



Department of  
**Environment &  
Conservation**

# Materials Management Program Grants Update UST-SWDCB

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# Technical Assistance Grants- Awarded

- T.C.A. §68-211-823 (1) and (2)
  - Total Grant Program Funding:
    - \$1,000,000
      - Solid Waste Assistance Fund and General Fund
  - Awarded to Nine (9) Development Districts
  - Maximum Award Amount Per Grant Contract:
    - Based on population- \$40,000 - \$160,000
  - Duration of Grant Contract:
    - 22 months



# Convenience Center Grants- Awarded

- T.C.A. §68-211-824
  - Total Grant Program Funding:
    - \$350,000
      - Solid Waste Assistance Fund
  - Eight (8) Counties awarded
    - 7 Given Out -One County did not receive matching funds from County Commission
    - 25 applications received
  - Maximum Award Amount Per Grant Contract:
    - \$50,000



# Used Auto. Fluid Grants- Awarded

- T.C.A. §68-211-1005
  - Total Grant Program Funding:
    - \$300,000
      - Used Oil Fund
  - Ten (10) Counties and/or Municipalities awarded
    - 17 applications received
  - Maximum Award Amount Per Grant Contract:
    - \$66,550



# Household Hazardous Waste - Awarded



- T.C.A. §68-211-828
  - Total Grant Program Funding:
    - \$200,000
      - Solid Waste Assistance Fund. Note: This grant program is separate from the TDEC-led Household Hazardous Waste Collection and Disposal Efforts.
  - Two (2) Cities awarded
    - Chattanooga and Knoxville
  - Maximum Award Amount Per Grant Contract:
    - \$30,000

# Recycling Equipment Grants - Awarded

- T.C.A. §68-211-825(a)
  - Total Grant Program Funding:
    - \$300,000
      - Solid Waste Assistance Fund
  - 12 counties/municipalities awarded
    - 26 applications received
  - Maximum Award Amount Per Grant Contract:
    - \$50,000



# Recycling Rebate – Awarded

- T.C.A. §68-211-825(b)
  - Total Grant Program Funding:
    - \$300,000
      - Solid Waste Assistance Fund
  - Eight (8) counties/municipalities awarded



# Waste Characterization Study Grant

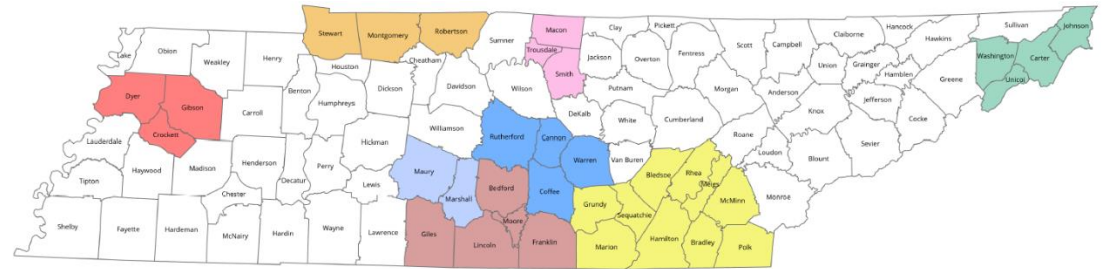
- Special Project Technical Assistance Grant
  - Timeline TBD
  - \$250,000 per grant
- Three Tasks:
  - Project Planning- Two (2) season sorting plan project, outlining participants, consultants, site info. and tentative dates
  - Project Execution- Must include adequate sampling from residential, industrial/commercial/institutional, and C&D sectors
  - Final Report Delivery
- Aim for Grant Offering at Start of new Calendar Year
- Still in drafting stage- subject to change





# Solid Waste Planning Grant

- Special Project Technical Assistance Grant
  - Timeline TBD
  - For Regions drafting new Solid Waste Plans or updating current Solid Waste Plans
- Three Tasks:
  - Project Planning
  - Development Phase
  - Delivery and Approval Phase
- Aim for Grant Offering at Start of new Calendar Year
- Still in drafting stage- subject to change



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