## **Public Notice**

In accordance with Section 22a-241a of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) has proposed an update to the 2006 Solid Waste Management Plan adopted pursuant to section 22a-228 to include a strategy for diverting, through source reduction, reuse and recycling, not less than sixty percent of the solid waste generated in the state after January 1, 2024. The draft of the revised plan, entitled the *Comprehensive Materials Management Strategy*, is posted at <a href="https://www.ct.gov/DEEP/CMMS">www.ct.gov/DEEP/CMMS</a>. In accordance with CGS § 22a-228 and the regulations adopted thereunder, to provide an overview of the proposed amendments and solicit public comments, DEEP will be holding a public hearing on April 13, 2016 at both 2 p.m. and at 6 p.m., to continue until comments are received from those present, in the Gina McCarthy Auditorium, DEEP Headquarters, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT. All members of the public are invited to attend.

In addition to the public hearings, DEEP will also receive written comments on the draft during the period through and including April 22, 2016. Written comments may be submitted via email to <a href="mailto:DEEP.CMMS@ct.gov">DEEP.CMMS@ct.gov</a> or sent to Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Attn. Lee Sawyer, MMCA, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106.

Further information on the proposed amendments is available on the Department's website at <a href="https://www.ct.gov/DEEP/CMMS">www.ct.gov/DEEP/CMMS</a>.

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