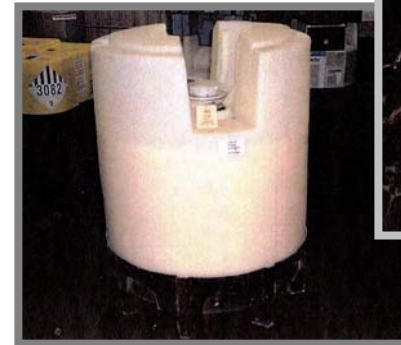


MINI-BULK CONTAINER RECYCLING SUMMIT

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PURPOSE:

To recognize the significance of unwanted mini-bulk tanks in the distribution channel, and get all of the issues on the table related to the rule requirements per the US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs, review possible solutions and discuss options for dealing with these tanks. Also discuss possible options and communicate to the industry, best practices, for handling these unwanted tanks in an environmentally responsible manner.

Tuesday, November 10, 2009

- 4:00 p.m. **Welcome**
- John McKinney, MACA President
- 4:10 p.m. **Why Are Mini-Bulks an Issue?**
- Review of Container Types - Don Bradley
 - CLA Industry Overview – Martin Fitzpatrick, CLA Stewardship Committee
 - Do it Right - Dave Hoyt, United Suppliers
- 4:40 p.m. **What Are the New Mini-Bulk Container Rule Requirements Effective 2011?**
- Nancy Fitz, US EPA, Office of Pesticide Programs
- 5:10 p.m. **Q&A**
- 6:00 p.m. **Reception**
- 6:30 p.m. **Dinner**

Wednesday, November 11, 2009

- 8:00 a.m. **Overview of Options to Date**
- **The Illinois Project**
 - Jean Payne, IFCA
 - Kevin Runkle, IFCA
 - Mary Schoettmer, GROWMARK, Inc.
 - **Other Programs**
 - John Howe, Winfield
 - Dave Hoyt, United Suppliers
 - Steve Wiest, Crop Production Services, Inc.
 - **ACRC's Role**
 - Ron Perkins, ACRC Executive Director
- 9:30 a.m. **Q&A with the Panel**
- 10:00 a.m. **Break**
- 10:15 a.m. **Developing Your Plan of Action – Items to Consider**
- 11:00 a.m. **Q&A with the Experts**
- 11:30 a.m. **Adjourn**