

## **CDC Technical Council Meeting Minutes 2/8/10**

### **Present:**

Marianne Bithell – Chairperson – Pacific Builders      Clay Reigel – Chairperson – City of Palo Alto  
Mary Williams – Dept. of Environment -City of San Francisco      Lori Marra – City of Fremont

1. Introductions & Announcements: None

2. Approve Minutes: All minutes from past meetings will be posted on the website next week. No minutes for meetings since 6/8/09.

3. TC Business –

a. The CDC Website will be updated next week on the following pages: Executive Committee, Meeting Schedule, Articles of Interest, Announcements and Membership. They will reflect the current year. The 2010 Work Plan & Budget link will be fixed. Two articles will be listed on the Articles of interest page as new information to read.

b. Conference Possibilities:

The CDC will continue to participate with the TC Reception as we did last year. We also want a membership meeting to be held at the conference this year. Other items we can consider are a workshop, tour and topic dinner.

Lori said she will be attending the conference this year and would help out with anything going on at the conference. Clay thought a topic dinner would be good. Mary and Marianne are not confirmed for attending the CRRA conference.

We need to make some choices based on our budget very soon. Lori asked Marianne to find out what the drop dead date is for submitting a workshop, tour or topic dinner. Next meeting will explore topics for one or some of these events.

As we were using the budget and work plan for reference, Lori pointed out a couple of items that were out of date. Marianne will update the 2010 work plan and budget and submit it to Laura Anthony. The website will also be updated. As we reviewed the work plan, we realized one way to contact other members to encourage participation is to pull names and phone numbers from the listserv. Marianne, Lori and Clay will split the list and call members to encourage participation. Another way to out reach CRRA members is to submit an article for the Recyclescene. Lori volunteered to write an article for the next edition.

An idea for a possible workshop came from Lori who talked about a new program that Stop Waste is checking into using. It comes from Greenworx and is a web-based program called Green Halo System. It is a construction and demolition waste tracking program for contractors to use on projects that is web-based and also reports to cities diversion amounts. It was recommended by all that the vendor contact CRRA to attend the exhibition hall. This would be a great sub-topic for how to track diversion using internet based tools. This program can be customized to a jurisdiction's ordinance and requirements. A possible topic for a workshop could be "What is the Future of C&D Debris?" This might include what we just mentioned – web based tools for documenting and tracking, the new California Green Building Standards Code, what C&D recycling will look like ten years from now. This will be discussed next month.

Another topic mentioned was Recycling in Rural Communities.

**Next Meeting is 3/8/10 – Topics for Conference Workshop and Topic Dinner sponsored by CDC**