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Serving Carteret, Craven and Pamlico Counties

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Dear Municipal Friends:

Coastal Regional Solid Waste Management Authority (also known as "CRSWMA" or "Coastal Environmental Partnership") provides solid waste management and disposal for Carteret, Craven, and Pamlico Counties. Since 1993, CRSWMA has disposed of over 10 billion pounds of trash from our region! Our municipalities are important partners for CRSWMA, and we'd like to invite you to learn more about your regional public solid waste authority by taking a tour of our Tuscarora Landfill.

With Covid still being a concern, we're inviting each municipality in our service area for a personal tour, rather than a larger event as we've done in the past. Each town is invited to schedule a time with us on October 20th or 21st for any interested representative(s). This is a good opportunity for your staff and elected officials to learn where your garbage or green waste goes after it leaves your town. As part of the tour, you'll see how landfill gas is converted to a renewable energy and how compost is made out of green waste.

As a reminder, each town in our service area can have a "Municipal Committee Member" serve CRSWMA. The Municipal Committee is a standing committee and members can attend and participate at CRSWMA Board meetings. The Municipal Committee Member must be appointed by the governing bodies he or she represents, and serves at the pleasure of your governing body. This individual can be an elected official, staff member, or citizen. The CRSWMA Board meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 2pm, rotating meeting locations between the three counties. If you have someone in mind to fill this role, the tours would be a great opportunity for them to learn more about CRSWMA.

Enclosed with this letter is a sheet showing your current town's Municipal Committee Member on record. Some of our members are up-to-date and very active, but some are outdated. If you would like to change or otherwise replace this individual as your Municipal Committee Member, please have your governing board appoint a replacement or new member, and advise CRSWMA by letter of any changes.

Please contact Bobbi Waters at 252-633-1564 or bobbi@crswma.com to schedule a time on October 20th or 21st to take a tour. If you cannot attend, but would still like to learn more about CRSWMA, please contact us about other arrangements. We look forward to seeing you for a personal tour on October 20th or 21st!

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