

PUERTO RICO RECYCLING PARTNERSHIP  
GROUP C - DEVELOPMENT OF RECYCLING MARKETS  
AGENDA  
September 7, 2010

- Introduction of the members
- Communication tool
- Summary of current status of Recycling Markets according to the Solid Waste Authority
- Barriers for establishing projects involving the collection of recyclables
  - Permitting? Which permits/endorsements?
- Identify alternatives to address barriers relating to the availability of materials
  - Elements affecting the collection and selling of recyclable materials
    - Depict hierarchy of recyclable materials vis-à-vis sources and local use
    - Identify targets (generators): Municipal, commercial or industrial
    - Identify which municipalities are currently collecting and selling recyclables and type of recyclables
      - Barriers for purchasing materials from municipalities
    - Identify which municipalities are not currently collecting (domestic) recyclables
      - Alternatives to provide services to these municipalities
    - Identify commercial and industrial generators of recyclables not collected by municipal transporters
    - Any multi-residential areas may be targeted?
- Identify industrial facilities which currently use or could use recyclables as raw materials
  - Operational barriers/limitations

The goal is to further discuss the aspects involving the collection of recyclables since it seems to be the main barrier affecting the chain (in an early stage). If possible, we will try to begin the discussion of the barriers relating to the industrial facilities which use or could use recyclables. We will use the agenda to discuss aspects requiring additional attention and then distribute the work among the members with a deadline of seven days to respond. Any recommendations are very welcomed.