

**Act 170 Stakeholder Group - Agenda Meeting #5**  
**November 9, 2022 – 9:30-11:30**  
The Catamount Meeting Room  
1 National Life Drive – Davis 2  
Montpelier VT, 05620-3704  
*And via Teams online*

**Main Topics:** Food Recovery Management Hierarchy & Source Separation

*“(1) recommendations on whether the organics management hierarchy in 10 V.S.A. § 6605k should apply to each generator of organic waste.*

*(2) whether the Agency of Natural Resources should modify its existing policy surrounding the source separation of organic wastes;*

*(3) any recommendations on the proper use of depackagers in the management of organic waste.”*

Welcome & Brief Recap from Last Meeting – Josh, DEC	(5 minutes)
Update on the draft policy document – Stakeholders	(5-10 minutes)
Guest Speakers:	(75 minutes)
Eric Roy Ph.D. – Associate Professor & Kate Porterfield – University of Vermont	(9:45 AM)
Kyla Bennett, Ph.D., JD – Director, Science Policy - PEER.org	(10:05AM)
George Parmenter/Judy Knapp – Hannaford’s Grocer/Supermarket Rep	(10:25AM)
Dr. Raju Badireddy, Ph.D. - Associate Professor, Civil & Environmental Engineering – University of Vermont	(10:45 AM)
Group Discussion	(~30 minutes)
• Identify recommendations for the report to legislature	