

2010 APWA/AzRC Conference

AzRC Topics

Monday – August 2, 2010

- 10:00 AM Room 1 REDUCTION OF WASTE/PRECYCLING – buy products and packaging that reduce, reuse or recycle solid waste....
- Environmental Preferred Purchasing (EPP) Presenter: Phil McNeely /City of Phoenix Office of Environmental Programs
- Packaging and Reduction of Industrial Waste Presenter: Rob Robinson, Frito Lay
- Compostable Packaging Solutions from Renewable Resources Presenter: Hermann Plank, Bio-DC Inc.
- 10:00 AM Room 2 SECURITY AND RECYCLING – what are the guidelines of paper destruction? How do you destroy a hard drive? What's HIPPA, FACTA? Attend and find out more.
- Todd Coder - Premier Document Destruction
Beth Villa – Arizona Pacific Pulp and Paper/Az Center for the Blind
Earl Knudson – WesTech Recyclers
- 11:00 AM Room 1 RECYCLING ORGANICS/BIO FUELS/ WASTE TO ENERGY – what's new in changing solid waste into fuel?
- Todd Milked – Green Waste contractor with Salt River Landfill
George Baneful - Imperial Valley Resource Recovery (IVRR Renewable Energy)
Invited – Snowflake White Mountain Biomass Power Plant
- 11:00 AM Room 2 ADVANCES IN MATERIAL RECOVERY FACILITY DESIGN – learn what's new in Materials Recovery Facility Design and consider what's right for your community
- Panel Discussion: Carl Smith – City of Phoenix (27th Avenue MRF renovation)
Will Herzog – Hudson Baylor Inc
Invited: Wilford Poiesz– Bollegraf Baler Design
Invited: Representative from new Waste Mgmt Facility
- 1:00 PM Room 1 RECYCLING MARKETS PANEL – hear the latest about markets for recyclable materials from a national, private sector and local perspective
- Invited Presenters: Will Herzog, Hudson-Baylor, West Region VP
Todd Wales – American Recycling
Clark Haney – Newport CH International – fibre
Bob Uxa – metal broker
Barry Froman - Az Pacific Pulp and Paper – plastics, fibre
Invited: Waste Management representative
- 1:00 PM Room 2 DIVERSION TACTICS – C&D AND COMPOSTING – hear some new information on diversion of construction debris and organics from the traditional solid waste stream.
- Panel Discussion: Julie Stanton - SitePlus – C&D recycling
Chris Garcia - Global Green Integrators – food waste
Doug Hanchett - GroWell Inc. - organics

2:30 PM Room 1 ARIZONA HAULERS FORUM - find out how private solid waste companies are promoting a full range of recycling services in Arizona

Panel Discussion: Stacey Loveland - Republic Services Inc
Melissa Quillard - Waste Management Inc
David Herzberg - Sonoran Waste representative
Dan Sexton - Right Away Disposal
Invited: Jule Sykes – Premier Waste Haulers

2:30 PM Room 2 HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE – find out what exists for recycling/reduction/reuse of hazardous wastes

Integrated Pest Management (IPM) – Presenter: Theresa Foster, City of Phoenix's efforts to reduce the use of chemicals for pest management.

How to reduce costs of HHW events – the Peoria experience – Presenter: Beckie Borquez, City of Peoria

3:30 PM Room 1 BAG CENTRAL STATION – WHAT'S THE PROGRESS – learn about the Bag Central Station Where Plastic Bags Belong efforts in Arizona's grocery stores to provide a means to recycle plastic bags

Presenter: Tim McCabe, Arizona Food Marketing Association; Trish Hart, Mangum Law;

3:30 PM Room 2 E-WASTE RECYCLING AND REPLACEMENT POLICY - What do you need to do to recycle electronics from your customers or from your business?

Panel Discussion: Jonce Walker, Maricopa County
Chris Horan- rep, Salt River-Pima Maricopa Indian Community
Anne Reichman – Moderator – Arizona State University,
School of Sustainability

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Tuesday, August 3, 2010

- 9:10-11:20 AM Room 1 PAY AS YOU THROW WORKSHOP - Join Dr. Lisa Skumatz of the Econservation Institute sponsored by EPA Region 9 as she demonstrates the concept of Pay As You Throw and how it could work in Arizona communities.
- Pay As You Throw Workshop: Dr. Lisa Skumatz
- 9:10 AM Room 2 REAL WORLD COLLECTION STRATEGIES – Is good customer service worth \$1 a month?
- Municipal Solid Waste Services in Surprise Presenter: Chuck Ramer – City of Surprise
Tucson Recycles Presenter: City of Tucson
EcoRewards Recycling – Jimmy Rogers
- 10:30 AM Room 2 REDUCTION AND REUSE – How does that fit with zero waste policies/climate change?
- Panel Discussion: Invited: Goodwill Industries
Mike Holt – American Textile Recycling Service (ATRS)
Seth Cunningham – RW Beck – Climate Change and Recycling
- 1:00 PM Rm 1 PROMOTING RECYCLING – in a changing economy with reducing funds, how does one promote recycling for your company or for your clients.
- Panel Discussion: Anthony Miles – 4th Wall Communications
Songee Barker – Saving the Earth One Beauty at a Time
Lucy Morales/Robert Amaya – 10th Anniversary of Valleywide Recycling Partnership
Dierdre Booth, Small Giants – Social Media 101
- 1:00 PM Rm 2 SUSTAINABLE CITIES NETWORK PRESENTATION - Get information on the need to coordinate sustainability efforts locally, regionally and nationally
- Presenter: Anne Reichman, Program Manager for the Sustainable Cities Network (SCN)
Session Topic: History/background of SCN;; initiatives of SCN; how SCN directly ties into recycling/public works related topics; success/challenges of cities and SCN; snapshot of other networks (similar and different) that are forming around the US currently
- 2:40 PM Rm 1 INCENTIVE PROGRAMS FOR RECYCLING -education, mass media only goes so far in changing a lifetime of wasteful habits. How do we get Arizonans to recycle more? Where do you find the funding?
- RecycleBank in Arizona Presenter: Judy Kenny, RecycleBank Inc.
Environmental Fund for Arizona: Laine Seaton, EFA
- 2:40 PM Rm 2 BOTTLES, CONTAINERS, CANS AND THE FUTURE – How will changes in packaging of glass, metals and plastic change the way we educate, the way we recycle and the way we design our sorting facilities?
- Presenters: Paul Faherty, Strategic Materials (Glass, etc)
Meredith Leahy, ALCOA (aluminum cans)
- 3:40 INTERNATIONAL SUSTAINABILITY ALLLIANCE – Hon. Amanda Aguirre