# Welcome to the World Cafe

Conversations that Matter... Spring 2019 Zone Works

#### Purpose

# Opportunity to meet people

# **Collaborative Dialogue**

# **Connect Diverse Perspectives**

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# Why World Café

- Cafe assumptions
  - The knowledge and wisdom we need are already present and accessible
  - Collective insight evolves from honoring unique contributions, connecting ideas, listening in to the middle, noticing deeper patterns and questions

# World Café at A Glance...

- Three (3) progressive rounds of conversation with each round addressing one question.
- At the end of each round, participants are invited to move to a different table.
- New question discussed while linking and connecting ideas with previous conversation rounds. Notes on the table will enable participants to have a visual memory of the conversation.

# World Café Guidelines

- Focus on what matters
- Listen to understand
- Connect ideas
- Play, doodle, draw
- Listen together for patterns, insights, and deeper connections



### **Ground Rules!**

- ROAR
  - Relevance
  - Open Mindness
  - Acceptance
  - Respect

#### Collectiveness, Visualization, Informality

# One More Thing....

- Before getting started, each group will need to identify a table host (not facilitator) who remains at the table during the 3 conversation rounds to:
  - Welcome newcomers
  - Share the main ideas, themes, and questions
  - Encourage guests to link and connect ideas (using the notes on the table)

### Question 1 – 10-20 Minutes??

How can we leverage resources to attract manufacturers that use recycled content feedstock?

### Question 2 – 10 to 20 Minutes

Is it <u>really</u> difficult for a manufacturer to site in California? Tell us why, list contradicting or supporting points and give examples.

### Question 3 – 10-20 minutes

 What work product can we produce from this discussion? Legislation, proposed plan, new program(s)?