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Forum on Life Cycle Approaches to Sustainably Manage Materials in Building and Infrastructure Projects

From January 30th to February 2nd, 2018, EPA hosted the “Forum on Life Cycle Approaches to Sustainably Manage Materials in Building and Infrastructure Projects” in Arlington, Virginia. The Forum brought together a diverse set of stakeholders from across the life cycle of building and infrastructure projects including: members of academia, architects, contractors, designers, government representatives and recyclers. Discussions centered around life cycle approaches in the context of the built environment, identify challenges and next steps to advance life cycle principles.

The Forum was organized and planned in collaboration with co-sponsor Waste Management, Inc. and our forum planning partners: American Institute of Architects, Associated General Contractors of America, Closed Loop Fund, Construction and Demolition Recycling Association, Construction Specifications Institute, Environmental Council of States, and Institute for Scrap Recycling Industries.

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<https://www.epa.gov/smm/basic-information-about-built-environment>