

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing on behalf of the Loudon County Solid Waste Disposal Commission (LCSWDC). LCSWDC will be conducting a Site Utilization and Waste Alternatives Workshop in the near future and we are soliciting input and ideas from local businesses, government stakeholders and other interested parties. The purpose of the workshop is to consider opportunities for waste disposal alternatives or other beneficial land uses at the Matlock Bend Landfill property. The LCSWDC is hopeful that the workshop will foster potential revenue generating partnerships between the LCSWDC and other members of the business community.

The LCSWDC has been working with Brown and Caldwell to develop the attached questionnaire that will be used in conjunction with the workshop. Brown and Caldwell is a national environmental engineering firm with broad experience in planning and implementing alternative landfill utilization options. The attached questionnaire is intended to generate ideas and discussion points for the workshop based on the information provided by the respondents. Please review the questionnaire and answer only the questions that you or your organization wishes to address. The LCSWDC greatly values your participation and welcomes any input you may have.

The LCSWDC is charged with long term planning for solid waste disposal within our single county region. A primary function of the LCSWDC is the operation of the Matlock Bend Landfill, which is one of only 33 active class 1 landfills in the State of Tennessee. The Matlock Bend Landfill serves as a very valuable resource for our business community, and your ideas can assist the LCSWDC in charting its path forward.

The success of this workshop effort will in many ways be dependent on the participation of our community. The LCSWDC certainly recognizes the value of your time and greatly appreciates your input to this questionnaire.

Please take the time necessary to review the questionnaire and provide your input and ideas. The questionnaire is prepared in a pdf format with fillable fields to facilitate your responses. Please fill out the questionnaire form and e-mail it back to Kevin Stevens at the following e-mail address: kstevens@kmfpc.com.

We are calling for the questionnaires to be returned by February 28, 2014. The workshop will be held on March 24, 2014 at 6:00pm at the Loudon County Office Building. If you would like to provide additional thoughts or comments as to possible waste disposal alternatives and beneficial land uses for the Matlock Bend Landfill and contiguous property, please send your specific comments in response to this e-mail and they will be directed to the appropriate LCSWDC representatives serving on the workshop committee.

If you would be interested in participating in our workshop in any manner, please indicate your interest on the returned questionnaire.
Thank you for your time and interest.

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