

# Welcome



# INDEPENDENT CONSULTATION AND ENGAGEMENT PANEL MEMBER OBSERVERS

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# Agenda

View of Metro Vancouver

# AGENDA

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1. Welcome

2. Agenda – October 3, 2025

3. Meeting Notes – September 18, 2025

4. Solid Waste Management Plan Update – Potential Strategies and Actions Feedback Session

- Solid Waste Management Plan Update – Feedback on Draft Plan Outline and Residual Management Options Review

5. Information Items

6. Action Items

7. Additional Items

8. Next Steps and Next Meeting Date

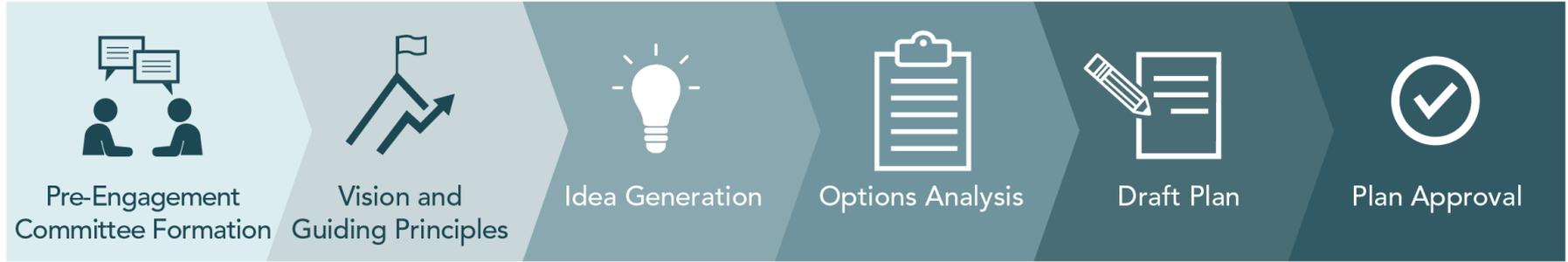
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# Meeting Notes

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# PLAN TIMELINE



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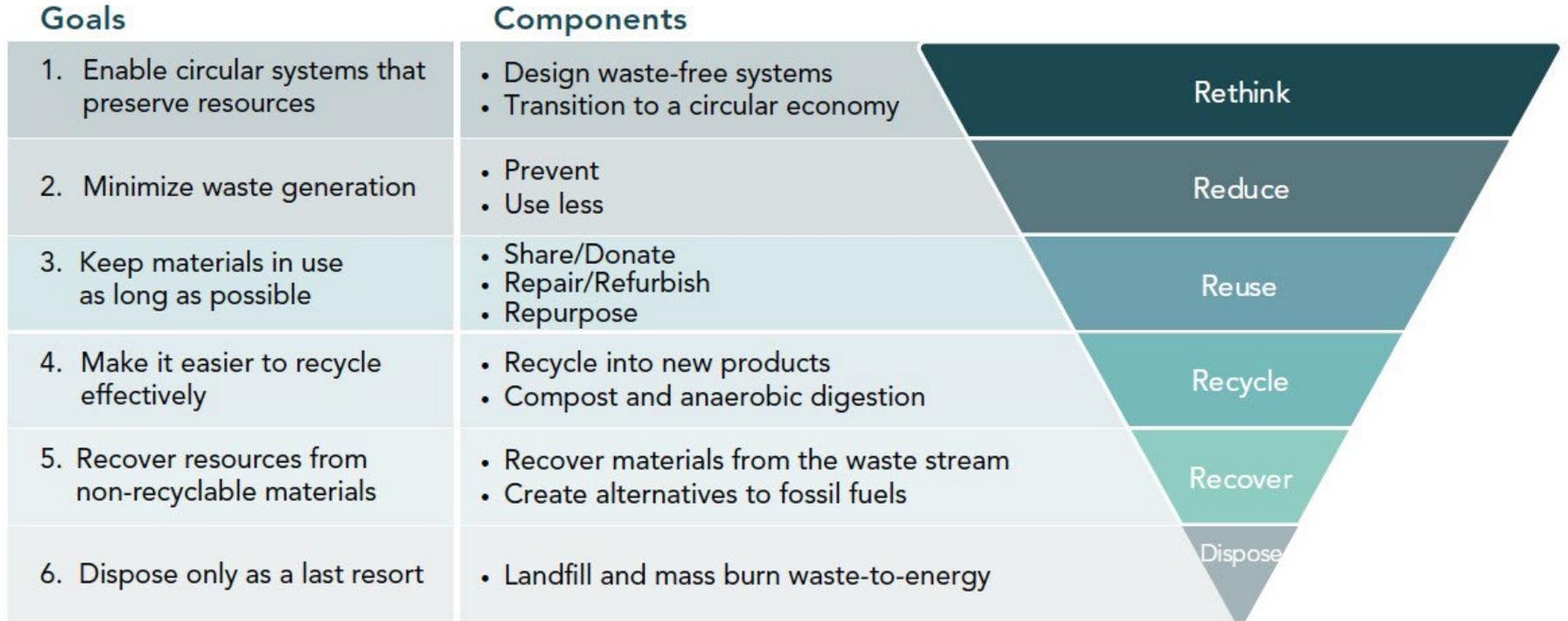
# TODAY'S SESSION

