



Sustainability Conference
October 3, 2017
Conference Agenda at a Glance

8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Registration, Coffee and Pastries				
9:00 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks - Grand Ballroom				
9:15 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. – Grand Ballroom Keynote Speaker - Ohio EPA Director Craig Butler “Promoting A Circular Economy in Ohio and Encouraging Environmental Excellence”				
Break/Midmorning Coffee - 9:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. (Lobby/Hallway Area)				
Breakouts: Session One - 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.				
The Circular Economy – What Is It and How Can It Be Integrated into Your Sustainability Strategy	Surprising Opportunities Hidden in Our Trash – Ohio’s Waste Characterization Study	Supporting Green Infrastructure through Ohio’s State Revolving Fund	Jumpstarting Your Recycling Efforts with Ohio EPA’s Recycling and Litter Prevention Grants	Encouraging Environmental Excellence — The 2017 Silver, Gold and Platinum Levels Awards (Part 1)
Break – 11:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. (Coffee Provided in Lobby/Hallway Area)				
Breakouts: Session Two – 11:15 a.m. to 12:15				
Achieving Zero Waste – How to Get Started and Case Studies from The Field	Getting in The Game – Promoting Sustainable Practices at Your Venue	Water Resource Restoration Sponsor Program – Protecting and Restoring Ohio’s Water Resources	Save Money and Energy through the Industrial Assessment Center Program	Encouraging Environmental Excellence — The 2017 Silver, Gold and Platinum Levels Awards (Part 2)
Lunch (Provided) – 12:15 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Grand Ballroom Ohio Materials Marketplace Demonstration – Joseph Klatt, DEFA				
Breakouts: Session Three – 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.				
Green Chemistry – Sustainability at the Molecular Level	Integrating Sustainable Practices Within Your Community – Creating a Better Quality of Life	Why Regionalization Makes Sense – Funding to Support Regional Approaches to Water/Sewer Services	Funding Resources to Help You Install/Retrofit for Cleaner Air	
Afternoon Break – 2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. (Sodas & Cookies in Lobby/Hallway Area)				
Breakouts: Session Four – 2:45 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.				
Telling Your Sustainability Story – Frito-Lay, Wooster	Ohio’s Materials Challenge – Opportunities to Profit While Benefiting the State	Long-Term Infrastructure Needs – Solutions for Communities through the Drinking Water and Clean Water State Revolving Funds	Funding Assistance for Ohio Companies and Communities to Grow, Create Jobs and Protect the Environment	
Conference Adjourns – 3:45 p.m.				