

National Capital Region Organics Task Force

February 23rd, 2012

Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments
777 N. Capitol Street, NE Suite 300, Washington, DC 20002
3rd Floor Board Room
10:00 a.m. – 12:03p.m.

Draft Agenda

10 am -10:15 am: Welcome and Introductions

10:15-10:45 am: MDE New Food Scrap Composting Requirements

- Ed Gertler, Technical Advisor, Industrial & General Permits Division, MD Dept. of the Environment

10:45-11:15 am: International Compost Awareness Week (ICAW): What It Is and How You Can Engage

- Teri Sorg-McManamon, BioCycle and/or
- Jeff Ziegenbein, Chair, ICAW, USCC

Business Meeting

11:15-12:10pm: Formalizing NCR OTF Structure: Review Options, Discuss, Decide

- Review of Survey Monkey Results, Ashlea Smith
- Amy Brooks, President NC Compost Council (sharing NC experience)
- Comments from Mike Virga, USCC Executive Dir. and Craig Coker, USCC Board member
- Discussion
- Decision
- Nomination Process for Steering Committee, Ashlea Smith

12:10pm-12:30 pm: New Business & Updates

- Letter to MDE
- Announcements

Set next meeting

Mission: The NCR Organics Task Force is a group of government, public interest, institutional and business representatives working to expand recovery, full capture and utilization of organic materials in the region.

To join the NCR OTF listserv/discussion group (on WIGGIO), please send a request to Brenda Platt, Institute for Local Self-Reliance at bplatt@ilsr.org.