

# Region 6 Roundtable Conference Call

Meeting Minutes

May 5, 2008

## Attendees:

Annette Smith – EPA

Audree Miller – ADEQ

Thomas Vinson – Zero Waste/UTA

Lynn Turner – Zero Waste/UTA

Martina Gehrke – Nurtured World

Chris Campbell – WERC

Katherine McCrea – Zero Waste/UTA (minute taker)

## Upcoming Events:

- **May 19 – May 23** National Environmental Partnership Summit
- **June 4** – Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards
- **August 11** - Region 6 P2 Conference in Oklahoma City
- **August 11 – August 14** Region 6 Pretreatment Association Workshop
- P2 Workshops **Sept 17-18** in Austin, **Oct 2-3** in Houston, **Oct 15-16** in Corpus Christi, and **Nov 5-6** in Fort Worth

## Grant Updates

PPG Grants are currently being reviewed\*

- Final review meeting will be on May 14<sup>th</sup>
- Projected date to be finished is May 27<sup>th</sup>
- Final proposal should be due on June 13<sup>th</sup>

\*All the listed dates are tentative projected dates.

SR Grants are due any day now. There was a reduction in available funding to \$138,000 for the Region 6.

## Thomas Vinson - Zero Waste/UTA Update

The strategic plan is posted at:  
<http://www.zerowastenetwork.org/Roundtable/Regional-Strategic-PlanFinalDraft.pdf>, but we couldn't find the not found the Region 6 Vision statement. If anyone has the most current version could you please send it to Katherine at [kmccrea@uta.edu](mailto:kmccrea@uta.edu), and we'll update the plan.

Zero Waste is working on a work plan for the SR grant dealing with climate change.

For PPG Grant, Zero Waste proposed a joint project with TMAC. Our involvement includes:

- Operating a call center
- Customized industry assistance; committed to do at least 20.

### **Audree Miller – ADEQ Update**

PPG grant proposal includes:

- Site visits
- Comparative study of Environmental Leadership Programs

Director is a part of the Governor's Global Warming Committee