

Stu Clark

Principal, Waste and Recycling Consultant

Widely known for laying the foundation for cultural change regarding recycling and diversion through development of model programs, integrating recycling into the solid waste business, and solving challenging problems for both public and private entities that result in far reaching positive impacts for the environment.

Stu's executive experience includes responsibility for a regional workforce of 3400 employees involved in direct day-to-day management of large-scale recycling and solid waste collection services, material recovery facilities, yard and wood waste recovery, landfill services, transfer stations, bio solids management, tire recycling, e-scrap recovery programs and renewable energy projects.

A partial list of Mr. Clark's consulting service experience includes permitting and entitlement services for landfills, transfer stations, composting sites, and material recovery facilities, analysis of solid waste transportation related GHG emissions, technical review of mixed waste and source separated processing systems, collection rate impact analysis, strategic plan development for long term public solid waste policy, joint bio gas utilization evaluation involving waste water digestion and adjacent landfill gas operations, and the development of a compost zero discharge plan in conjunction with a regional water quality control board and a joint powers authority.

Selected Project Experience

- MRF Feasibility Analysis – County of Santa Barbara
- Land-use permit modification for an operating landfill in northern California
- Wet-Dry Routing Analysis – City of Santa Barbara
- Sonoma County Committee Chair, Long Term Strategic Solid Waste Planning – SWAG
- Compost Zero Discharge Plan – Sonoma County Waste Management Agency
- Sonoma County Waste Diversion Analysis

Service Areas

- Solid Waste and Recycling
- Organics Management

Distinguishing Qualifications

- Solid Waste, Organics & Recycling
- Permitting – Solid Waste, Land Use, CEQA
- Technical Peer Review Services
- Project Management Services
- Public Speaking
- Environmental Compliance
- Regulatory Coordination
- Integrated Waste Systems
- Anaerobic Digestion/Bio Energy
- Strategic Planning Services
- Environmental Policy Development
- Communication Facilitation
- Business Administration
- Technical Writing

- Strategic Market Evaluation and Economic Analysis of Rate Levelization Plan – LACSD
- Southern California Edison Transmission Line – Permitting Coordination
- Waste System Analysis and Improvement Plan for LA Skid Row Business District – LA Bureau of Sanitation
- Greenhouse Gas and Air Quality Impact Analysis for VMT Variance Review
- Pre-Processing Evaluation – Synergy Renewables Waste to Energy Facility, Puerto Rico
- Waste Market Analysis and Landfill Valuation – Sasser, Cestero, & Sasser

Other Qualifications

- Regional Vice President for Waste Management, Inc.
- Board Member – Sonoma County AB 939 Local Task Force
- Past Committee Chair – Sonoma County/City Solid Waste Advisory Group (SWAG)
- Guest Instructor – Environmental Studies Extension Courses at UCLA, UC Irvine, UC Davis and Irvine Valley College
- Past Board member – National Recycling Coalition