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Recycling Market Development Advisory Council (RMDAC) Meeting

Lowcountry Fresh Market & Café
303 Bleeker Street S.
Bluffton, SC 29910

| THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2023 AGENDA | |
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| 9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. | Arrive at Lowcountry Fresh Market & Cafe <ul style="list-style-type: none">Meet & Greet |
| 10:00 a.m. | RMDAC Call to Order Wes Westbrooks – RMDAC Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none">Welcome and IntroductionsAcknowledgement of Visitors |
| 10:05 a.m. | Economic Impact of Recycling & Food Waste <ul style="list-style-type: none">Anna DeLage, SC Department of Commerce |
| 10:25 a.m. | Seaside Grown <ul style="list-style-type: none">Ross Taylor, Partner |
| 10:45 a.m. | Economic Development <ul style="list-style-type: none">Charlie Stone, Beaufort County Economic Development Corporation |
| 11:00 a.m. | Lowcountry Fresh Market & Café <ul style="list-style-type: none">Cindy Rolfe, Owner |
| 11:20 a.m. | Remarks from Distinguished Guest <ul style="list-style-type: none">Mark Hendrick, SC Department of Commerce |
| 11:35 a.m. | Closing Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">Wes Westbrooks, RMDAC ChairAnna DeLage, SC Department of Commerce |
| 11:40 a.m. | Local Food Showcase <ul style="list-style-type: none">Chef Duane Copeland, Lowcountry Fresh Market & Café |
| 11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. | Lunch |

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Annual RMDAC Retreat

Don Ryan Center Innovation Hub
7 Venture Dr #100,
Bluffton, SC 29910

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2023

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| 1:00 p.m. | Arrive at Don Ryan Innovation Center |
| 1:05 | Charlie Stone, Beaufort County Economic Development |
| 1:10 p.m. | Wes Westbrooks – RMDAC Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none">Approval of September 27, 2023, RMDAC Meeting MinutesCounty Government & General Public RepresentativesMarket Updates |
| 1:15 p.m. | RMDAC Year In Review , Anna DeLage, SC Department of Commerce Annual Work Plan: Past and Present <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recycling Markets DirectorySouthern Waste Information Exchange (SWIX)SC Scrap Tire Sustainability CoalitionCRA Legislative Day 2023RMDAC Legislative Education SeriesSustain SC: Commerce + DHEC + RMDAC = Disruptive Conversation, Data and Reporting, Lithium-Ion Battery Recycling2024 Event Calendar and Meeting Schedule |
| 1:30 p.m. | Annual Work Plan: Future State , Anna DeLage, SC Department of Commerce <ul style="list-style-type: none">Review Survey Results: Priorities IdentifiedDiscuss Strategic Opportunities: SWIFR Grant, Tech Hub GrantDiscuss and Identify a Focus Project for 2024 |
| 2:00 p.m. | Annual Work Plan: Future State , Anna DeLage, SC Department of Commerce <ul style="list-style-type: none">SMART Goals Exercise Break |
| 3:10 p.m. | Annual Work Plan: Strategic Implementation , Anna DeLage, SC Department of Commerce <ul style="list-style-type: none">Who are potential allies in achieving our goals?What resources are needed?Who should (and could) do what? |
| 4:00 p.m. | Wrap-up / Adjourn |
| 4:45 p.m. | Hotel Check-in, The Beaufort Inn, 809 Port Republic St, Beaufort, SC 29902 |
| 6:15 p.m. | Walk to Dinner |
| 6:30 p.m. | Dinner & Networking , Panini's 926 Bay St, Beaufort, SC 29902 |



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| Seaside Grown, St. Helena Island |

| FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 AGENDA | |
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| 7:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. | Breakfast on your own: Blackstone , 205 Scott St, Beaufort, SC 29902 Lowcountry Produce Market & Café , 302 Carteret St, Beaufort, SC 29902 |
| 9:15 a.m. | Pack up and check out |
| 9:30 a.m. | Travel to Seaside Grown , 10 Old Polowana Rd, St. Helena Island, SC 29920 |
| 10:00 a.m. | Tour Seaside Grown |
| 11:30 a.m. | Wrap up/Adjourn |

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RMDAC 2024 Meeting Schedule

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| January | SC Department of Commerce/ Tuesday, January 2024 |
| March | SC Department of Commerce/Thursday, March 2024 |
| May | SC Department of Commerce/Tuesday, May 2024 |
| July | SC Department of Commerce/Tuesday, July 2024 |
| September | SC Department of Commerce/Tuesday, September 2024 |
| November | SC Department of Commerce/Thursday- Friday, November 2024 |