



Universal Waste Webinar Presented by: Metro Waste Authority (MWA) & IDNR's Pollution Prevention Services Program Overviews, Resources & Discussion

Are you responsible for universal waste disposal for your business? Are you new to universal waste regulations? Or seeking to be up-to-date on the current requirements? Could you benefit from access to a discussion with environmental peers in your community who may share some of the same universal waste challenges or successes as you?

For most lowa businesses, managing universal waste is a part of daily operations. Businesses must maintain knowledge of proper management and handling programs, and staying on top of requirements may seem daunting. Additionally, businesses may not know what resources are available in the state to support them in complying with universal waste requirements and helping them reduce universal waste generation at the source.

To address these challenges, Metro Waste Authority (MWA) is partnering with the Iowa DNR's Pollution Prevention Services program to deliver an interactive webinar addressing universal waste. The webinar will provide an overview of the universal waste program and requirements, including sessions from EPA regulators discussing current universal waste program requirements and best practices. MWA will also present a comprehensive overview of their agency's universal waste program for businesses. Finally, resources will be highlighted that can support Iowa businesses in meeting compliance obligations and identifying opportunities for reducing universal waste generation through optimizing processes and minimizing waste generation at the source. Time will be provided for Q&A with presenters and other attendees, to maximize information exchange. There will also be dedicated time at the end for openfloor discussion and networking, to encourage the exchange of ideas and strategies amongst peers.

Attendance at the webinar is free, but pre-registration is required. To register, click on the link within the event agenda that follows. Feel free to contact P2 Services (<u>p2services@dnr.iowa.gov</u> or 515.205.8251) with any questions regarding the webinar or how to register.

We look forward to seeing you at the webinar!









Universal Waste Webinar Wednesday, June 29th, 2022: 10:00am – 11:30am

Objective: Conduct a webinar open to business and industry in the MWA service area that will overview EPA's Universal Waste Program, local collection programs, and technical resources available to minimize universal waste generation.

Register Here for the Universal Waste webinar!

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Time	Agenda Item
10:00 am	Introductions
	Jennifer Reutzel Vaughan, P2 Services
	Kyle Fischer, MHWD Facility Manager, Metro Waste Authority
10:10 am	Universal Waste – EPA program overview
	Lauren Norris, RCRA Enforcement/Compliance, EPA Region 7
	Jim Aycock, RCRA Enforcement/Compliance, EPA Region 7
10:50 am	Universal Waste Program at Metro Waste Authority
	Kyle Fischer, MHWD Facility Manager, MWA
11:00 am	Universal Waste - Compliance Assistance
	Dan Nickey, Associate Director, Iowa Waste Reduction Center
11:10 am	Universal Waste – P2 BMP's / resource opportunities
	Jennifer Reutzel Vaughan, Pollution Prevention Services
11:20 am	Open Discussion – Universal Waste
	Facilitated discussion of questions, challenges, tips & resources