m. **Session I: CalRecycle GHG Reduction Grant and Loan Programs**  
Moderator: **Marshalle Graham**, Senior Environmental Scientist (Specialist), CalRecycle  
**Alex Bryne**, Grant Manager, GHG Grants, CalRecycle  
**Stanley Uyeda**, Associate Governmental Program Analyst, CalRecycle  
**Bruce Quigley**, Staff Loan Officer (Supervisor), CalRecycle  
Get an update on CalRecycle's Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Reduction Grant and Loan programs, specifically the available funding, timelines, past awardees, etc. Each of the past grantees are located within in a RMDZ. So, this is of particular importance to Zone Administrators and developing local recycling infrastructure.
- 1:10 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. **Stretch Break**
- 1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. **Session II: Mattress Recovery and Recycling**  
Moderator: **Marshalle Graham**, Senior Environmental Scientist (Specialist), CalRecycle  
**Brenda Smyth**, Manager, Statewide Technical and Analytical Services Branch, CalRecycle  
**Doug Kobold**, Waste Management Program Manager, Sacramento County  
**Aravan Saelao**, Green Nation Recycling  
**Nam Giang**, Green Nation Recycling  
It is estimated that millions of mattresses and box springs reach the end of their lives in California every year. The bulky nature of mattresses and the limited recycling of used mattresses results in significant illegal dumping costs to many local jurisdictions throughout the state. Fortunately, used mattresses are highly recyclable (between 80-90 percent of each mattress), and certain components such as steel and polyurethane have positive market value.  
During this session, we will learn about California's industry-run statewide mattress recycling program to promote proper end-of-use management and increase recovery of valuable resources. We are fortunate to have the benefit of hearing directly from CalRecycle staff, a local government representative serving on the Mattress Recycling Organization Advisory Committee and a local mattress recycler.

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2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Break** (Light Refreshments)

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. **Session III: Peer/Zone Share**

*Facilitator: **Maureen Hart**, North Coast RMDZ*

Textiles have a long history of reuse and recycling markets. But even with present markets, textiles continue to show up in the landfill. This session will start with an overview of the markets that exist for the recovery of textiles.

- What are the Zones doing to increase their textile diversion?

Next, we will have an opportunity to hear about a developing recycled textile business and offer feedback, ideas and resources they could use to be successful. We will also gain insight into the assistance needs such businesses have.

Zone Administrators will then be highlighting manufacturers in the Zones.

- Are there new recycled content manufacturers?

4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **CalRecycle Updates**

***Howard Levenson**, Deputy Director, Materials Management and Local Assistance, CalRecycle*

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Networking Reception** ..... John Q Ballroom (16th Floor)

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## DAY TWO: WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2015

7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **Breakfast** ..... California Ballroom  
(Zone Administrators & Southern California CalRecycle Staff Only Please)

9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Session IV: Tour to Clean World (Offsite Field Tour)**

We have a unique opportunity to tour an innovative Sacramento company that's converting food waste into clean energy. Video: <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/video/Success.htm>

**Important Note for Field Trip:** Gather in the California Ballroom and then proceed outside to the main entrance of the Holiday Inn to board the charter bus.