On February 6, 2020 at 10:02 am, the Keystone Chapter of SWANA Board of Directors Meeting was called to order by 
Mr. Sweeney. Meeting was a conference call. Those in attendance were:

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Not present: Bryan Wehler, Scott McGrath, Chuck Raudenbush, Bob Watts, Carolyn Witwer

SECRETARY’S REPORT

Mr. Lock presented the minutes from the January 2, 2020 Board of Directors Meeting. A motion was made by Mr. Lambert to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Engel seconded. Vote was called; the motion passed unanimously.

The January 2, 2020 Board of Directors Meeting minutes are attached and hereto made part of the minutes.

TREASURER’S REPORT

Ms. Anderson reviewed the Treasurer’s Report running through December 31, 2019. The partnership disbursement from the 2019 Fall Conference needs to be calculated and check sent to PWIA.

Motion was made by Mr. Lock to approve the Treasurer’s Report as presented. Mr. Lambert seconded. Vote was called; the motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made to approve the Administrative and Marketing Director invoice as presented. Made by Mr. Lambert and seconded by Ms. Nestor. Vote was called; motion passed unanimously.

The Treasurer’s Report and Administrative and Marketing Director invoice are attached and hereto made part of the minutes.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Advisory Board

The Advisory Board report is attached and hereto made part of the minutes.

Articles & Bylaws

Mr. Sweeney updated the Board on the status of the by-laws review. The local attorney has reviewed the by-laws and submitted his comments/recommendations to the Chapter. These will be distributed to the Board for review and approval.

Communications & Newsletter

The next article deadline is March 16, 2020.

Legislative & Policy

Ms. Nestor briefly reviewed Senator Yaw’s committee actions.

Membership & Marketing

No report.

Personnel & Nominating

No report.
Fall Conference

Ms. Nestor reported the exhibitor registration should be open in March.

Mini-Tech Seminars

Ms. Wessels reported on several mini-tech possibilities for 2020. Rochem, metal ash recovery, plant-based leachate are possible mini-techs. Ms. Nestor suggested a SWANA certification course for compost operations to be held in the Erie area.

SWANA certification exams will be held online starting in the spring of 2020.

Road-E-O

The location of the 2020 Road-E-O on June 4 & 5 has changed to Blossburg, PA. Northern Tier Solid Waste Authority will now host the 2020 Road-E-O. Volunteers are needed to judge at the competition. Contact Bob Watts, if interested.

Safety

Mr. Sweeney introduced Ms. Elizabeth Osborne as the new Safety Ambassador. Ms. Osborne is the Landfill Operations Supervisor at Chester County Solid Waste Authority.

SWANA has requested that the Chapter host the Hauler Safety Program. Lycoming County has offered to host one event in that program. This event will possibly be held in May. Details to follow.

Scholarships

Scholarship applications will be distributed to the members within the next week. Applications are due by May 1, 2020.

Young Professionals

No report.

Strategic Planning

No report.

CHAPTER CALENDAR

March 2020

• Thursday, 3/5, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• 3/15, Article Deadline for Spring Edition of The Keystone

April 2020

• Thursday, 4/2, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• Distribute Spring Edition of The Keystone

May 2020

• 5/1, Chapter Scholarship Application Deadline
• Thursday, 5/7, 10 am - Board Meeting, TBD
• Nominating Committee presents Slate of Officers and Directors for election

June 2020

• Thursday, 6/4, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• 6/1, Deadline for submittal of Grant H. Flint Scholarship recommendations to SWANA
• 6/4 & 6/5 - 2020 Mid-Atlantic Regional Road-E-O, Wilmington, DE
• Review annual budget
July 2020
• No Board Meeting
• Wednesday 7/15, Article Deadline for Summer Edition of The Keystone

August 2020
• Thursday, 8/6, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• Distribute Summer Edition of The Keystone

September 2020
• 9/17 – 9/18, 21th Annual Joint Fall Conference, Hilton Harrisburg
• 9/18, Chapter Annual Business Meeting and Election immediately following Fall Conference
• Chapter Fiscal Year Ends

OLD BUSINESS
The 2020 contract for Administrative and Marketing Director has been finalized and signed.

