

Oklahoma Recycling Conference
Taking It Back: Making Recycling Work for Oklahoma
Tuesday, October 20, 2015, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Schusterman Center, University of Oklahoma, Tulsa
Program Agenda

TIME	PROGRAM	DETAILS
8:00-3:45	Exhibits Are Open – Founders Hall	Visit with exhibitors
8:00-9:00	Registration & Networking	Continental breakfast in exhibit area
9:00-9:10	Welcome & Housekeeping Notes	Traci Phillips & Ellen Bussert Oklahoma Recycling Association
9:10-9:45	<i>Recycling Market Update & Commodity Trends</i> <i>Introduction: Ellen Bussert, OKRA</i>	Robert Pickens , American Waste Control
9:45-10:45	<i>Product Stewardship in Oklahoma</i> <i>Introduction: Ellen Bussert, OKRA</i>	Scott Cassel , Product Stewardship Institute
10:45-11:00	Morning break/network	Exhibit area
11:00-11:45	Panel: <i>Recycling in Schools</i> <i>Moderator:</i> Sara Ivey, ODEQ & Okla. Green Schools	Peters Elementary , Teacher Kathy Harding and Students (Broken Arrow) Clyde Boyd Middle School , Teacher Ken Cole and Students (Sand Springs)
11:45-12:00	Exhibits – Founders Hall	Visit exhibits & network while food is set out
12:00-1:15	12:00 Lunch Buffet Opens 12:30 Program Begins: <i>Getting Attention - The Kardashian Approach to Green Messages</i> <i>Introduction: Ellen Bussert, OKRA</i>	Michael Patton , Land Legacy
1:15-1:30	Exhibits – Founders Hall	Visit exhibits & network while tables are cleared
1:30-2:15	<i>Recycling Challenges for Rural Communities</i> <i>Introduction: Ellen Bussert, OKRA</i>	Larry Karigan-Winter , Director of Solid Waste & Recycling for Madison County, AR (Retired)
2:15-3:15	Founders Hall Session: <i>Recycling Organic Materials</i> <i>Moderator: Lynn Malley,</i> Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Services	Kate Worley , Walmart Senior Manager, Solid Waste and Recycling OK Compost Conference Announcement Kelly Dillow , ODEQ OK Master Composter Training Announcement David Hillock , OCES State Horticulture
3:15-3:45	Expert Q&A Wrap-Up <i>Moderator:</i> Ken Purdy, OK SWANA	Scott Cassel , Product Stewardship Robert Pickens , Recycling Markets Michael Patton , Marketing/Branding Recycling Larry Karigan-Winter , Rural Recycling Kate Worley , Recycling Organic Materials
3:45-5:00	POST-CONFERENCE TOURS (choose 1) <i>Tour Leader 1:</i> Traci Phillips, Natural Evolution <i>Tour Leader 2:</i> Robert Pickens, Tulsa Recycle & Transfer	Tour 1 – Tour the only E-Stewards, ISO14001 Certified Electronics Recycling company within Oklahoma. Tour 2 - Tour a \$10M residential & commercial single-stream MRF, the first of its kind in Oklahoma. The state-of-the-art system can process 40,000 pounds of recyclables per hour.