Hello Will/Victor, below are my recommendations for the task force:

- Utilize 10% of current bottle law escheats revenue ($35MM) to build long term, sustainable ad campaign that educates CT consumers on recycling properly and includes robust litter component as well.

- Create statewide recycling competition in all Connecticut grammar, middle & high schools.

- CTs largest cities are underperforming with diversion and recycling programs – mandate that (4) of CT’s five largest cities improve diversion rates above 30% by 2020 (Stamford already at 37%).

- Adopt & enforce statewide multi-family recycling requirements.

- Economic incentive for construction & demolition – fee required with permit, fee returned when recycling quota met.

- Styrofoam ban for restaurants & outdoor event venues.

- Establish working group to study longer term solution for glass – include manufacturers, haulers, recyclers & state entities.

- Wayne