## Objectives:

- Small group discussion on strategies and actions within the first 4 R's, with the goal of identifying which actions are most important to include
- Plenary discussion on actions under Recover and ideas considered unadvisable by staff

**Outcome of the options analysis phase:** Help determine what strategies and actions to include in the solid waste management plan

# WASTE HIERARCHY



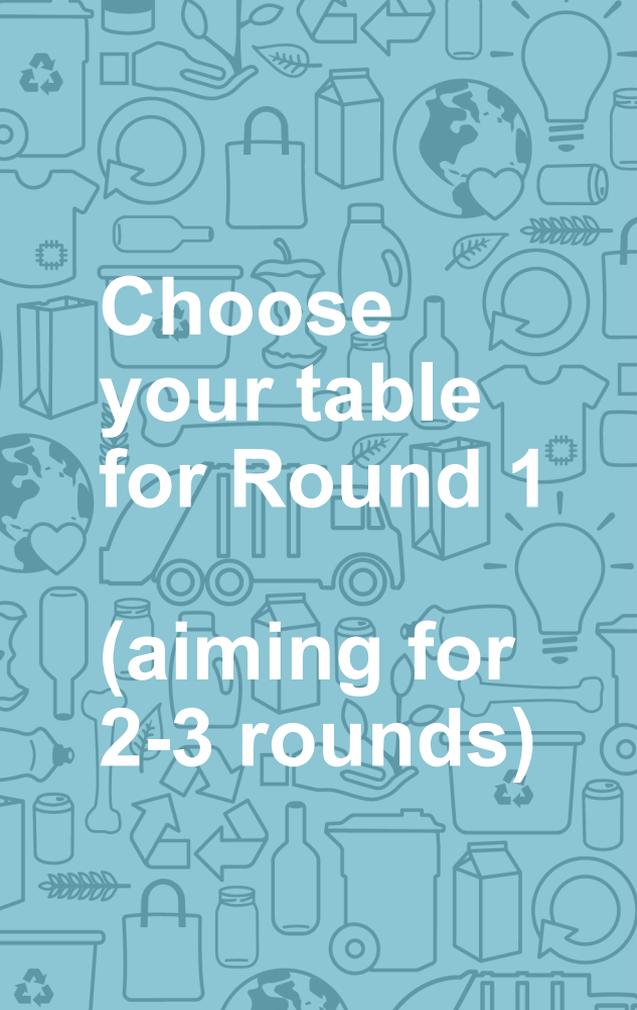


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# Small group exercise

Public/Technical Advisory Committee





**Choose  
your table  
for Round 1  
(aiming for  
2-3 rounds)**

**Tables:**

- *Rethink*
- *Reduce*
- *Reuse (Reuse, Refill, Repair)*
- *Reuse (Food and Built Environment)*
- *Recycle (Infrastructure and Programs)*
- *Recycle (Education)*



*Facilitator will show and read out each action*

*Use your hand to note the level of priority for including each action in the plan:*

***How important is it that this action is included in the plan?***

*5 – extremely important      0 – least important*

*Facilitator writes total number for each action on a sticky note on the card*

**Fist of Five**



# DISCUSSION

Designate a note taker and use the markers / flip charts to take notes

- How will these actions impact residents, businesses, and the community?
- How easy or difficult would it be for you or others to participate in these actions? *If difficult, what makes participation difficult?*
- What should Metro Vancouver consider to support implementation of these actions or increase participation/involvement?

