

Agenda

Mid-Atlantic Organics Summit

November 30, 2006

- 8:15 – 9:00 am** **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00 – 9:15 am** **Welcome, Introductions, Purpose**
Brenda Platt, ILSR, Co-Director (Moderator)
Dr. Phyllis Johnson, USDA-ARS-BARC, Director
Mike Giuranna, USEPA-Region 3, Solid Waste Specialist
- 9:15 – 9:45 am** **Food Composting Overview**
Nora Goldstein, BioCycle, The JG Press, Inc.
- 9:45 – 10:15 am** **Food Composting Technology and North Carolina Facilities**
Brian Rosa, North Carolina Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources,
Division of Pollution Prevention & Environmental Assistance
- 10:15 – 10:45 am** **Massachusetts Public/Private Partnership Model:
Composting Supermarket Organics**
Julia Wolfe, Mass. Dept. of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Waste
Prevention
- 10:45 – 11:00 am** **Break**
- 11:00 – 11:30 am** **San Francisco's Food Composting Program**
Alexa Kielty, Dept. of the Environment, City and County of San Francisco
- 11:30 – 12 noon** **USDA Cafeteria Pilot with Biobased Products**
Patricia Millner, USDA Agricultural Research Station
- 12:00 – 12:45 pm** **Lunch (on-site)**
- 12:45 – 1:45 pm** **PANEL DISCUSSION: Lessons Learned from Region 3 Food
Residuals Industry Experiences**
- Carla Castagnero, AgRecycle, Inc.
 - Alan Boehm, Chesterfield Farms
 - Lonnie Heflin, Bay Organics
 - Walker Lunn, EnviRelations

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- 1:45 – 2:15 pm** **PANEL DISCUSSION: Q&A on Permitting Issues**
- Debra Nielsen, Delaware Dept. of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, Solid and Hazardous Waste Mgt. Branch
 - Jenny Poland-Knepper, Virginia Dept. of Environmental Quality, West Central Regional Office
 - Stephen Socash, Pennsylvania Dept. of Environmental Protection
 - Don Lewis, Maryland Dept. of Agriculture
- 2:15 – 2:30 pm** **Break**
- 2:30 – 3:00 pm** **Identify Opportunitites to Overcome Barriers to Institutional Food Recovery**
Merianne Liteman, Liteman Rosse, Inc., Facilitator
(facilitated group process)
- 3:00 – 5:00 pm** **Identify Actions to Expand Food Recovery**
Merianne Liteman, Liteman Rosse, Inc., Facilitator
(facilitated group process)
- 5:00 – 5:30 pm** **Field Trip – BARC Composting Facility**