Contract is attached and hereto made part of the minutes.

NEW BUSINESS
No new business.

NEXT MEETING
The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Keystone Chapter Board of Directors will be a conference call on March 6, 2020 at 10:00 am. All members are welcome.

ADJOURN
There being no further business, motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 10:34 am by Mr. Lambert. Motion was seconded by Ms. Wessels. Vote was called; motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,
Chanda Martino
MEMORANDUM

TO: KEYSSTONE SWANA Board of Directors

SUBJECT: Treasurer’s Report

2. Account Reconciliation Summary (available to date)
   a. First Citizens December 1 through December 31, 2019
   b. Edward Jones December 1 through December 31, 2019

A MOTION is requested to approve the Treasurer’s Reports and all transactions from December 1 through December 31, 2019.


A MOTION is requested to approve the payment of the Administrative and Marketing Director’s Invoice as presented.

DAYLE L. ANDERSON,
TREASURER (INTERIM)
# Summary Balance Sheet

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**PA Keystone Chapter of Solid Waste Association of N.America**  
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# PA Keystone Chapter of Solid Waste Association of N.America

## Profit & Loss

October 2018 through September 2019

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Pennsylvania Keystone Chapter of SWANA
1610 Russell Road, Lebanon, PA 17046

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Position: Administrative and Marketing Director
Date: January 1, 2020 - January 31, 2020

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Recent Activity

- SWANA supports passage in the US Senate of Save our Seas Bill
- SWANA recently published its position on extended landfill care responsibility
- SWANA is discontinuing paper certification exams July 1, 2020
- SWANA is sponsoring a competition to see which chapter sends the most people to SWANApalooza
- SWANA is a promotional partner to Recycle Mania

Calendar of Events:

2020 Mid-Atlantic Regional Road-E-O will be held at the Northern Tier Solid Waste Authority’s Blossburg, PA June 4 & 5, 2020
2020 October El Paso, TX - International Road-E-O

Future WASTECONs & SWANApalooza:

2020: Atlanta – SWANApalooza March 23-26
2020: Dallas – WASTECON December 7-10
2021: Kansas City – SOAR (Sustainability Operations Actions and Resources) April 12-15
2021: Orlando – November 1-4
2024: Orlando – TBD
House Bill 75-CDRA Exemption

House Bill 179-CDRA Supplemental non-OEM Contracting Coverage

House Bill 342-Philadelphia Waste Tires *PASSED THE HOUSE

House Bill 575-CDRA Increase Required OEM Collections by Weight

House Bill 627-Polystyrene Food Container Ban (SB 803)

House Bill 1176-Plastic Straws Only Upon Request

House Bill 1192-Littering Fines Increase

House Bill 1198-Recycling Fee Increase

House Bill 1322-Bottle Deposit (SB 795)

House Bill 1608-Water Bottle Filling Stations in State Buildings

House Bill 1610-Commonwealth Agencies Non-Recyclable Container Ban

House Bill 1629-Disposal Fee increase for Environmental Stewardship Fund

House Bill 1797-County Recycling Fee

House Bill 1808-Pyrolysis

House Bill 1959-Food Date Labeling Requirements

House Bill 2023-Composting Mandate

House Bill 2137-Small Plastic Toiletry Bottles Prohibited at Hotels

Senate Bill 52-CDRA Additional OEM Collection Requirements

Senate Bill 256-Mushroom Compost *PASSED COMMITTEE

Senate Bill 766-HHW Funding Increase *PASSED COMMITTEE

Senate Bill 795-Bottle Deposit (HB 1322)

Senate Bill 803-Polystyrene Food Container Ban (HB 627)
House Bill 75-CDRA Exemption

Prime Sponsor: Rep. Greg Rothman (R, Cumberland)

Description

CDRA exemption for lack of access:
Legislation to authorize the Department of Environmental Protection to waive the provisions of Act 108 (CDRA) for municipalities located greater than five (5) miles from a DEP-permitted electronic recycling facility. (Amends the CDRA)

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Status

January 28, 2019 [House]

Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Jan. 28, 2019
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 179-CDRA Supplemental non-OEM Contracting Coverage