# DISCUSSION

For the **2 actions** with the lowest number, discuss:

- Why were these actions ranked as lower priority for inclusion in the updated plan?



## Round 2

*Switch tables and repeat the exercise*



# Plenary discussion

Public/Technical Advisory Committee

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3. Meeting Notes – June 19, 2025
4. Action Items
5. Solid Waste Management Plan Update – Draft Plan Outline, Draft Plan Strategies and Rubric, and Residual Waste Management Options Review
6. Information Items
7. Other Business
8. Additional Items



## **DISCUSSION – PLENARY**

Do you have any comments on these items that are published on our website?

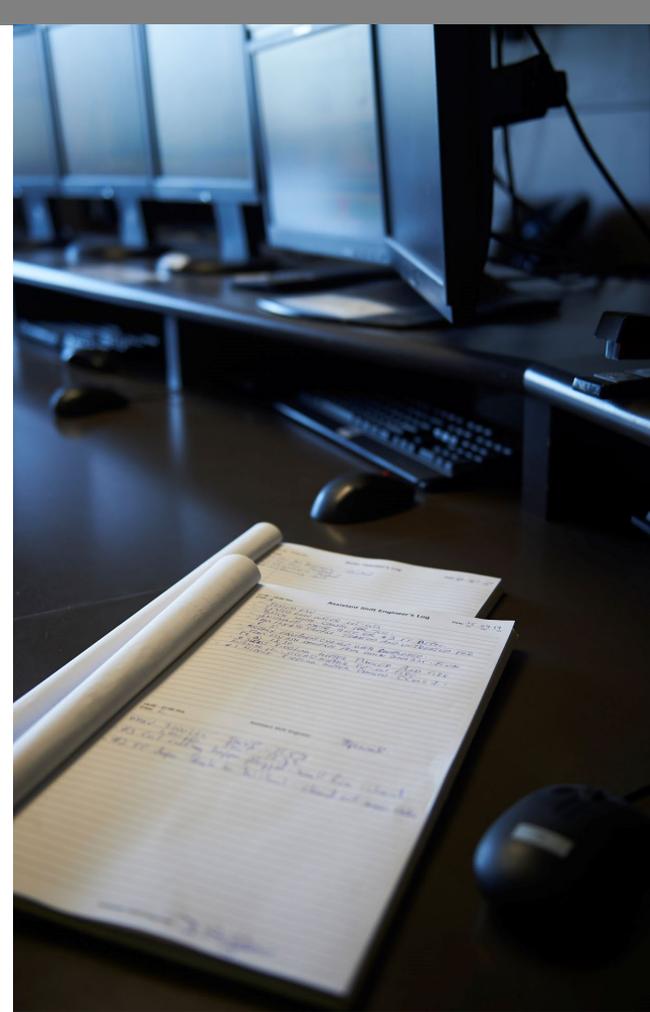
- Strategies and actions under ‘Recover’
- Draft summary of ideas staff consider unadvisable

# Takeaways (plenary)



# NEXT STEPS

- Engagement open to October 31
- Potential strategies and actions published on the Metro Vancouver website
  - Feedback form available
- Continued engagement with First Nations and the public
- Draft plan – 2026





Metro Vancouver Skyline

Thank You

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Metro Vancouver Waste-to-Energy Facility



3.2

Vancouver Landfill

# PTAC Feedback on Solid Waste Management Plan Draft Outline and Residual Waste Management Options Review

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Solid Waste Management Plan Public/ Technical Advisory Committee Meeting, October 3, 2025

Orbit Link: 78920912

# Action Items

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# Information Items

Jericho Beach



# INFORMATION ITEMS

## 5.1 Zero Waste Committee and Other Updates

- Upcoming meeting October 9, 2025
- BCUC Applications - BC Hydro EPA and Burnaby Thermal Purchase Agreement
- Waste-to-Energy Facility Operational Certificate

## 5.2 Zero Waste Conference Reminder

- November 27, 2025
- PTAC member registration covered
- Email [zerowaste@metrovancover.org](mailto:zerowaste@metrovancover.org) for details

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# Additional Items



# UPCOMING MEETING

November meeting

- **Last meeting of 2025:**
- **November 20** in-person meeting at Metro Vancouver:
  - **Targets and Metrics**



Workshop

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