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Hyatt Regency Coconut Point Resort and Spa - Bonita Springs, FL

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Sunday, June 16 – Preconference Activities

Time Start	Time End	Event and Location	Location
1:00 pm	3:00 pm	Board Meeting	Sanibel

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Monday, June 17

Time Start	Time End	Event and Location	Location
7:30 am	12:30 pm	Registration Open	Estero Pre-function
7:30 am	1:00 pm	Exhibitor Set-up	Estero BC
8:30 am	10:00 am	Opening Welcome – Patti Hammond, Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County Barbara Heineken, Resource Recycling Systems Keynote Address – Mitch Kessler, Kessler Consulting, Inc.	Estero A
10:00 am	10:10 am	Session transition	
10:10 am	11:10 am	General Session – 1 Sustainable and Attainable! <u>Session summary:</u> Join us for this panel discussion and hear from Florida located corporations on how they make recycling, reuse, and sustainability a part of their daily operations. Shelley Samec, Alachua County - Moderator Jennifer Baugher, Coca-Cola Beverages Florida Karl Berven, Bealls, Inc. Donn Githens, Goodwill Manasota	Estero A
11:10 am	11:20 am	Session transition	
11:20 am	12:20 pm	General Session – 2 Successful Programs and Partnerships <u>Session summary:</u> Hear from organizations and government entities on how they've furthered their mission and achieved success within their programs by forging relationships into partnerships. See how to get results by linking with key groups to help spread the word about positive program and product attainment. Stephanie Kissinger, Waste Management Inc. of Florida – Moderator Cyndee Wooley, C2 Communications Dilia Camacho, Collier County Suzie Vance, VERDE	Estero A
12:20 pm	12:30 pm	EPA Region IV Updates <u>Session summary:</u> Hear updates from EPA Region IV. Bill Denman, EPA Region IV	Estero A

12:30 pm	2:00 pm	Lunch on Your Own	Estero BC
2:00 pm	5:00 pm	Environmental Initiative Programs and Tour(s) Recycling Education Tour with RFT Family and Friends –	
6:00 pm	7:30 pm	Networking Reception with the Exhibitors	Estero BC

Tuesday, June 18 – General Session

Time Start	Time End	Event and Location	Location
7:30 am	5:00 pm	Registration Open	Estero Pre-function
8:00 am	9:00 am	Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors	Estero BC
9:10 am	10:10 am	General Session – 3 Recycling in the Digital Age <u>Session summary:</u> Hear how the City of Orlando and partners are incorporating technology to help with cleaning up residential and commercial recycling streams. Learn how minor tweaks to operational procedures can greatly improve data gathering, record keeping, and outreach and education opportunities. Joseph England, City of Orlando - Moderator and Speaker Marissa Segundo, Resource Recycling Systems	Estero A
10:10 am	10:15 am	Session transition	
10:15 am	10:45 am	AM Networking Break with Exhibitors	Estero BC
10:45 am	11:45 am	General Session – 4 Organics Recycling Update Part 1 <u>Session summary:</u> Organics recycling is still a hot topic! Join us for part 1 of 2 and hear information on a public food waste drop-off program, recent updates on the FORCE website, and more. David Hill, Cycle Logic – Moderator Joseph England, City of Orlando Miriam Zimms, Kessler Consulting, Inc.	Estero A
11:45 am	Noon	Transition to Luncheon	
Noon	1:15 pm	Lunch with the exhibitors	Estero BC
1:15 pm	1:20 pm	Transition from Lunch	
1:20 pm	2:20 pm	General Session – 5 As the MRF Turns <u>Session summary:</u> Hear success stories from MRFs on how they process materials in today's economy. Rusty Angel, Machinex Technologies – Moderator Tim Lamontagne, Lee County John Hansen, Single Stream Recyclers, LLC Will Howard, Waste Pro	Estero A
2:20 pm	2:25 pm	Session transition	
2:25 pm	3:25 pm	General Session – 6 What's Up with Plastics? <u>Session summary:</u> Hear how organizations focus on the positives of recycling plastics, innovative strategies to reduce plastic waste as well as the strong market outlook for plastics the Southeast. Barbara Heineken, RRS Sue Flak, Indian River County Stephanie Baker, KW Plastics Paul Benvenuti, Commercial Plastics Recycling	Estero A
3:25 pm	3:55 pm	Refreshment Break with the Exhibitors	Estero BC
3:55 pm	4:55 pm	General Session – 7 Single Stream – Not Always the Single Answer! <u>Session summary:</u> Learn about tried and true recycling collection and processing methods that have maintained the ability to collect and market high quality recyclables. Karen Deeter, MSW Consultants – Moderator Charlie Hobson, Alachua County Willie Puz, Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County Walt Davenport, MSW Consultants	Estero A
6:00 pm	8:30 pm	Evening Dinner Networking Event	Estero A

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Wednesday, June 19 – General Session			
Time Start	Time End	Event and Location	Location
7:30 am	11:50 am	Registration Open	Estero Pre-function
7:00 am	8:00 am	Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors	Estero BC
8:00 am	9:00 am	General Session – 8 Organics Recycling Update Part 2 <u>Session summary:</u> Hear updates on the State’s efforts for food waste reduction and recycling, and efforts being made to promote and increase Event food rescue! Chris Snow , Consolidated Resource Recovery – Moderator Melanie Mason , Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Joanna Berens , Sustainable Events Network, Florida & Caribbean Elaine Fiore , Broward County Schools	Estero A
9:00 am	9:05 am	Session Transition	
9:05 am	10:05 am	General Session – 9 Florida Legislative Update Hour <u>Session summary:</u> Join this session to hear legislative updates on recent bills and legislative issues that impact our industry. Molly Schweers , Lee County – Moderator Keyna Cory , National Waste & Recycling Association – FL Chapter Dawn McCormick , Waste Management Inc. of Florida Willie Puz , Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County David Dee , Gardner, Bist, Bowden, Bush, Dee, LaVia & Wright, P.A.	Estero A
10:05 am	10:10 am	Session Transition	
10:10 am	10:40 am	AM Networking Break with Exhibitors	Estero BC
10:40 am	Noon	Exhibitor tear-down	
10:40 am	11:40 am	General Session – 10 STOP Putting it in the Dumpster! <u>Session summary:</u> Business recycling, what it means to the bottom line, and how new companies can jump in the pool. Carmen Bruno , Hernando County – Moderator Jeff Klugh , Alachua County Scott Byrne , Carton Council	Estero A
Noon	1:00	Annual Business Luncheon	Tarpon Bay
1:00 pm	--	Adjourn	Safe travels!

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Registration: Register online at: <http://recyclefloridatoday.info/event-3200963>



Lodging Information:

The event will take place at the Hyatt Regency Coconut Point Resort and Spa. Discounted rooms are available at a rate of \$169 per night, plus taxes. When reserving your room mention **Recycle Florida Today**. Group lodging discounts are available on a first-come, first-served basis for the group discount. Last day to book your room at the discounted group rate has been **extended to May 24, 2019** and/or while rooms are available.



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