Prime Sponsor Rep. Christopher B. Quinn (R, Delaware)

Description
CDRA supplemental non-OEM contracting coverage:
Legislation to allow private contractors to bid on collecting, transporting and recycling the excess amount of electronic waste in each county not currently being covered by the existing system. All associated with contracts under this proposal would be apportioned to the manufacturers on the same market share basis currently being used in the existing law. (Amends the CDRA)

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Status
JANUARY 28, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Jan. 28, 2019
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 342-Phila Waste Tires

Prime Sponsor Rep. Angel Cruz (D, Philadelphia)

Description
Philadelphia Waste Tire Disposal:
Legislation to address the illegal disposal of waste tires by providing for a penalty up to $500 per tire. The bill would also require documentation and recordkeeping by a business dealing in waste tires and waste tire haulers, provide for waste tire enforcement to encourage recycling, expand waste tire disposal programs in accordance with the Waste Tire Disposal Act and enforce compliance with the act.

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Status
[February 1, 2019 (House)]
Referred to URBAN AFFAIRS, Feb. 1, 2019
Reported as amended, May 14, 2019
First consideration, May 14, 2019
Laid on the table, May 14, 2019
Removed from table, June 24, 2019
Second consideration, Sept. 18, 2019
Re-committed to APPROPRIATIONS, Sept. 18, 2019
Re-reported as committed, Sept. 19, 2019
Third consideration and final passage, Sept. 19, 2019 (186-0)
(Remarks see House Journal Page ), Sept. 19, 2019

[September 25, 2019 (Senate)]
In the Senate
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Sept. 25, 2019
Gene Yaw (Chair-R, Bradford, Lycoming, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Union)
John T. Yudichak (Minority Chair-D, Carbon and Luzerne)

PROP Position
House Bill 575-CDRA Increase Required OEM Collections by Weight

Prime Sponsor Rep. Marty Flynn (D, Lackawanna)

Description
Increase the weight required to be collected by OEMs:
Legislation to amend the Covered Device Recycling Act to require manufacturers to recycle a quantity of covered devices on a graduated scale of increasing market share, ensuring that more electronic items are recycled.

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Status
February 28, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Feb. 28, 2019
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 627-Polystyrene Food Container Ban (SB 803)

**Prime Sponsor** Rep. Tim Briggs (D, Montgomery)

**Description**

**Polystyrene Food Container Ban:**
Legislation to prohibit food establishments from using polystyrene food containers as temporary packaging for prepared foods. This prohibition is intended to reduce the amount of this harmful material, while encouraging the use of alternatives, such as paper or fiber containers that are more naturally biodegradable.

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**Status**

FEBRUARY 28, 2019 [HOUSE]

Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Feb. 28, 2019

Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)

Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

**PROP Position**
House Bill 1176-Plastic Straws Only Upon Request

Prime Sponsor  Rep. Mary Jo Daley (D, Montgomery)

Description
Plastic straws only given upon request:
Legislation that would prohibit establishments from offering plastic straws except upon the specific request of a customer. Although the intent of this legislation is to significantly reduce the use of plastic straws, I am aware that many individuals, such as those in the disabled community, are unable to use other types of straws. As such, rather than a blanket prohibition, the measure would allow establishments to provide single-use plastic straws to customers upon request.

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Status
APRIL 10, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to COMMERCE, April 10, 2019
Mark K. Keller (Chair-R, Perry, Cumberland)
John T. Galloway (Minority Chair-D, Bucks)
House Bill 1192-Littering Fines Increase

**Prime Sponsor** Rep. Donna Bullock (D, Philadelphia)

**Description**
*Increased Fines for Littering and Dumping:*
In order to dissuade litterers and dumpers, I will be proposing legislation to increase the fines and penalties for those caught illegally throwing away their garbage. Disposing of our trash properly is not a difficult task, so I believe that failure to do so should be punished appropriately.

