



**Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency (UCRRA)
Zero Waste Committee (ZWC) Meeting Q1 2026**

Date: 19 March 2026

Time: 6:00 PM

Location: UCRRA Main Office (999 Flatbush Rd, Kingston NY 12401) or UCRRA YouTube channel ([click here](#))

Purpose of the Zero Waste Committee

The Zero Waste Committee exists to support UCRRA's zero waste goals by (1) improving transparency and public understanding of the agency's programs and initiatives, (2) serving as a consistent channel for community questions and input, and (3) bringing forward practical themes and recommendations to the full UCRRA Board as appropriate. The Committee is advisory in nature and does not take binding action on behalf of UCRRA.

Agenda

• **Call to Order and Opening Remarks**

- i. Roll call and confirmation of quorum. Welcome message from Chair, meeting objectives, and a brief overview of the Committee's purpose and role in supporting the full UCRRA Board.

• **Public Comment**

- i. Public questions, feedback, and topics the community would like the Committee to address (2-3 minutes per speaker), to inform Committee discussion and future agendas. Written comments may be submitted to chur@ucrra.org by 12:00 PM on the meeting date.

• **Approval of the Minutes**

- i. December 11, 2025, Zero Waste Committee Meeting Minutes
Motion by: _____; *Seconded by:* _____ [vote: ____ Y, ____ N, ____ A]

• **UCRRA Zero Waste Portfolio Update**

- i. Overview and Committee discussion of the agency's zero waste work across active programs, projects in development, and areas of discovery (including status and near-term priorities).
Presenter: Marc Rider, Executive Director, UCRRA.

• **2025 Diversion Results**

- i. Review full-year 2025 diversion results and discuss takeaways for ongoing programs and 2026 planning. Presenter: Marc Rider, Executive Director, UCRRA.

• **Committee Membership Discussion**

- i. Discuss criteria and process for adding 1–2 community members to the Zero Waste Committee who can recommend agenda items and help shape discussions.

• **Adjourn**

- i. Confirm any next steps if applicable; Chair to close the meeting.