

## **EPA Satellite Forum hosted in San Jose May 1, 2002**

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The City of San Jose's Environmental Services Department and the Recycling and Waste Reduction Commission of Santa Clara County will be hosting the Environmental Protection Agency satellite forum entitled "Communities: Setting Trends in Waste Prevention and Recycling". This program will assist solid waste managers in establishing effective waste reduction programs.

Date/Time/Agenda:

May 1, 2002

8:30 am - 9:15 am

Registration and Refreshments

9:15 am - 9:30 am

Networking

9:30 am - 10 am

Overview and Q&A (moderator will consolidate questions to send to the panelist)

10 am - noon

Forum /Discussion/Conclusion

Location: 151 W. Mission near City Hall in San Jose

Please RSVP to this email or to Papia Gambelin at [papia.gambelin@pln.co.santa-clara.ca.us](mailto:papia.gambelin@pln.co.santa-clara.ca.us).

Upon RSVP you will receive a map of the location.

For additional information about the panelist please visit:

<http://www.epa.gov/wastewise/forum/bios.htm>

Panelists include: Charlie Reighart, Baltimore County, MD Department of Public Works which earned the 2001 Bronze Award for Integrated Solid Waste Systems for the County's unique residential refuse/recycling management system; John Reindl, Dane County, WI Department of Public Works who has authored over 100 articles, fact sheets, and market directories on solid waste management; Tom Padia, Alameda County, CA Waste Authority, and Recycling Board and Laura Weber from the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe who will discuss rural community recycling challenges. The forum panel will share lessons learned about their own government programs for waste prevention, and recycling. In addition to the panelists' presentations, video clips will highlight other successful programs and viewers can call in and ask questions.

EPA and its partners encourage you to participate in any way you can.

We hope that this forum will offer you an opportunity to gain new insights about solid waste reduction.