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**Status**
*APRIL 11, 2019 [HOUSE]*
Referred to **JUDICIARY**, April 11, 2019
Rob W. Kauffman (Chair-R, Franklin)
Tim Briggs (Minority Chair-D, Montgomery)

**PROP Position**
House Bill 1198-Recycling Fee Increase

Prime Sponsor Rep. MaryLouise Isaacson (D, Philadelphia)

Description
Increase the Recycling Fee from $2 to $5:
Legislation that would increase the recycling fee that landfill operators pay from $2 per ton to $5 per ton on waste received at their landfills. Due to the fact that the fee has not been increased in over three decades, this increase in fee is about $1 per decade. (Amends Act 101 of 1988)

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Status
APRIL 15, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to LOCAL GOVERNMENT, April 15, 2019
Dan Moul (Chair-R, Adams)
Robert Freeman (Minority Chair-D, Northampton)

PROP Position
House Bill 1322-Bottle Deposit (SB 795)

Prime Sponsor: Rep. Wendy Ullman (D, Bucks)

Description

Beverage Container Deposit Recycling Program:
Ten states and Guam have implemented a deposit-refund system for beverage containers. These laws are designed to reduce litter and capture bottles, cans, and other containers for recycling. They dramatically increase recycling by creating an incentive for people to recycle, while shifting recycling costs from the general taxpayer to the beverage manufacturers and the people who consume bottled beverages. This bill will create a 5-cent beverage container deposit program which includes a redemption rate of 5 cents on returnable containers and a handling fee of 2 cents per container for retailers and redemption centers to help cover their costs associated with the handling and storage of returnable containers.

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Status

APRIL 29, 2019 [HOUSE]

Referred to FINANCE, April 29, 2019

Michael Peiffer (Chair-R, Pike, Wayne)

Jake Wheatley Jr. (Minority Chair-D, Allegheny)

PROP Position
House Bill 1608-Water Bottle Filling Stations in State Buildings

Prime Sponsor Rep. Perry S. Warren (D, Bucks)

Description
Water Bottle Filling Stations in State Buildings:
Legislation that would require newly-constructed state buildings, as well as existing state buildings undergoing renovations to their water and pipe infrastructure, to install water bottle filling stations. These stations are similar to water fountains, but have an additional nozzle above the basin that conveniently allows for the filling or refilling of any bottle with water.

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Status
JUNE 11, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to STATE GOVERNMENT, June 11, 2019
Garth D. Everett (Chair-R, Lycoming, Union)
Kevin J. Boyle (Minority Chair-D, Philadelphia, Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 1610- Commonwealth Agencies Non-Recyclable Container Ban

Prime Sponsor Rep. Christopher M. Rabb (D, Philadelphia)

Description
Commonwealth Agencies may not purchase Non-Recyclable and Non-Compostable Food and Beverage Containers:
Legislation would require Commonwealth agencies, in coordination with the Department of General Services, to ban the use of non-recyclable and non-compostable food and beverage containers in state-owned buildings. It's an easy place to start to tackle this problem. If the state can't lead on this issue, how can we expect others to do the same?

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Status
JUNE 11, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, June 11, 2019
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 1629- Disposal Fee increase for Environmental Stewardship Fund

Prime Sponsor Rep. Elizabeth Fiedler (D, Philadelphia)

Description
Disposal Fee increase for Environmental Stewardship Fund:
Legislation that would increase the disposal fee for municipal waste landfills from $4 per ton to $8 per ton for the Environmental Stewardship Fund, which provides financial support for the greenways, trails, community parks, and wildlife habitat preservation.

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Status
JUNE 14, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, June 14, 2019
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 1797-County Recycling Fee

Prime Sponsor: Rep. Patty Kim (D, Dauphin)

Description

County Recycling and Waste Management Fee Authorization:
Legislation to specifically authorize counties that have recycling programs to collect a recycling and waste management fee of up to $4 per ton. Counties would be able to use these funds to create and maintain new or existing recycling programs, programs to clean up illegal dumping sites or litter, and/or programs for alternative energy.
(This would undo IESI PA Bethlehem Landfill Corporation vs. County of Lehigh that stopped these fees in 2005.)

