# MINUTES Solano County Local Task Force (LTF) for Integrated Waste Management

May 20, 2010 9:00 a.m. Solano County Administration Center

**X** represents members present:

	Company/Organization	Member Name
X	Allied Waste	Susan Hurl
	Allied Waste (Alternate)	Jennifer Brennan
	CCL Organics	Dave Burnley
Х	City of Benicia	Tonya Gilmore
X	City of Benicia (Alternate)	Brad Harms
	City of Dixon	Martha Jensen
Х	City of Dixon (Alternate)	Jeff Matheson
Х	City of Fairfield	Jeanette Bellinder
Х	City of Fairfield (Alternate)	Sandra Gonzalez
	City of Rio Vista	Dawn Bahrenfuss
Х	City of Suisun City	Alysa Majer
	City of Vacaville	Mindy Harris
Х	City of Vacaville (Alternate)	Laura Muehsam
Х	City of Vallejo	Derek Crutchfield
	County of Solano	Colby La Place
Х	County of Solano (Alternate)	Chris Ambrose
Х	County of Solano	Ed Padilla
X	County of Solano	Narcisa Untal
	Fairfield-Suisun Sewer District	Jenny Bailey
X	Recology Hay Road	Chris Taylor
	Pacific Rim Recycling	Steve Moore
Х	Potrero Hills Landfill	Natalie Hicks
	Potrero Hills Landfill (Alternate)	Jim Dunbar
Х	Recycling Zone	Dave Ryan
Х	Rio Vista Sanitation Service	Keith Nance
Х	Sierra Club	Jane Bogner
	Solano Community College	Vacant
X	Solano Garbage Company and Solano Recycles	Geoff Harrison
	Solano Garbage Company and Solano Recycles (Alternate)	Theresa Travers
	Travis Air Force Base	Dolores Tiburcio
	TOMRA Recycling	Vacant
	UC Davis COOP Extension	Vacant
Х	Recology Vacaville Solano / Recology Dixon (Alternate)	Julia Lopez
Х	Recology Vacaville Solano / Recology Dixon	Scott Pardini
	VALCORE	Genie Kaggerud
Χ	Recology Vallejo	Ed Farewell
	Recology Vallejo (Alternate)	Lisa Lefebvre

# **GUESTS:**

Mike Yankovich, Solano County Planning Manager Richard Covington, Operations Manager, Potrero Hills Landfill Tom Philips, Operations Manager, Recology Vallejo Joe Scholtes, 95.3 KUIC Darlene Murphy, Dept. of Resources Recycling and Recovery (Cal Recycle) Dean Rodatos, Green Halo Systems June Guidotti, Suisun

## 1. Call to order / Introductions

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Bogner at 9:08am.

# 2. <u>Approval of the Minutes</u>

The minutes of February 18, 2010 were approved.

#### 3. Opportunity for Public Comment

a. Rick Pierce, Alternative Waste Solutions

Independent recycler that goes on-site to separate recyclables from garbage dumpsters at apartment complexes and whose fee is based on a percentage of the amount resulting from the garbage bill savings. Hauling is excluded due to franchise agreements.

#### b. June Guidotti, Suisun Resident

Submitted attached letter to the LTF from her attorney, William Reustle, requesting the LTF deny final roll-call comment to the second amendment to the countywide NDFE.

#### c. Narcisa Untal, Solano County

Solano County Superior Court Judge Beeman ruled Measure E is constitutional and that Solano County should enforce it. However, Solano County Counsel is currently evaluating Judge Beeman's ruling.

#### 4. <u>Discussion Items</u>

## a. <u>Non-Disposal Facility Element (NDFE) – 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment</u>

The LTF discussed the final draft of the second amendment to the countywide NDFE of the Countywide Integrated Waste Management Plan for the Cities and County of Solano and authorized the transmittal of a letter by Chair Bogner containing the LTF's collective comment of "No Comment" based on a verbal roll-call of the members present. The jurisdictions may now proceed in the next step of the NDFE amendment process by requesting adoption of a resolution by their respective governing authority that approves the second amendment to the countywide NDFE.

b. Zero Waste Event Potrero Hills Landfill and Sierra (	<u>a Club</u>
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Consider establishing a committee to coordinate a countywide event focused on zero waste activities in either September or November 2010. Natalie Hicks, PHLF, offered

PHLF to lead as a major financial sponsor of the event and volunteered to serve as chair of this committee. Interested LTF members should contact Natalie to describe level of participation, both financial and administrative.

## 5. Speaker Presentation-Dean Rodatos, Green Halo Systems

Dean Rodatos of Green Halo Systems described a new online waste management software program that would allow contractors to create and submit waste management plans to cities; create diversion reports for county/state reporting; identify facilities for recycling while reducing carbon footprint and is free to local jurisdictions. Bay Area counties are currently trial-testing the software program.

## 6. <u>Member Updates</u>

#### Jane Bogner, Sierra Club

The U.S. Navy demolished an Officers' Club building which has made available several tons of glassware and miscellaneous cooking equipment to be recycled. Interested persons or parties should contact Jane Bogner.

#### Darlene Murphy, CalRecycle

Waste Reduction Awards Program (WRAP) application deadline is June 15 for businesses and non-profit organizations.

#### Narcisa Untal, Solano County

Beginning with the July 2010 LTF regular meeting, LTF members will host a LTF meeting at their site to provide members an opportunity to showcase their facility and educate the members on their facility's operations.

# 7. Adjournment

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10:24 a.m.

The next regular LTF meeting is scheduled for **Thursday**, **July 15**, **2010**.