

SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COMMITTEE  
INFORMATIONAL HEARING  
JERRY HILL, CHAIR

Wednesday, March 26, 2014  
9:30 a.m.  
CALIFORNIA STATE CAPITOL  
ROOM 3191

**Home-Generated Pharmaceutical Waste Disposal:  
Take-Back Programs in California**

**AGENDA**

- I. Introductory remarks by the Chair**
- II. Background on Pharmaceutical Usage, Disposal, and Environmental Presence**
  - Lia Moore, California Legislative Analyst's Office
  - Carroll Mortensen, Director, California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery
  - Virginia Herold, Executive Officer, California Department of Consumer Affairs,  
Board of Pharmacy
- III. Regional California Take-Back Programs**
  - Karin North, Source Control Manager, City of Palo Alto
  - Bill Pollock, Hazardous Waste Program Manager, Alameda County
  - Sergeant Alex Radovic, Los Angeles Narcotics Bureau  
Los Angeles County Safe Drug Drop-Off Program
  - Maggie Johnson, Senior Residential Toxics Reduction Coordinator,  
San Francisco Model Program
- IV. Public Comment**