



# California Carpet Stewardship Program

An initiative of CARE: Carpet America Recovery Effort

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August 2015 Update

### Stakeholder Workshops Reveal Challenges to Carpet Recycling, Gather Input

Representatives from industry and government concerned about the future of carpet recycling in California gathered for the second annual California Carpet Stewardship Program Stakeholder Workshops held in Lakewood (July 14) and Sacramento (July 15). See more and download the presentations on [our blog](#). Input from the Workshops and the upcoming presentation at CRRA will be compiled and presented to the September meeting of CARE's Sustainable Plan Committee (SPC), which oversees the California program.

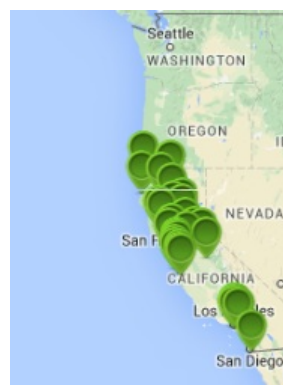


### CARE Presents at CRRA Conference

CARE will present at the [California Resource Recovery Association's 39th Annual Conference](#) this month in Los Angeles. CARE representatives will give an update on the most recent Annual Report numbers and solicit feedback from recycling professionals in attendance. The CARE session is Thursday, August 6 at 2:00pm. CARE staff also will participate in the Extended Producer Responsibility session along with other product stewardship program representatives on Friday, August 7 at 10:45 am, to be moderated by Heidi Sanborn of the [California Product Stewardship Council](#).

### Collector Map Updated and Improved

The Carpet Collector map on CARE's website has been updated and improved. The new tool allows anyone seeking to responsibly dispose of used carpet to search for a site by name, city or zip code, and provides more information on hours of operation, tipping fees and types of carpet accepted.



## New Rural County Sites Welcomed

The Rural Program is delighted to welcome seven new counties to the Program so far this year, including:

- Colusa
- Lake
- Marin
- Mendocino
- Mariposa
- Sutter
- Yuba

To learn more about the Rural Counties program, which provides support to qualifying rural counties to expand access to carpet collection and recycling, visit the [CARE website](#).

