

To the CalRecycle Carpet Team –

Please find attached the XT-Green comments regarding the Addendum #2 to the California Carpet Stewardship Program. They include significant concerns regarding the emphasis on “energy recovery diversion strategy” options and provides an alternative “temporary storage strategy with financial guarantees” as an option for short-term solutions.

Regretfully I will not be able to attend the meeting on Tuesday as we are conducting the final full-scale equipment pilot testing for our advanced technology carpet recycling facility planned for start-up in mid-2016. We are working incredibly hard and investing significant funds to bring this technology to California and create markets for reclaimed material from carpet.

We will eventually be processing all types of carpet and fibers but we need to begin with nylon residential and commercial carpet. We are greatly concerned that much of this material is currently going to landfill and that Addendum #2 would seem to want to have it utilized for “energy recovery.” Hopefully the final Addendum #2 will focus on saving this valuable resource for recycling.

Feel free to use any of the information in the attached for the meeting on Tuesday. I will be available most of Monday if you have any questions regarding the attached.

Thanks and regards – Gail Brice

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