

SWAT

Solid Waste Alaska Taskforce



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The Solid Waste Alaska Taskforce (SWAT) is a multi-institution taskforce that collaboratively tackles rural Alaska solid waste challenges using a core approach that recognizes local community capacity as critical to success. The cross organizational structure of the team allows SWAT to remove obstacles, grab opportunities, and initiate bold ideas into workable measures and new programs.

SWAT Mission:

Helping communities achieve healthy, sustainable solid waste management programs by: navigating regulations; serving as a technical liaison; connecting communities to resources and tools; working with communities to find locally preferred and doable solutions; and identifying and encouraging cross-organizational collaboration.

The SWAT Executive Board welcomes individuals from organizations to apply to be on the SWAT Advisory Group. We are looking for people who are currently working on solid waste and recycling activities and are willing to provide suggestions and guidance for SWAT's current and future endeavors. The Advisory Group will meet once a year with SWAT (likely during one of Alaska's annual environmental conferences – the Alaska Forum on the Environment (AFE) or the Alaska Tribal Conference on Environmental Management (ATCEM)).

The SWAT Advisory Group may be called upon to help when needed, attend regular meetings with the SWAT Executive Board and to share knowledge about their particular industry or area of expertise. SWAT is looking for expertise in the following fields: *Please circle any that are reflective of your talents or areas of knowledge:*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Assessment | <input type="checkbox"/> Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Budgeting | <input type="checkbox"/> Grant Writing | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing | <input type="checkbox"/> Statistics | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

Applicant Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____ Website _____

Email Address _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____ City/Town _____ State/Zip Code _____

1. Please provide a statement as to why you are interested in becoming a SWAT Advisory Group member?

2. How might your organization contribute to SWAT's mission?

Once we have received your completed and signed application, it will be forwarded onto the SWAT Executive Board for review. Upon approval, new advisory group members will be notified and sent an initial meeting invite to meet with the SWAT Executive board. If you have any questions please contact us by emailing 907swat@gmail.com

Signature _____ Date _____

****Please submit application by email to 907swat@gmail.com OR by fax to 1 877 335 6780**