



MARC Solid Waste Management District

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Ex Officio:

Lisa McDaniel, Planner
Secretary/Treasurer

February 10, 2022

OPEN MEETING NOTICE

To: MARC Solid Waste Management District & Colleagues

From: Lisa McDaniel, District Planner

Re: MARC SWMD Management Council Bi-Monthly Meeting,
Wednesday, 2/16/22, 9:00-10:30 am

Due to COVID-19 precautions, this meeting will only be held via Zoom teleconference rather than at a physical location. You may email Lisa McDaniel (lmcdaniel@marc.org) to be forwarded the information to access the meeting room.

AGENDA

I. Presentations

9:00

Regional Projects: The MARC Solid Waste Management District provides grant funding to support waste reduction and recycling projects. Our featured speakers will provide overviews of their grant-funded projects:

- **Mattress Diversion:** Sleepyhead Beds has been successfully serving children and their families by sanitizing and redistributing more than 22,000 beds since 2011. Gayle Holmes, Executive Director, will provide an update on the district grant-funded digital marketing campaign to increase awareness of their organization, continue growth in diverting mattresses and get more beds to KC kids.
- **Food Waste Management:** KC Can Compost provides food waste management services to more than 100 customers and has diverted more than 500 tons of food waste from the landfill. Kristan Chamberlain, Executive Director, will provide an update on how district funds are being used to advance organic waste management and diversion in the region.
- **Glass Recycling:** Ripple Glass is Kansas City's only glass processor and operates a collection network of over 100 drop-off bins across the Metro. Lydia Gibson, Director of Corporate Development, will provide an update on a recent grant-funded project that creates additional drop-off opportunities that also serve as public art.

Regional Food Waste Action Plan: Food waste is a problem with an enormous, negative impact on our community, economy and the environment. The Mid-America Regional Council received grant funding from U.S. EPA Region 7 to undertake actions with a goal of reducing the amount of food that is wasted and sent to landfills in the Kansas City metro area. Matt Riggs will introduce the grant and how you can provide input to the project.

II. Closing

10:30

The next Executive Board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 16 11:00 am – 1:00 pm. The next Management Council meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 20 from 9:00 to 10:30 am. Please note that these meetings may be held via teleconference due to COVID-19 precautions.

Enclosures: None.

