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DTSC Workshop Notice

Lead-Acid Battery Recycling Act Cleanup Program

To All Interested Parties:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) will host two workshops at the locations listed below to discuss a proposed framework for a program to investigate and clean up properties potentially contaminated by operations of lead-acid battery recycling facilities throughout California. The Lead-Acid Battery Recycling Act of 2016 (Act) (Assembly Bill [AB] 2153) created this program using funds, as appropriated to DTSC by legislators, from the sale of lead-acid batteries. The Act can be found on the California Legislative Information website at http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201520160AB2153.

DTSC's goal is to safely conduct the investigations and cleanups under the Act in a manner that provides the greatest health benefit to California communities potentially impacted by the operations of lead-acid battery recycling facilities. We want to hear your ideas on how DTSC should develop this program. These workshops provide opportunities for the public to participate and to provide input and feedback. The workshops will be held at the following dates, times, and locations:

Date	Time	Location
June 21, 2018	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM	Elihu Harris State Building 1515 Clay Street, Auditorium Oakland, CA 94612 Phone: (510) 622-2564
To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Southern California

DTSC will provide simultaneous Spanish interpretation services and Spanish-translated materials at both workshops.

Workshop Topics: At each workshop, DTSC will provide an overview and summary of the Act and DTSC's proposed framework for investigating and cleaning up potentially lead contaminated properties pursuant to the Act. Then DTSC will initiate discussions to obtain feedback on a variety of concepts to enhance the program's effectiveness.

Getting to the workshop:



Oakland: By train - the Oakland/12th Street BART station is about two blocks from the building. Proceed up the escalator to Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, past City Hall, to the Elihu Harris State Building. **By bus** – See AC Transit and Broadway Shuttle information, schedule and costs. There is a cost for parking in the area.

<https://speaker.asmdc.org/sites/speaker.asmdc.org/files/pdf/Oakland-State-Bldg-Parking-ransitMap.pdf>

How to comment: In addition to accepting comments at the workshops, DTSC will accept written comments on its proposed framework electronically at LABRF@dtsc.ca.gov until **5:00 pm (PDT) on August 17, 2018**.

Contact information: If you have questions about the documents or workshops, please contact Ms. Veronica Villasenor, Public Participation Specialist, at (916) 255-3651, or veronica.villasenor@dtsc.ca.gov.

The Mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances by restoring contaminated properties, enforcing hazardous waste law, reducing hazardous waste generation, and encouraging the manufacture of chemically safer products.