

# Public Notice

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances through the restoration of contaminated resources, enforcement, regulation and pollution prevention.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING Community Protection and Hazardous Waste Reduction Initiative (CPHWR Initiative)

**Date & Time:**

March 17, 2016, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Location:**

Cal Center Board Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
8800 Cal Center Drive  
Sacramento, CA 95826

**Background:** The CPHWR Initiative is a project being conducted by the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) to develop, implement, and evaluate methods to reduce hazardous waste generated, treated or disposed of in California. Two key elements of the CPHWR Initiative are the involvement of an Advisory Committee, comprised of representatives from different stakeholder groups, and the engagement of community members and other stakeholders to identify concerns related to hazardous waste generation and disposal. DTSC, with input from CPHWR Initiative Advisory Committee (Advisory Committee) members, will select up to three pilot-scale projects to reduce hazardous wastes that are generated in significant quantities, can pose substantial risks or hazards to human health or the environment, and are generated, treated or disposed in communities that are disproportionately burdened by multiple sources of pollution.

**Meeting:** The purpose of meeting with the Advisory Committee is to provide an opportunity for the Advisory Committee and members of the public to discuss with DTSC staff its ideas and considerations for hazardous waste reduction and information related to communities impacted by hazardous waste generation and disposal. The goals of the first Advisory Committee meeting are to establish organizational and operational procedures and to discuss available data, tools and criteria to inform the selection of the pilot projects.

### WHERE DO I GET ADDITIONAL INFORMATION?

**Meeting access and documents:** The public is invited to attend the meeting at the office location identified above, or access the CPHWR Initiative Advisory Committee Meeting) by webcast at:

<http://www.calepa.ca.gov/Broadcast/>.

The agenda for this meeting and any related meeting documents will be available approximately one week prior to the meeting date and can be found at: [www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/CPHWRI/CPHWRI.cfm](http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/CPHWRI/CPHWRI.cfm). If you are interested on being kept informed on Initiative information you can subscribe to the E-List located in the website above or contact: CPHWR Initiative Staff - Lazaro Cardenas at (916) 323-8749 or [cphwr@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:cphwr@dtsc.ca.gov)

