



The

MARKETPLACE

For Recycling Commodities

Kentucky Recycling Assistance Section

April 2013

Statewide Solid Waste Planning and Recycling Workshop June 13-14

The Recycling and Local Assistance Branch's Statewide Solid Waste Planning and Recycling Workshop for county judge executives, magistrates, commissioners, 109 board members, solid waste coordinators and area development districts is scheduled for June 13-14 at Lake Cumberland State Resort Park in Jamestown. The workshop will begin Thursday, June 13 with registration at 7:30 a.m. and conclude on Friday, June 14 around noon. The park is located in the Central Time Zone.

The agenda for the workshop contains several recycling topics, such as household hazardous waste grants, success stories from school recycling and how to get the highest market value for recyclables. Approval of 8.75 training hours has been granted for elected officials.

Attendees are encouraged to call the park as soon as possible to take advantage of the block of rooms, which will be held until Monday, May 13. The phone number for the park is 270-343-3111.

Please contact Melinda Meredith at 502-564-6716, ext. 4633 or Melinda.meredith@ky.gov by close of business with the names and number of county representatives attending the workshop.

RAS Speaks to Kentucky County Treasurers and Financial Officers

Shannon Powers and Cathy Guess, representatives of the Recycling Assistance Section (RAS), spoke at the Kentucky Association of County Treasurers and Financial Officers (KACTFO) Conference held in March at the Capital Plaza Hotel in Frankfort

Topics included all things money-related within RAS programs. Attendees heard about the following: the "all agency" e-Scrap recycling contract with Creative Recycling Systems and how the reimbursements and charges are calculated; the

recycling grants and how they can help the solid waste coordinators in their counties keep track of spending; the household hazardous waste grants and how these grants require the same 25 percent match as the recycling grants; and the \$3,000 waste tire grants and how the report and final documentation for these need to be sent to RAS in a timely manner so the next round of the grants won't be delayed.

Four Kentucky Groups Receive Cigarette Litter Prevention Program Grants

Recently, Hopkinsville Surface & Stormwater Utility, Keep Lexington-Fayette Co KY Beautiful, Whitley County Fiscal Court and Wolfe County Fiscal Court received Cigarette Litter Prevention Program Grants from Keep America Beautiful. These grants are to be used to aid in the awareness that cigarette butts make up 65 percent of all U.S. roadway litter and the prevention of this statistic being true in the near future.

Proven methods for reducing cigarette butt litter include supporting enforcement of litter laws, educating the public, installing ash receptacles before non-smoking areas, and distributing pocket ashtrays to adult smokers. When these methods are practiced, cigarette butt litter has had an average reduction of 54 percent.

Creative Recycling Systems

The e-Scrap contract period for January 2009 through March 2013 brought the total pounds collected to 11,925,281 lbs. or 5,962 net tons. Reimbursements climbed to \$453,778.46, with charges of \$125,295.77. The net revenue to generators for the period was \$328,103.54.

Contact Tom Heil at 502-564-6716, ext. 4640 or at Thomas.Heil@ky.gov and click on <http://waste.ky.gov/RLA/recycling/Pages/ElectronicsRecycling.aspx> if you have questions about electronic recycling.

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COMMODITY	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	Apr-12
<u>PAPER-\$/TON</u>	Official Board Markets (Chicago area) FOB							
-	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	Apr-12
#2 mixed paper	\$35-40	\$35-40	\$45-50	\$45-50	\$45-50	\$55-60	\$55-60	\$75-80
#37 sorted office paper (SOP)	\$135-145	\$135-145	\$135-145	\$130-135	\$135-140	\$135-145	\$135-140	\$135-145
#6 ONP	\$15-20	\$15-20	\$15-20	\$15-20	\$15-20	\$15-20	\$15-20	\$30-35
#8 ONP	\$50-55	\$55-60	\$65-70	\$65-70	\$65-70	\$65-70	\$65-70	\$90-95
#40 sorted white ledger (SWL)	\$210-220	\$200-210	\$200-210	\$190-200	\$190-200	\$205-215	\$205-215	\$250-260
#11 OCC	\$60-65	\$70-75	\$75-80	\$75-80	\$80-85	\$90-100	\$90-100	\$105-115
<u>PLASTICS-¢/LB.</u>	Market sources serving KY & Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - FOB							
-	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	Apr-12
#1 PET - mixed (clear & green)	\$0.19	\$0.17	\$0.17	\$0.17	\$0.20	\$0.22	\$0.21	\$0.30
#2 HDPE (natural-milk jugs)	\$0.31	\$0.28	\$0.26	\$0.27	\$0.30	\$0.33	\$0.34	\$0.39
#2 HDPE (colored-detergent btl.)	\$0.25	\$0.18	\$0.16	\$0.17	\$0.25	\$0.26	\$0.27	\$0.33
<u>GLASS-\$/TON</u>	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - Delivered							
-	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	Apr-12
clear (flint)	\$32.00	\$33.00	\$33.00	\$33.00	\$32.00	\$31.00	\$32.00	\$33.00
brown (amber)	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00
green	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$8.00	\$11.00	\$11.00
<u>METALS</u>	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - Delivered							
-	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	Apr-12
aluminum beverage cans (UBC) cents/lb.	\$0.81	\$0.75	\$0.80	\$0.80	\$0.80	\$0.76	\$0.77	\$0.79
	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing - Delivered							
	Oct-12	Nov-12	Dec-12	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	Apr-12
steel cans \$/TON	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$110-120	\$115-120



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