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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
3:00 pm	5:00 pm	Contamination Workshop hosted by The Recycling Partnership	Great Egret

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## Monday, June 17

Time Start	Time End	Event and Location	Location
7:30 am	2:30 pm	Registration Open	Estero Pre-function
7:30 am	1:00 pm	Exhibitor Set-up	Estero BC
8:30 am	10:00 am	<b>Opening Welcome –</b> <b>Patti Hammond</b> , <i>Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County</i> <b>Barbara Heineken</b> , <i>Resource Recycling Systems</i> <b>Keynote Address – Mitch Kessler</b> , <i>Kessler Consulting, Inc.</i>	Estero A
10:00 am	10:10 am	Session transition	
10:10 am	11:10 am	<b>General Session – 1</b> <b>Sustainable and Attainable!</b> <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. <b>Shelley Samec</b> , <i>Alachua County</i> - Moderator <b>Jennifer Baugher</b> , <i>Coca-Cola Beverages Florida</i> <b>Karl Berven</b> , <i>Bealls, Inc.</i> <b>Donn Githens</b> , <i>Goodwill Manasota</i>	Estero A
11:10 am	11:20 am	Session transition	
11:20 am	12:20 pm	<b>General Session – 2</b> <b>Successful Programs and Partnerships</b> <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. <b>Stephanie Kissinger</b> , <i>Waste Management Inc. of Florida</i> – Moderator <b>Cyndee Wooley</b> , <i>C2 Communications</i> <b>Dilia Camacho</b> , <i>Collier County</i> <b>Suzie Vance</b> , <i>VERDE</i>	Estero A

12:20 pm	12:30 pm	<b>EPA Region IV Updates</b> <i>Session summary:</i> Hear updates from EPA Region IV. <b>Bill Denman, EPA Region IV</b> (Invited)	Estero A
12:30 pm	2:00 pm	<b>Lunch on Your Own</b>	Estero BC
2:00 pm	5:00 pm	<b>Environmental Initiative Programs and Tour(s)</b> <b>Recycling Education Tour with RFT Family and Friends –</b>	
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	<b>General Session – 3</b> <b>Recycling in the Digital Age</b> <i>Session summary:</i> 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. <b>Joseph England, City of Orlando</b> - Moderator and Speaker <b>Marissa Segundo, Resource Recycling Systems</b>	Estero A
10:10 am	10:15 am	<i>Session transition</i>	
10:15 am	10:45 am	AM Networking Break with Exhibitors	Estero BC
10:45 am	11:45 am	<b>General Session – 4</b> <b>Organics Recycling Update Part 1</b> <i>Session summary:</i> 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. <b>David Hill, Cycle Logic</b> – Moderator <b>Joseph England, City of Orlando</b> <b>Miriam Zimms, Kessler Consulting, Inc.</b>	Estero A
11:45 am	Noon	<i>Transition to Luncheon</i>	
Noon	1:15 pm	Lunch with the exhibitors	Estero BC
1:15 pm	1:20 pm	<i>Transition from Lunch</i>	
1:20 pm	2:20 pm	<b>General Session – 5</b> <b>As the MRF Turns</b> <i>Session summary:</i> Hear success stories from MRFs on how they process materials in today's economy. <b>Rusty Angel, Machinex Technologies</b> – Moderator <b>Tim Lamontagne, Lee County</b> <b>John Hansen, Single Stream Recyclers, LLC</b> <b>Will Howard, Waste Pro</b>	Estero A
2:20 pm	2:25 pm	<i>Session transition</i>	
2:25 pm	3:25 pm	<b>General Session – 6</b> <b>What's Up with Plastics?</b> <i>Session summary:</i> 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. <b>Barbara Heineken, RRS</b> <b>Sue Flak, Indian River County</b> <b>Stephanie Baker, KW Plastics</b> <b>Paul Benvenuti, Commercial Plastics Recycling</b>	Estero A
3:25 pm	3:55 pm	Refreshment Break with the Exhibitors	Estero BC

3:55 pm	4:55 pm	<b>General Session – 7</b> <b>Single Stream – Not Always the Single Answer!</b> <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. <b>Karen Deeter, MSW Consultants – Moderator</b> <b>Charlie Hobson, Alachua County</b> <b>Willie Puz, Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County</b> <b>Walt Davenport, MSW Consultants</b>	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	<b>General Session – 8</b> <b>Organics Recycling Update Part 2</b> <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! <b>Chris Snow, Consolidated Resource Recovery – Moderator</b> <b>Melanie Mason, Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services</b> <b>Joanna Berens, Sustainable Events Network, Florida &amp; Caribbean</b>	Estero A
9:00 am	9:05 am	Session Transition	
9:05 am	10:05 am	<b>General Session – 9</b> <b>Florida Legislative Update Hour</b> <u>Session summary:</u> Join this session to hear legislative updates on recent bills and legislative issues that impact our industry. <b>Molly Schweers, Lee County – Moderator</b> <b>Keyna Cory, National Waste &amp; Recycling Association – FL Chapter</b> <b>Dawn McCormick, Waste Management Inc. of Florida</b> <b>Willie Puz, Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County</b> <b>David Dee, Gardner, Bist, Bowden, Bush, Dee, LaVia &amp; Wright, P.A.</b>	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	<b>General Session – 10</b> <b>STOP Putting it in the Dumpster!</b> <u>Session summary:</u> Business recycling, what it means to the bottom line, and how new companies can jump in the pool.	Estero A
Noon	1:00	Annual Business Luncheon	Tarpon Bay
1:00 pm	--	Adjourn	Safe travels!

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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 is **May 16, 2019** and/or while rooms are available.



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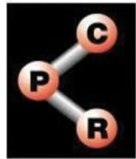
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