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COG RECYCLING COMMITTEE

Non-Traditional Recyclables

Place: COG 3rd Floor Board Room
Date: Thursday, September 18, 2008
Time: 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

- I. **Call to Order & Introductions** – Chair Kate Glass, Loudoun County
- II. **Non-Traditional Recyclables** (10:00 – 12:00)

Compact Fluorescent Light Bulb (CFL) Recycling

Allison Watanabe, Environmental Protection Specialist
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Ms. Watanabe will give an overview of the CFL recycling systems that are in place around the country.

Montgomery County Collection Experience with Non-Bottle Plastics

Alan Pultyniewicz, Recycling Coordinator
Montgomery County

Mr. Pultyniewicz will discuss how Montgomery County began recycling non-bottle plastics in July and its recent curbside collection experience with the material.

Waste Management Recycle America Accepts Non-Bottle Plastics

Jim Marcinko, Director of Operations - East
Waste Management Recycle America

Mr. Marcinko will explain WM's new non-bottle plastics recycling service and what happens to this material once it is collected.

Textile Recycling

Peter Mayberry, Executive Director
Secondary Materials and Recycled Textile Association (SMART)

Mr. Mayberry will discuss the workings of the textile recycling industry and how it interacts with residents and businesses.

- III. **Lunch** (12:00 - 12:30)
- IV. **Business** (12:30 – 12:55)
 - A. Go Recycle Campaign
 - B. America Recycles Day
 - C. DTV Update
- V. **News Exchange and Industry Update** (12:55 – 1:30)
- VI. **Set Next Meeting Date (December 4 Communicating a Recycling Message in a Green Climate)**
- VII. **Adjourn**



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