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### World Café-style Events to Help Inform Madera County Solid Waste Management Study

Madera County, CA - Madera County officials are inviting residents, businesses, community groups, and others to participate in one of two World Café-style public involvement events as part of the comprehensive solid waste management study currently underway. These events will provide an opportunity for community members to share their thoughts and ideas on current solid waste practices and help identify opportunities for improvement.

- **World Café 1:**
  - Wednesday, April 26, 2023 | 6-8 p.m.
  - Madera County Government Center | 200 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Madera
- **World Café 2:**
  - Thursday, April 27, 2023 | 6-8 p.m.
  - Oakhurst Community Center | 39800 Fresno Flats Rd., Oakhurst

**To enable efficient planning, interested participants are asked to RSVP by either:**

- Visiting this URL: [tinyurl.com/y2crs72t](https://tinyurl.com/y2crs72t), or



- Using this QR code:

"We're excited to meaningfully engage with our community members through these stakeholder events," said Board of Supervisor Chairman, David Rogers. "Their input is crucial to ensuring we develop sustainable waste management solutions that benefit our communities and the environment."

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## **About World Cafés:**

World Café stakeholder engagement sessions are a structured conversation format that fosters collaborative dialogue among diverse participants to address complex issues and generate new ideas. Participants will be organized into small groups and asked to share their perspectives on a variety of topics related to waste management, including waste reduction, recycling, composting, and landfill operations. The insights and feedback gathered during these events will be used to inform the study's draft and final recommendations.

## **About the Solid Waste Management Study:**

The solid waste management study, which is expected to take approximately six months to complete, aims to provide an in-depth analysis of current solid waste practices and identify opportunities for improvement. The study's success will hinge on input from various stakeholders, making participation in these events critical for those who want to have a say in the future of waste management in Madera County.

For more information about the study and the World Cafe-style events, visit the study's website at [www.madcosolidwastestudy.com](http://www.madcosolidwastestudy.com).

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