



**Solid Waste Advisory Council
AGENDA
June 22, 2022
6:00 pm**

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- I. 6:00 p.m., 5 Minutes – Call to Order..... Chair
- II. 6:05 p.m., 5 Minutes – Approval of the Minutes..... Chair
- III. 6:10 p.m., 10 Minutes – Update on OCA (Oregon Consensus Assessment) status.....Chair
(Old business). Members will brief the public on what they know about the assessment.
- IV. 6:20 p.m., 15 Minutes – Community Member Comments..... Chair
Anyone can bring up news, information, questions to discuss with the Council.
- V. 6:35 p.m., 10 Minutes – Bylaws: Discuss / Decide on ChangesMY/CG
(Old business.) Mark and Chuck will guide us through some recommended changes to the Council bylaws, to be submitted as a recommendation to the Board of Commissioners.
- VI. 6:45 p.m., 5 Minutes – Sustainable Materials Management Grant Initiative: Results ... Staff
(Old business.) Staff will report on the outcome of the grant applications for projects advancing better sustainable materials management in the county.
- VII. 6:50 p.m., 20 Minutes – Forming a Regional SWAC Coalition: First Steps Chair
(Old business.) SWAC bylaws require county staff concurrence for the creation of subcommittees, which was not received. Council will revisit this action.
- VIII. 7:10 p.m., 20 Minutes – Charter for SWAC, Charter for DSAC: Discuss Operating Rules Chair



(New business.) The County has recommended that SWAC cancel the June 22, 2022 meeting due to the ongoing Oregon Consensus Assessment. Let's discuss this request in light of our operating rules as SWAC (county-mandated) and DSAC (state-mandated).

- IX. 7:30 p.m., 5 Minutes – Member Requests..... Chair
- X. 7:35 p.m., 5 Minutes – Agenda items for next meeting Chair
- XI. 7:40 p.m., 5 Minutes – Wrap Up and Adjourn..... Chair

Next Meeting July 27, 2022 (DSAC and SWAC)

On our event horizon:

- DSAC Annual Report to DEQ 2021: Landfill Public Issues and Complaints
DSAC owes DEQ a summary report. Action on drafting this report about last year's input.
- DSAC Annual Report to DEQ 2022: Landfill Public Issues and Complaints
Discussion about gathering this report material for the summary report for 2022.
- DSAC (and SWAC) Website Issues
Discussion with staff to address website flaws.
- Sustainable Materials Management Plan, cont'd
Continuation of SWAC input into this comprehensive plan for the future of county municipal waste.
- Equitable Solid Waste and Recycling Services
The county varies widely in its access to services. Discussion and action about how to make access more universal in the county.
- Methane Detection: County Greenhouse Gas Footprint
Each ton of waste emplaced in the landfill generates methane, a potent greenhouse gas. Discussion and action about activating new detection tech to better assess the county footprint.
- Progress Towards a Regional SWAC Coalition
Fine-tune goals and track progress of this initiative.
- Food Waste Strategies and
- DEQ's Bad Apple Campaign (Residential Food Waste Prevention)



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Reports on this initiative area and opportunities to decrease food waste going to the landfill.

- DEQ Waste Generation Summary

Information has arrived from Oregon DEQ about statewide trends in waste production.