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Status

SEPT. 12, 2019 [HOUSE]
Introduced and Referred to LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
Dan Moul (Chair-R, Adams)
Robert Freeman (Minority Chair-D, Northampton)

PROP Position
House Bill 1808-Pyrolysis

Prime Sponsor  Rep. Ryan Mackenzie (R, Lehigh and Berks)

Description
Pyrolysis of post-consumer plastic regulated as manufacturing rather than solid waste:
Legislation to ensure that advanced recycling and recovery technologies like pyrolysis and
gasification that convert post-use plastics into valuable raw materials are regulated as
manufacturers, and that the post-use plastics they recycle are not misclassified as solid
waste.

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Status
Sept. 16, 2019 [House]
Introduced and Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY,
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 1959- Food Date Labeling Requirements

Prime Sponsor: Rep. Danielle Friel Otten (D, Chester)

Description
Food Date Labeling Requirements:
Legislation that will set a standard for date labeling of food sold in Pennsylvania. Under this standard, manufacturers would be required to place a “Use By” label on their product that tells consumers the final date at which the food is safe for human consumption. The legislation would also allow manufacturers to print a voluntary “Best If Used By” label to inform consumers of the date at which the food may begin to lose quality in taste or appearance but still be safe for human consumption. These standards are consistent with those created by the Food Marketing Institute and Grocery Manufacturers Association.

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Status
Oct 21, 2019 (House)
Referred to AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, Oct. 21, 2019.
Martin T. Causer (Chair-R, Mclean, Cameron, Potter)
Eddie Day Pashinski (Minority Chair-D. Luzerne)

PROP Position
House Bill 2023-Composting Mandate

Prime Sponsor Rep. Danielle Friel Otten (D, Chester)

Description
Making Pennsylvania a Leader in Composting:
Legislation to require that source separated organics be collected and processed at a compost facility, anaerobic digester, or resource recovery facility. Required participation is based on distance to processing facilities as well as annual organics waste production. (Amends ACT 101)

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Status
November 14, 2019 [HOUSE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY. Nov. 14, 2019
Daryl Metcalfe (Chair-R, Butler)
Greg Vitali (Minority Chair-D, Delaware and Montgomery)

PROP Position
House Bill 2137-Mini Plastic Toiletry Bottles in Hotels

Prime Sponsor Rep. Melissa L. Shusterman (D, Chester, Montgomery)

Description
Prohibiting Small Plastic Bottles in Lodging Establishments:
Legislation to prohibit lodging establishments from offering their guests personal care items in small plastic bottles. Our legislation is based on a recently enacted California law that is supported by major hotel brands in that state.

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Status
DECEMBER 17, 2019 [HOUSE]
REFFERRED TO COMMERCE, DEC. 17, 2019
Mark K. Keller (Chair-R, Perry, Cumberland)
John T. Galloway (Minority Chair-D, Bucks)

PROP Position
Senate Bill 52-CDRA Additional OEM Collection Requirements

Prime Sponsor Sen. John Gordner (R, Columbia, Luzerne, Montour, Northumberland, Snyder)

Description
CDRA additional OEM collection responsibilities:
Legislation to require that manufacturers be responsible for recycling all of the covered devices that they produce, as well as a portion of the orphan devices that are unaccounted for, based on a percentage of their market share. In addition, the legislation will mandate a minimum of one collection site per county, and for every municipality of 25,000 residents or more, in order to ensure free, convenient, environmentally responsible electronic recycling for consumers. (Amends the CDRA)

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Status
[January 11, 2019 [SENATE]]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Jan. 11, 2019
Gene Yaw (Chair-R, Bradford, Lycoming, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Union)
Steven J. Santarsiero (Minority Chair-D, Bucks)

PROP Position
Prime Sponsor: Sen. Andrew E. Dinniman (D, Chester)

Description
Expanded use of Mushroom Compost:
Legislation to amend section 1503 of the Municipal Waste Planning, Recycling and Waste Reduction Act, to expand the definition of "compost materials" to include spent mushroom substrate (SMS). SMS, also referred to as "mushroom compost" is the composted organic material remaining after a mushroom crop is harvested. (Amends Act 101 of 1988)

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Status
February 7, 2019 [SENATE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, Feb. 7, 2019
Reported as amended, June 25, 2019
First consideration, June 25, 2019
Laid on the table (Pursuant to Senate Rule 9), Oct. 29, 2019

