

PVC Recycling in Australia

COMMITTEE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM 2011 - 2012

Introduction

The PVC ReSource Summit 2011 achieved its aim of collaboratively generating the skeleton of the strategy for establishing a viable PVC recycling sector in Australia. The implementation phase can now commence as soon as a committee has been established to act as the Steering Group for the strategy.

It will be the job of the Steering Group to finalize the strategy, develop the implementation plan and report on its progress, as well as to appoint, launch and manage working groups.

Given the scope and engagement requirements of the strategy as it is shaping up, the Steering Group will need to be both capable and credible, in its own right and in the eyes of the stakeholders whose support this will require. The working groups will need to harness both a depth and a breadth of expertise relevant to their topic.

The Vinyl Council of Australia now invites applications for three committees: the Steering Group as well as two initial working groups, or 'ReSource Groups'.

A Steering Group position will be held for 12 months initially, with an option for a further 12 month extension, as appropriate. A ReSource Group position will be held for 6 months initially, with an option for a further 6 month extension, as appropriate.

Committees will develop their own work plans, which will determine how frequently and where they meet. It is anticipated that the meetings will take place in person or via teleconference for durations of less than one and a half hours.

In the 2011-2012 the following Vinyl Council of Australia Committees are open for nomination:

Committee	Description
PVC Recycling Steering Group	This committee will act as a steering and control group for the various 'ReSource' working groups as well as to extend ReSource Group networks and strategic capability. Members will be drawn from a broad cross section of stakeholder interests. This committee is anticipated to meet at least bi-monthly in the first year. A Chair will be appointed from its members and the Vinyl Council will provide secretariat support.
PVC ReSource Group 1 – PVC Waste & Markets	This working group has the objective of quantifying and analyzing PVC waste flows, including any contamination issues, and identifying potential markets for recycled PVC in Australia. This committee is anticipated to meet at least monthly in the first 6 months. A Chair will be appointed from its members and the Vinyl Council will provide secretariat support.
PVC ReSource Group 2 – Financial Modeling	This working group has the objective of exploring options for a cost neutral and self-sustaining financial model that will drive, fund and encourage PVC recycling and reuse in Australia. This committee is anticipated to meet at least monthly in the first 6 months. A Chair will be appointed from its members and the Vinyl Council will provide secretariat support.

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Nomination process:

Please indicate which committee/s you are interested in, selecting no more than two (in order of preference). Please note that participants can only hold a position on one committee at a time.

A short professional CV is requested to accompany your application (1 to 2 pages), and a brief comment on why you are interested in joining a particular committee.

Your details:

Name:

Position:

Company:

Postal Address:

Phone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email:

Committee of interest, and why (List 2 only, in order of preference)

1. _____

2. _____

Please email this completed form to the Vinyl Council of Australia via info@vinyl.org.au

Decisions on Committee members rest with the Vinyl Council of Australia's Board.

Thank you for your interest.

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