



Become a CPSC Associate

What is the California Product Stewardship Council?

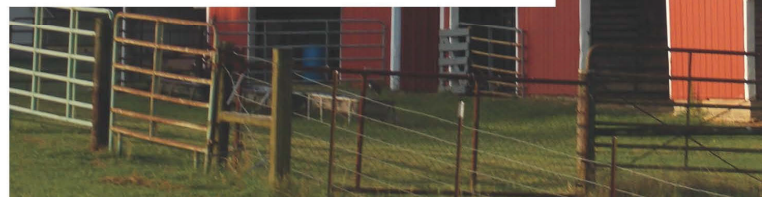
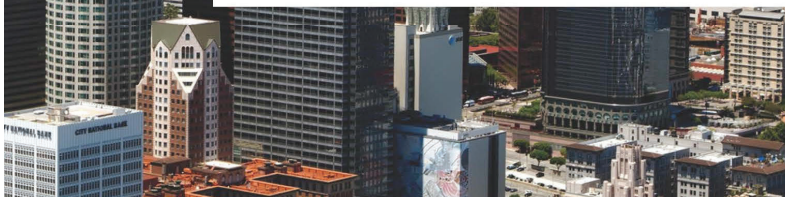
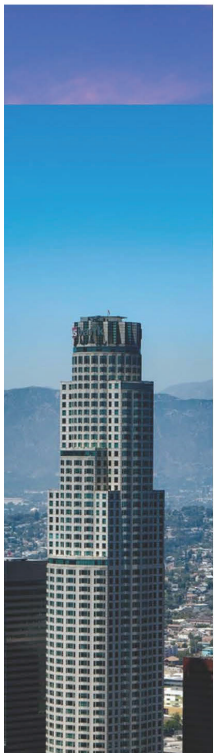
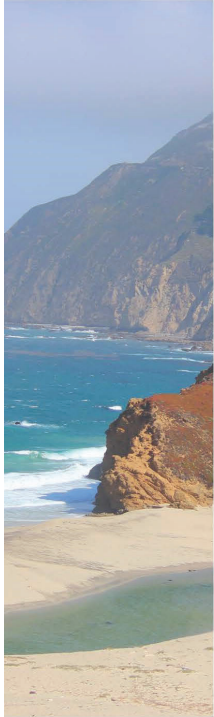
The California Product Stewardship Council (CPSC) is a powerful network of local governments, non-government organizations, businesses, and individuals supporting policies and projects where producers share in the responsibility for managing problem products at their end of life. CPSC is California's thought leader and expert on Product Stewardship, Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR), and Green Design.

CPSC's Mission

Our Mission is to shift California's product waste management system from one focused on government funded and ratepayer financed waste diversion to one that relies on producer responsibility in order to reduce public costs and drive improvements in product design that promote environmental sustainability.

What does CPSC Do For Our Associates?

CPSC values each and every Associate and includes them in our advocacy activities, education initiatives, and important regulatory and policy decisions. CPSC provides local governments with legislative updates and a toolkit that allows them to better support current and future sustainability and producer responsibility programs. The toolkit includes, although it is not limited to, monthly participation in the exclusive Policy & Education Advisory Committee (PEAC), which discusses and monitors current legislation affecting solid waste and recycling in California as it relates to sustainability, product stewardship, and extended producer responsibility. The PEAC also advises the CPSC Board on policy direction. Also included is participation in the monthly Associates calls wherein the latest projects, programs, and public education information is discussed in these same topic areas.



CPSC Amplifies Your Voice at the Capitol

Values Statement: In support of our Associates, CPSC values a **culture of innovation and continuous improvement**, especially in the areas of extended producer responsibility, product stewardship, and green design. The organization has an **action-oriented approach** to identifying and advocating for solutions



"CPSC takes jurisdictional concerns and shares them with legislators to come up with solutions that work for all stakeholders."

- Colleen Foster, CPSC Board Member

"We weren't sure how to proceed with a local ordinance. CPSC provided us with the valuable guidance we needed."

- Manuel Medrano, CPSC Board Vice Chair



"CPSC knows how to help rural, suburban, and urban communities so that we're heard at the capitol. They ensure that statewide solutions better fit our needs."

- Kristina Miller, CPSC Board Chair

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