

SP Waste Workshop & River Cleanup

Living Lands & Waters Classroom Barge Covington, Kentucky

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8:30am	Continental Breakfast on the Barge Participants will meet at the Cincinnati RiverCenter to board the LL&W barge where continental breakfast and coffee will be available.
9:00am	Living Lands & Waters Welcome and Barge Tour Introduction and welcome from Chad Pregracke, Founder, Living Lands & Waters
9:30am	Roundtable Discussion: Zero Waste Goals & Challenges Participants will have the opportunity to introduce themselves and their zero waste goals. We'll then discuss as a group some of the top challenges and remaining barriers to be addressed to continue progress toward common zero waste goals.
10:15am	Case Examples: Zero Waste Initiatives & Opportunities Speakers will share examples of current waste minimization initiatives and projects. We'll then discuss as a group opportunities to leverage and scale up such initiatives and begin to consider additional collaborative opportunities to drive collective impact.
11:00am	Lunch Break
12:00pm	River Cleanup Following a safety briefing, we'll break into small teams and go out on workboats with the LL&W crew to address areas in need of cleanup along the Ohio River.
3:00pm	Reflection & Call to Action Following the cleanup, we'll reconvene as a group back on the barge to reflect on the experience, types of materials collected from the river and opportunities for industry action.
3:30pm	Adjourn

What to Expect & Dress

Requirements: See here, please review in advance! This will be a hands-on cleanup, be sure to dress accordingly! (closed-toed shoes, pants). Also consider bringing a reusable water bottle.

Recommended Hotels: The Embassy Suites by Hilton Cincinnati RiverCenter and the Cincinnati Marriott at RiverCenter are both located within easy walking distance of where the barge will be docked.

