



2018 Connecticut Recycling Conference Agenda

10:00

Welcome Remarks

Commissioner Rob Klee, *CT DEEP*

10:20 – 11:20

Panel I: Consumer Packaging

Moderator:

Donna Hamzy, *Advocacy Director, CCM*

Panelists:

Fred Hurley, *Director, Newtown DPW*

Chaz Miller, *Recycling Expert and award-winning columnist*

Victor Bell, *President, Environment Packaging International*

Eric Brown, *Senior Council, CBIA*

11:20 – 12:10

Panel II: 2018 Legislative Preview

Moderator:

Brian Paganini, *VP & Managing Director, Quantum Biopower*

Panelists:

Senator Ted Kennedy, Jr., *Co-Chair*

Representative Mike Demicco, *Co-Chair*

Senator Heather Somers, *Vice Chair*

Representative Stephen Harding, *Ranking Member*

Representative Mary Mushinsky, *Member*

12:10 – 12:40

Lunch Break

12:40 – 1:30

Keynote Event

Connecticut Capitol Report Panel Debate

1:30 – 2:40

Panel III: CT's Food Waste Infrastructure

Moderator:

Lorenzo Macaluso, CET

Panelists:

Wayne Pesce, *President, Connecticut Food Association*

Heather Priest, *Wilton Public Schools*

Luc Dang, *Founder and CEO, Phood*

Sam King, *Blue Earth Compost*

Brian Paganini, *VP & Managing Director, Quantum Biopower*

2:40 – 3:10

Networking Break

3:10 – 4:20

Panel IV: The Bottle Bill

Moderator:

Sarah Edwards, *Eunomia Research & Consulting, Inc.*

Panelists:

Lou Burch, *CT Program Director, Citizens Campaign for the Environment*

Chuck Riegler, *Vice President, TOMRA*

Tom Gaffey, *Director of Recycling and Enforcement, MIRA*

Andy Crowley, *Senior Plant Manager, Strategic Materials*

4:30

Closing Remarks

Dan McGowan, *President, CRC*

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