



August 29, 2023

NOTICE

TO: Plastic Market Development Payment Program Participants

SUBJECT: Continuation of Plastic Market Development Payment Program

Senate Bill (SB) 1013 (Chapter 610, Statutes of 2022) amends Public Resources Code (PRC) Section 14549.2 and Section 14581(a)(8) authorizing the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) to make Plastic Market Development (PMD) payments through June 30, 2025. Prior to SB 1013, the PMD payment program had expired as of June 30, 2022.

Senate Bill (SB) 101 (Chapter 12, Budget Act of 2023) appropriates \$47 million for PMD payments through June 30, 2027. CalRecycle will provide \$10 million of the appropriation for the reporting period of July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024.

CalRecycle will continue to utilize the existing 2023 Market Development Payment (MDP) rates specified in the "*Plastic Market Development Payment Rate for 2023*" notice dated February 3, 2023, for qualifying claims for the remainder of 2023. To receive payments for qualifying claims, program participants must submit 3rd quarter 2023 claims by November 10, 2023, and 4th quarter 2023 claims by February 10, 2024.

CalRecycle is reviewing the program need and benefit to determine future funding allocations.

If you have any questions or inquiry regarding this notice, please contact Veronica Guzman at (916) 445-0597 or Veronica.Guzman@CalRecycle.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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