



25th Annual Conference for Recycling, Sustainability and Solid Waste Professionals

Hilton Virginia Beach Oceanfront May 15—17, 2017

Registration Form

Registration includes: all sessions, Zero Waste training and certification, Zero Waste business workshop, breakfast on Tuesday and Wednesday, lunch on Tuesday, local recycling tours, and an evening networking reception

To register: Mail this completed registration form with a check made payable to “Virginia Recycling Association” to P.O. Box 85, Ivy, VA 22945. Registrations must be received at the VRA office by May 9th.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Registration will close on Tuesday, May 9th. Registrations must be received by VRA by May 9th for purposes of finalizing our hotel contract. Registration will reopen at the conference registration desk on Monday, May 15th.

Conference Registration—one registration form per person

Registration Total

| Rate Category | Early Bird by March 31st | Regular after March 31st | \$ |
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| ___ Member—VRA, Virginia Litter Council, SWANA | \$225 | \$275 | |
| ___ Individual | \$275 | \$325 | |
| ___ Speaker | \$125 | \$175 | |
| ___ One day: Tuesday or Wednesday (<i>circle</i>) | \$125 | \$175 | |
| ___ Student | \$25 (meals excluded) | \$130 (includes all meals) | |
| ___ Exhibit Hall Pass | \$50 | \$50 | |

Cancellation Policy

VRA will fully refund registration fees for registrations cancelled before April 10th. Cancellations received between April 10th and May 1st will receive a 50% refund. No refunds will be given for cancellations made after May 1st.

Lodging Information

A block of rooms with special rates has been reserved for May 14th —17th at the Hilton Virginia Beach Oceanfront: **\$129 city view * \$149 ocean view * \$169 oceanfront**. These special room rates will be available until **April 24th** or until the group block is sold out, whichever comes first.

Please contact the Hilton at 855-275-4790 or http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/O/ORFVHHF-VRA-20170514/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG (code VRA) to make your reservation.

Tours—Monday 9:30am—3:00 pm

This year we're offering tours to two different recycling operations in the Tidewater area. The plan is for vans to take us to the two sites with a stop in between to enjoy a barbeque lunch at a local restaurant. Meet at the conference registration desk to join in the tours and bring money to cover your own lunch. Please indicate how many people will be attending the tours. **Note:** Tours are limited to the first 24 people to register. You will be notified if you are waitlisted for the tour.

*** S.B. Cox, Inc.—Yorktown**

[S.B. Cox, Inc.](#) was established in 1963 as a demolition contractor and construction service provider. Their services have grown to include roll-off container service, portable toilet service, crane rental, construction debris recycling, and ready-mix concrete. On this tour, we'll see their single stream construction and demolition operation and learn about their C&D recycling program.

*** Recovery Operations Center - Newport News**

The Newport News [Recovery Operations Center](#) offers disposal options for a variety of materials, such as appliances, e-waste, vegetative waste, recyclables and HHW. It also houses a retired landfill that is 15 years into post-closure. You'll get a bird's eye view of the center's composting operations, as well as a look at the adjacent recreational facilities and environmental and science facilities for local schools in

Tour RSVP



Disc Golf Tournament & Afternoon in the Park - Monday 1:00—5:00 p.m.

Bring your family for an afternoon of active fun in the sun at Shelter 3 at Bayville Farms Park, 4132 First Ct Road in Virginia Beach. Activities include kickball, tennis, basketball, shuffleboard, horseshoes and a playground. Bring your ID to borrow sports equipment from the park and some drinks and snacks to share. RSVP to participate in the disc golf tournament. Form your own team of four or register as an individual and we'll put you on a team. <https://www.vbgov.com/government/departments/parks-recreation/parks-trails/city-parks/Pages/bayville-farms-park.aspx>

Disc Golf RSVP



Dinner at Waterman's Surfside Grille —Monday at 5:30 p.m.

Meet at [Waterman's Surfside Grille](#) to enjoy local seafood and catch up with old friends (and make new ones). This renown local restaurant is located at 5th Street and Atlantic Avenue. Please indicate how many will be attending dinner so we can have enough seats. <http://www.watermans.com/>

Waterman's Dinner RSVP



Tuesday Night Reception & Corn Hole Tournament—Tuesday 7:00 – 9:00p.m.

A good time will be had by all during this social event. Join us in the conference area lobby for hors d'oeuvres, drinks at the cash bar, and raffle prizes. Then head to the beach for a friendly corn hole tournament. Don't forget to bring money for the drinks and items representative of your home area to contribute to the raffle!

Reception RSVP



Questions? Call or email Margaret at 804-302-4231 or Margaret@vraarecycles.org.