Recycling Professional Certification

**Recycling 110: Recycling & the Law (.6 CEU)**

**WEBINAR!**

**Abstract:** This class will provide an overview of current Acts and legislative news. Other topics may include Legal tools and documents used in local government program, administration, amending ordinances, various strategies to improve ordinance compliance and proposed regulatory changes.

**Wednesday, March 12, 2025**

9:00 am **Recycling 110 | Recycling & the Law**

**Welcome and Introductions**

9:15 -10:15 **Overview of Pennsylvania and Federal Legislation**

The instructor will give an overview of Act 101, Act 97 and Act 90, CDRA (Act 108) as well as any current news on the legislative front.

10:15 -10:30 Break

10:30 -11:15 **Local Ordinances: Enforcement and Amendment**

*This* roundtable will discuss various strategies to improve ordinance compliance.

**Roundtable Panelists**

**Residential Perspective**

**Commercial Perspective**

11:15-12:00 **Powers & Responsibilities of Local Government Entities**

This roundtable will discuss the state, county and local responsibilities of Act 101, Act 97 and Act 90 as well as what to do when the responsibilities overlap. The panel will also examine the advantages and disadvantages of Authorities, money pass-throughs, what power the county has to dissolve an Authority, and why Authorities exist.

**Roundtable Panelists**

**Council of Government Perspective**

**Authority Perspective**

12:00-1:00 **Lunch**

1:00 – 2:00 **Legal Tools and Documents for Local Government**

This roundtable will discuss the legal tools and documents used in local government program administration. The panel will examine the drafting and amending of ordinances, specifications, agreements, and contracts commonly used by municipalities, councils of government, authorities, and counties.

**Roundtable Panelists**

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**Legal Perspective**

**Program Planning/Administration perspective**

2:00 - 3:30 **Current Issues**

***Legislative Perspective***

3:30-4:00 **Wrap-Up**

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**Recycling 115 Public Policy (.3 CEU) | 150 Recycling Economics (.3 CEU)**

**Thursday, March 13, 2025**

9:00 am **Recycling 115 | Public Policy**

**Welcome / Recap of Day 1**

9:15- 9:45 **The Evolution of Waste Management in PA**

The instructor will discuss the history of solid waste management in PA.

9:45 -10:30 **Pennsylvania Public Policy 101**

This instructor will discuss the effects of Public Policy with legislation

10:30 – 10:45 **Break**

10:45 -12:00 **The Future of Recycling & Public Policy**

12:00 -1:00 **Lunch**

1:00- 4:00 **Recycling 150 | Recycling Economics 1**

***Fully Understanding Costs*** | The instructor will talk about using fixed and

variable costs to your advantage along with costs you can control and how. In the first session, the instructor will cover what it costs to collect recyclables are full cost accounting principles.

***Finding & Measuring Savings*** | Participants will be able to find and measure savings to sell the benefits of a recycling program. The costs / benefits of recycling will also be covered.

***Recovering Savings*** | In this last session, participants will learn about

savings recovery, smart contracting and negation strategies. The instructor will also cover contract language to save money, using market strategies, market analysis and contracts.

4:00 pm *Wrap-up | Adjourn*