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NOTICE

To: Private and Public Operators of Curbside Programs, Drop-off / Collection Programs, Community Service Programs, and Recycling Centers

Subject: Rate Determination Survey Methodology Public Workshop

The Department of Resources Recycling & Recovery (CalRecycle) will present a Rate Determination Survey Methodology Workshop in Sacramento on Thursday, July 11, 2019. CalRecycle will share, discuss, and explain the research and survey methods used to gather data and perform the statewide segregated and commingled rate studies.

Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 14549.5, CalRecycle will, through the Workshop, consult with private and public operators of curbside, drop-off / collection, community service, recycling center, and reverse vending machine programs regarding the size of the statewide sample, appropriate sampling methodologies, and alternatives to exclusive reliance on a statewide commingled rate. The research and survey methods used by CalRecycle will be presented, and questions, comments, and input will be addressed. Participants are also encouraged to present ideas for alternative rate determination methodologies at the Workshop.

Those who want to learn about the research and survey methods used by CalRecycle to gather the data used to calculate statewide commingled rates, refund values, the number of containers per pound, etc., are encouraged to attend the Workshop. We recommend that selected or alternate participants in the 2021 survey year attend in person or join the Webinar stream.

The Rate Determination Survey Methodology Workshop will be:

Thursday, July 11, 2019
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery
Cal EPA Headquarters
1001 I Street, Training Room 1 E/W
Sacramento, California 95814



If you would like to join the Workshop via **Webinar**, please contact:

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If you cannot attend and want to submit comments or questions, or want copies of Workshop materials, please contact Cameron Swinko at the e-mail and phone number provided above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mike Miller". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Mike Miller
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