PROP Position
- Chester County Recycling Manager Supports
- FROP Organics Committee Support?
- Jake Corman must make motion to remove the bill from the table for a vote
Senate Bill 766-HHW Funding Increase

Prime Sponsor Sen. Daylin Leach (D, Delaware, Montgomery)

Description
Helping Counties Dispose of Household Hazardous Waste:
Legislation to amend Act 190 of 1996 and increase the annual state funding match from $100,000 per county for HHW collection to $250,000. This limit has not been increased since 1996, despite the fact that the cost to counties to hold these events has increased exponentially over the last two decades. For example, Montgomery County, Lancaster County, Bucks County, Chester County, Berks County and Philadelphia each spent over the $200,000 suggested by Act 190. (Amends Act 190 of 1996)

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JUNE 14, 2019 [SENATE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERDY, June 14, 2019
Gene Yaw (Chair-R, Bradford, Lycoming, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Union)
Steven J. Santarsiero (Minority Chair-D, Bucks)
Reported as committed, Nov. 19, 2019
First consideration, Nov. 19, 2019

PROP Position
Senate Bill 795-Bottle Deposit (HB 1322)

Prime Sponsor Sen. Sharif Street (D, Philadelphia)

Description
Beverage Container Deposit Recycling Program:
Ten states and Guam have implemented a deposit-refund system for beverage containers. These laws are designed to reduce litter and capture bottles, cans, and other containers for recycling. They dramatically increase recycling by creating an incentive for people to recycle, while shifting recycling costs from the general taxpayer to the beverage manufacturers and the people who consume bottled beverages. This bill will create a 5-cent beverage container deposit program which includes a redemption rate of 5 cents on returnable containers and a handling fee of 2 cents per container for retailers and redemption centers to help cover their costs associated with the handling and storage of returnable containers.

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Status
JULY 8, 2019 [SENATE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, July 8, 2019
Gene Yaw (Chair-R, Bradford, Lycoming, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Union)
Steven J. Santarsiero (Minority Chair-D, Bucks)

PROP Position
Senate Bill 803- Polystyrene Food Container Ban (HB 627)

Prime Sponsor Sen. Daylin Leach (D, Delaware and Montgomery)

Description
Polystyrene Food Container Ban:
Legislation to prohibit food establishments from using polystyrene food containers as temporary packaging for prepared foods. This prohibition is intended to reduce the amount of this harmful material, while encouraging the use of alternatives, such as paper or fiber containers that are more naturally biodegradable.

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Status
July 16, 2019 [SENATE]
Referred to ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, July 16, 2019
Gene Yaw (Chair-R, Bradford, Lycoming, Sullivan, Susquehanna and Union)
Steven J. Santarsiero (Minority Chair-D, Bucks)

PROP Position
Pennsylvania Keystone Chapter SWANA
FY 2019 – 2020 Calendar

February 2020
• Thursday, 2/6, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• Scholarship applications released from SWANA International
• Send Scholarship announcement to members

March 2020
• Thursday, 3/5, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• 3/15, Article Deadline for Spring Edition of The Keystone

April 2020
• Thursday, 4/2, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• Distribute Spring Edition of The Keystone

May 2020
• 5/1, Chapter Scholarship Application Deadline
• Thursday, 5/7, 10 am - Board Meeting, TBD
• Nominating Committee presents Slate of Officers and Directors for election

June 2020
• Thursday, 6/4, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• 6/1, Deadline for submittal of Grant H. Flint Scholarship recommendations to SWANA
• 6/4 & 6/5 - 2020 Mid-Atlantic Regional Road-E-O, Blossburg, PA
• Review annual budget

July 2020
• No Board Meeting
• Wednesday 7/15, Article Deadline for Summer Edition of The Keystone

August 2020
• Thursday, 8/6, 10 am - Board Meeting Conference Call
• Distribute Summer Edition of The Keystone

September 2020
• 9/17 – 9/18, 21st Annual Joint Fall Conference, Hilton Harrisburg
• 9/18, Chapter Annual Business Meeting and Election immediately following Fall Conference
• Chapter Fiscal Year Ends