



Texas Association of
Regional Councils

Solid Waste Planners' Association Training & Meeting

Wednesday, February 4, 2026

1:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Cambria Austin Downtown | Whiskey River

AGENDA

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| 1:30 PM | Welcome & Roll Call | Ken May
Chair
Capital Area Council of
Governments |
| 1:35 PM | Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Training & Updates | Jessica Uramkin & Anju Chalise
Waste Permits Division
TCEQ |
| 2:30 PM | COG Spotlight: Vermiculture in Schools | Melisa Gonzales-Rosas
Lower Rio Grande Valley
Development Council |
| 3:30 PM | Opportunities to Enhance Recycling Infrastructure
for Local Economic Development: A presentation
of the findings from the Texas Recycling
Infrastructure Economic Development - Initiative
Team (TRIED-IT) Summit | Steve Shannon
Member, STAR & MSWRRAC
Lecturer, Texas State University |
| 4:30 PM | Solid Waste Planners' Association Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approval of Minutes• Treasurer's Report<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Annual Dues Discussion• Old Business• New Business | Ken May |
| 5:00 PM | Adjourn | |

Meeting information subject to change

Please register to attend at: <https://forms.office.com/r/e66VB6wbHj>.

Please join us Thursday, February 5, 2026, for the Environmental Quality Committee Meeting from 9:00 am - 9:50 am at the Cambria Austin Downtown in Whiskey River.