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**Department of
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AGENDA*
Solid Waste and Recycling Fund Advisory Committees

In Person

Delaware Room
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Wednesday, October 7, 2026

10:00 am	SWAC Call to Order; Introduction of Members and Guests; Approval of Minutes of March 19, 2026; Old Business – <i>Michele Nestor, Chair</i>
10:05 am	SWAC Public Comment**
10:15 am	SWAC Informational Item: Permits-By-Rule for Small Scale, Source-Separated Food Scraps Collection, Composting, and Anaerobic Digestion Facilities – <i>Jessica Shilladay, DEP Bureau of Waste Management, will provide information on the pre-draft proposed regulation. Michele Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion.</i>
10:30 am	SWAC Action Item: Draft Proposed Coproduct Regulation Update – <i>Chris Solloway and Kevin Beer, DEP Bureau of Waste Management, will review the draft proposed regulatory language. Michele Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion and solicit recommendations/approval.</i>
10:50 am	SWAC New Business
10:55 am	SWAC Adjourn; RFAC Call to Order; Introduction of Members and Guests; Approval of Minutes of September 25, 2025; RFAC Old Business – <i>Michele Nestor, Chair</i>
11:00 am	RFAC Public Comment**
11:10 am	RFAC Informational Item: 2025 Battery Recycling Campaign Results – <i>Amy Mazzella di Bosco, Greater Lebanon Refuse Authority (GLRA), will present the results of GLRA's battery recycling campaign. Michele, Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion.</i>

11:35 am	RFAC Informational Item: Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling (SWIFR) Round 1 Deliverables – Jessica Shilladay, DEP Bureau of Waste Management, and Robert Bylone, Pennsylvania Recycling Markets Center, will review progress made against the SWIFR Round 1 deliverables. Michele Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion.
12:00 pm	RFAC Informational Item: Recycling Economic Impact (REI) Study – Robert Bylone, President and CEO, Pennsylvania Recycling Markets Center, will provide updates on the project. Michele Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion.
12:25 pm	RFAC Discussion Item: Review of FY 2025–2026 Recycling Fund Expenditures – Mark Vottero, Division of Waste Minimization and Planning, DEP Bureau of Waste Management, will provide an overview of the expenditures of the Recycling Fund for the previous Fiscal Year. Michele Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion.
12:45 pm	RFAC Action Item: FY 2027-2028 Recycling Fund Spending Plan – Mark Vottero, Division of Waste Minimization and Planning, DEP Bureau of Waste Management, will present the proposed Spending Plan for the Recycling Fund for the upcoming Fiscal Year. Michele Nestor, Chair, will lead discussion and solicit recommendations/approval.
1:05 pm	RFAC New Business
1:10 pm	RFAC Adjourn

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