



## RECYCLING COMMITTEE

July 21, 2016  
10:00 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.  
Walter A. Scheiber Board Room, COG Offices

### AGENDA

- 10:00 A.M. 1. **CALL TO ORDER & INTRODUCTIONS**
- 10:10 A.M. 2. **GREEN PURCHASING: CLOSING THE LOOP**
- A. **GSA's Sustainable Facilities Tool**  
Michael Bloom, Sustainability and Green Buildings Program Advisor (via webinar)  
U.S. General Services Office of High-Performance Green Buildings  
*Mr. Bloom will discuss the online SFTool Green Procurement Compilation, which GSA offers to help locate green products including appliances, paper, cleaning products, and construction materials.*
  - B. **Sustainable Purchasing – Tips from Federal Requirements That Can Green Any Purchase**  
Marlene R. RedDoor,  
Resource Conservation and Sustainability Division  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
*Ms. RedDoor will share methods learned from the federal requirements that can help aid your next green procurement RFP or RFB.*
  - C. **Buying Recycled**  
Richard Keller, Manager of Recycling and Marketing  
Maryland Environmental Service  
*Mr. Keller will share his expertise in training governments to buy recycled products, assembling directories of products, and in how recycled products fit into the broader sustainable products movement.*
- 12:00 P.M. 3. **LUNCH**
- 12:30 P.M. 4. **NEW BUSINESS**
- A. Go Recycle Campaign
  - B. Emergency Debris Project
- 12:40 P.M. 5. **NEWS EXCHANGE AND INDUSTRY UPDATE**
- 1:25 P.M. 6. **SET NEXT MEETING DATE (SEPTEMBER 15, 2016: COMPOSTING UPDATE)**
- 1:30 P.M. 7. **ADJOURN**

Reasonable accommodations are provided upon request, including alternative formats of meeting materials.  
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