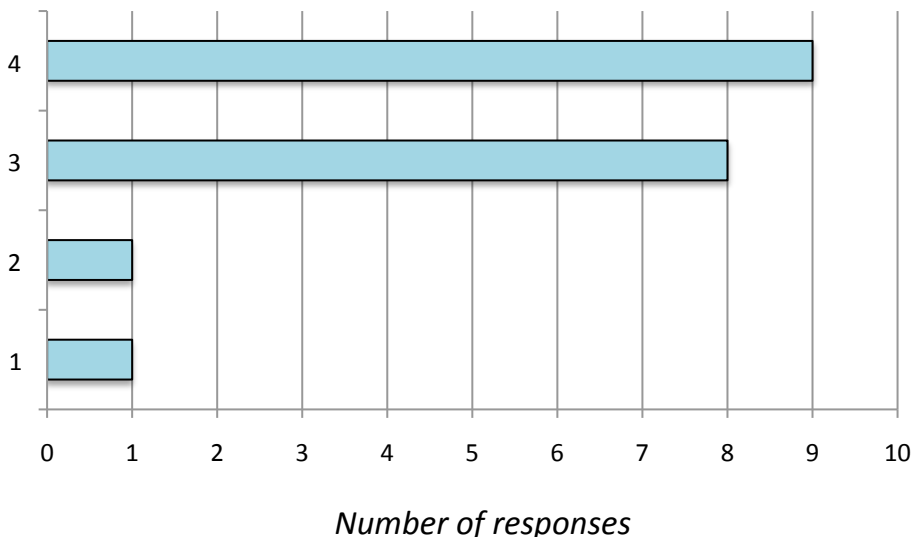


## Clayton and Dingley Landfill Forum Participant Evaluation

At the CDLF on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2013 attendees were asked to complete an evaluation at the end of the meeting. The following is a summary of the 19 responses received:

### 1. Was your involvement in the Forum a worthwhile experience?

(1 = little or no value / 4 = very worthwhile)



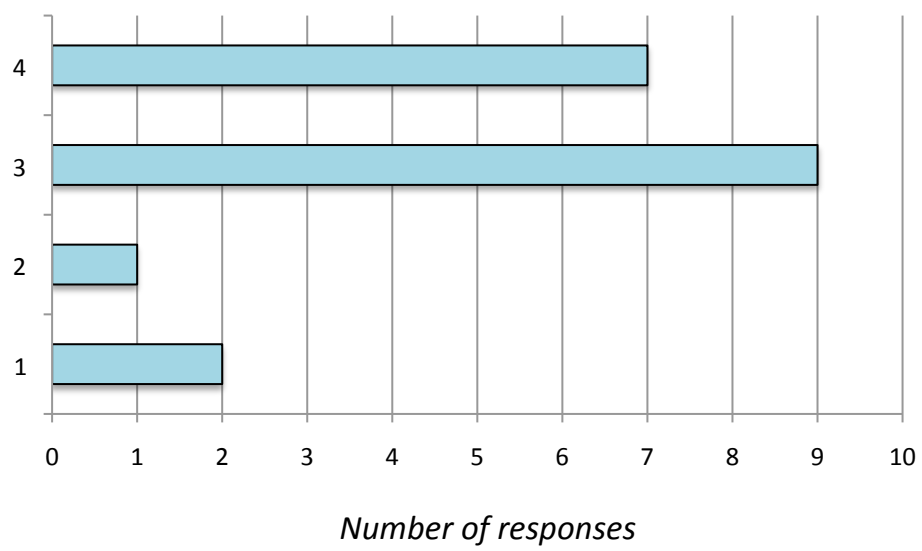
#### Comments

- I learned about what kingston and other operators are doing
- Better elaboration on areas discussed at first meeting of the group
- It was run very well, some presenters were a little boring though
- It allowed me to have the latest information concerning the community

- I work for TPI and community engagement is an important part of what we do
- It answered a lot of questions
- Great Forum, great discussions
- We must keep the Forums going to ensure our community leaders remain well informed and able to disseminate progress to the local residents. It is a great way to keep Council, EPA and the operators at the party!
- As an employee of TPI I enjoy the opportunity to keep the community informed of our operation. However I do believe the Forum should be advertised
- An opportunity to listen to concerns and see how organisations are responding
- It was useful to hear from all parties and they were well prepared

## 2. To what extent did you have opportunity to participate in, and influence discussions?

(1 = little or no opportunity / 4 = lots of opportunity)



### Comments

- There was a friendly environment, well facilitated and I am happy to participate into the future
- Lots of info to listen to. Good capacity to ask questions during the breaks
- Well done, very easy to contribute
- After hearing from one of the operators (I think representing Environmix) that operators are making a difference I have decided not to participate. Someone needs to remind the operators that they are the ones causing us to get together here and solve the problem
- Well paced, it provided formal and informal chances to talk
- Keep the regular Q&A's going throughout the Forum. Limit the time the operators have to present i.e. where are they and what progress has been made. We don't need the history
- As an operator with TPI I am able to influence people's perception of our operation

- I felt I could have spoken out if I wished
- I chose not to actively participate, just listen

### 3. What elements of the Forum program worked well?

- Hearing from the operators, EPA and Council
- The updates, questions and facilitation
- TPI, Environmix, Council and TOAG were good
- Keith moving it along, the breaks, the guidelines for presenters
- I liked it all
- The presentation from the EPA, it was very informative
- Generally all of it
- Discussion time and the Q&A
- Questions and presentations
- The Forum was well run
- The presentations but we need to keep them short
- Updates from the operators
- Landfill operator presentations
- The format was just about right

### 4. What could be improved for future Forums of this kind?

- Keep the presentations short and sharp
- Ask questions at the end as to what you want dealt with at next meeting e.g. what happens to the capped landfills regarding Council, parks, sports amenities
- Maybe invite some young people and students
- Make it shorter in length of time
- The level of contribution from the City of Kingston should be the same as the EPA
- Greater attendance by community members
- Try some think, pair and share activity
- Encouraging more attendance
- Keep it concise
- We don't need 3 hours. Start at 6pm sharp and finish by 8.30pm at the latest
- Directed answers for directed questions
- More advertising for community involvement

### 5. How would you like to be further involved?

- Happy to participate, I hope the EPA continues with the Forums
- What is happening is just fine, thank you
- Maybe visit the sites as a group
- I would suggest this Forum needs to be open to more public and residents who are affected rather than operators.
- Keep the Forums going
- Already happening with current format
- Leading a group or session
- I would like to be kept informed
- As existing arrangement