

North Central Texas Council of Governments

AGENDA

Recycle Roundtable

Wednesday, April 6, 2022 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Virtual - Microsoft Teams

Link to Join Meeting

Optional Call-in Number: 1-903-508-4574

Conference ID: 862 822 88#

1. Welcome and Introductions.

PRESENTATION

2. Responding to the Demand for Recycled Materials. Benjamin lobst, Operations Improvement Manager, Waste Management, will present an overview of Waste Management's plans for investing in recycling infrastructure and advanced technologies.

DISCUSSION

- 3. Know What to Throw (KWTT) Campaign Discussion.
 - **a. MVPs (Most Valuable Posts).** NCTCOG will present the social media posts that resonated the most with our regional audience over the past quarter.
 - **b. KWTT Biweekly Emails.** NCTCOG will ask the group for feedback on the frequency of these emails and is open to any input on how to improve their usefulness.
 - **c. Working Group Sessions.** Attendees will be randomly divided into small working groups and tasked with providing input on the topics below. After each working group session, attendees will come together as a whole group and share their results.
 - Reevaluating the Know What To Throw Calendar. Should this calendar better incorporate messaging from the KWTT campaign or recycling overall, and how? NCTCOG will provide additional context at the meeting.
 - ii. Developing Text for Know What To Throw Posts. Attendees will be asked to develop text to caption KWTT posts regarding what should be recycled curbside and what should not.



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- 4. NCTCOG Updates.
 - a. North Texas Community Cleanup Challenge. Communities have until April 15, 2022, to sign up to participate. Clean-up events held from March 1 May 31, 2022, are eligible. www.communitycleanupchallenge.com.
 - b. NCTCOG's Trash Free Waters Project.
- **5. Roundtable.** The Recycle Roundtable participants will share what is happening regarding recycling in their communities.
- **6. Future Agenda Items and Request for Presentations.** The Recycle Roundtable may suggest future agenda items and NCTCOG will request presentation topics for the next meeting.
- 7. Schedule for the Next Meeting. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 27, 2022, at 1:30 p.m. The Recycle Roundtable will be asked for their input on whether this meeting should be virtual or in-person.
- 8. Adjournment.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting or agenda items, please contact Elena Berg by phone at (817) 608-2363, or by email at eberg@nctcog.org.

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