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# **Businesses and Organizations Invited to Waste Prevention Seminar**

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Kitsap County businesses and organizations are invited to a free informational meeting to help them learn how to reduce and responsibly manage their waste. The event, to be held in Seattle on March 31, is entitled “Take a Look Inside - Improve Your Internal Waste Prevention and Recycling Programs.” It is hosted by the Kitsap County and King County Waste Wise programs, both national award-winning members of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s Waste Wise program for waste prevention, recycling, and buying recycled-content products.

The meeting will cover specifics about how your business or agency can improve its environmental performance. Topics include internal recycling at Starbucks, electronics recycling, Kitsap County’s inhouse waste prevention program, purchasing environmentally preferable products, keys to success for internal waste prevention programs, green construction, and specifics about the EPA Waste Wise program.

The meeting takes place at the King Street Center at 201 S. Jackson Street from 1 pm to 4 p.m. Afterwards, there is an optional tour of the nationally acclaimed King Street Center, and a showing of “Exporting Harm,” the landmark video by the Basel Action Network illustrating problems in the handling of waste electronics.

Any business or organization is invited to attend. While there is no registration fee, attendance is limited and requires registration. To sign up, contact Vicki Bushnell at 360-337-4678 or vbushnell@co.kitsap.wa.us.

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