



## SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

**Wednesday, January 5, 2021**  
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

**Join Zoom:**

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Time	Min	Topic and Presenter
5:30 – 5:35	5	<b>Introductions and Roll Call</b>
5:35 – 5:40	5	<b>Agenda Review</b>
5:40 – 5:45	5	<b>Old Business</b> 1. <b>Review/Approve minutes</b> (Adam Diamond, Chair)
5:45 – 6:15	30	<b>New Business</b> (presentations and Q&A) 1. <b>Lonnie Heflin</b> , Chief – Material Management Section, RRMD, DEP <b>Status of Montgomery County development, acquisition and promotion of private development of new food scrap processing capacity (composting and AD)</b> What is the status of organics recycling facilities for the county, as anticipated in the MoCo <a href="#">Strategic Plan to Advance Composting, Compost Use, and Food Scraps Diversion</a> : what has DEP already investigated, what questions or issues are outstanding, and where can the SWAC /Organics Subcommittee assist?
6:15-6:45	30	2. <b>Ben Parry</b> , CEO, Compost Crew, website: <a href="http://compostcrew.com/">compostcrew.com/</a> <b>Insights about development of food scrap composting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lessons Compost Crew has learned about development of residential and commercial composting business lines (prior to the MoCo residential pilot)</li> <li>• What opportunities and challenges are there in developing new composting facilities in MD to support the new diversion mandates?</li> <li>• Feedback on how the MoCo residential food scrap pilot is going</li> </ul>
6:45 – 6:50	5	<b>Public comment opportunity</b> (Diamond)
6:50 – 6:55	5	<b>New Nomination and Election for Chair and Secretary</b> (Diamond) All interested members interested in Chair and Secretary positions may submit names to Adam in advance and nominations will be taken at the meeting.
6:55 – 7:10	15	<b>Updates: RRMD and Subcommittees</b> (New Chair) <i>RRMD Updates to include: status of SWM 10-year plan, and County Executive plans for addressing the County Council's postponement of the draft Plan's commitments to consolidate Subdistricts A and B and to close the incinerator, pending further study and stakeholder consultation.</i>
7:10 – 7:25	15	<b>Discuss Meeting Topics for next few sessions, and beyond in 2022</b> (New Chair) <i>Peter Ettinger</i> , Chief Development Officer, Bioenergy Devco, has agreed to speak on Feb 2. <i>Opportunity for all members to identify topics and schedule for 2022.</i>
7:25 – 7:30	5	<b>Wrap up &amp; Adjourn</b> (New Chair)

*The next meeting is February 2, 2022 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. SWAC will meet virtual online. See the SWAC website for more info: <https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/sws/swac/>  
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