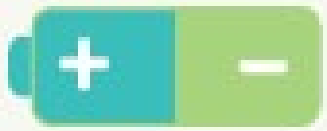




HB 2062 Providing for the Safe and Responsible Management of Batteries



Safer Management of Used Batteries, More Convenient & Accessible Collection, Recycling & Resource Recovery, and Saving Money for Local Government in Oregon.

Panel Members: Metro, Rogue Disposal & Recycling, Call2Recycle, and Lane County



Battery caused fire at Metro South

Worker safety and critical infrastructure

Sparking battery



Battery-caused fire at Short Mt. landfill





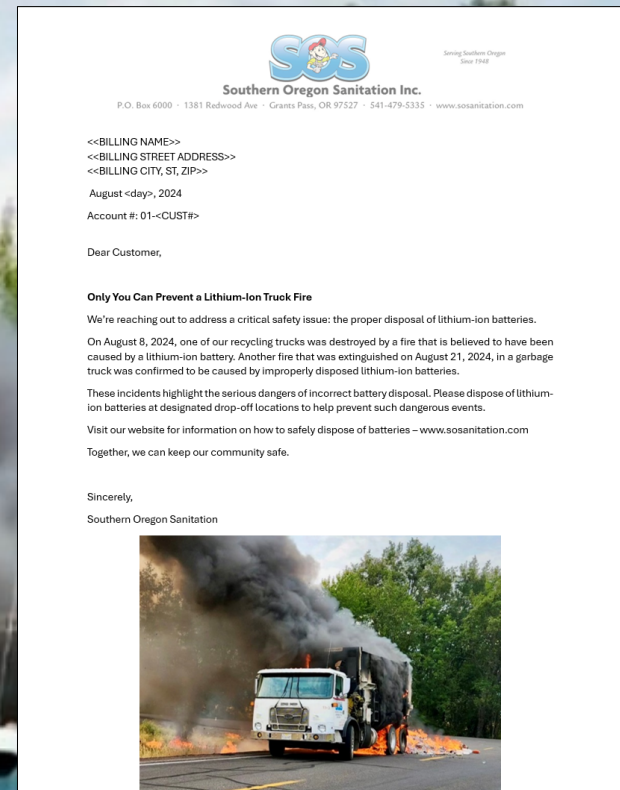
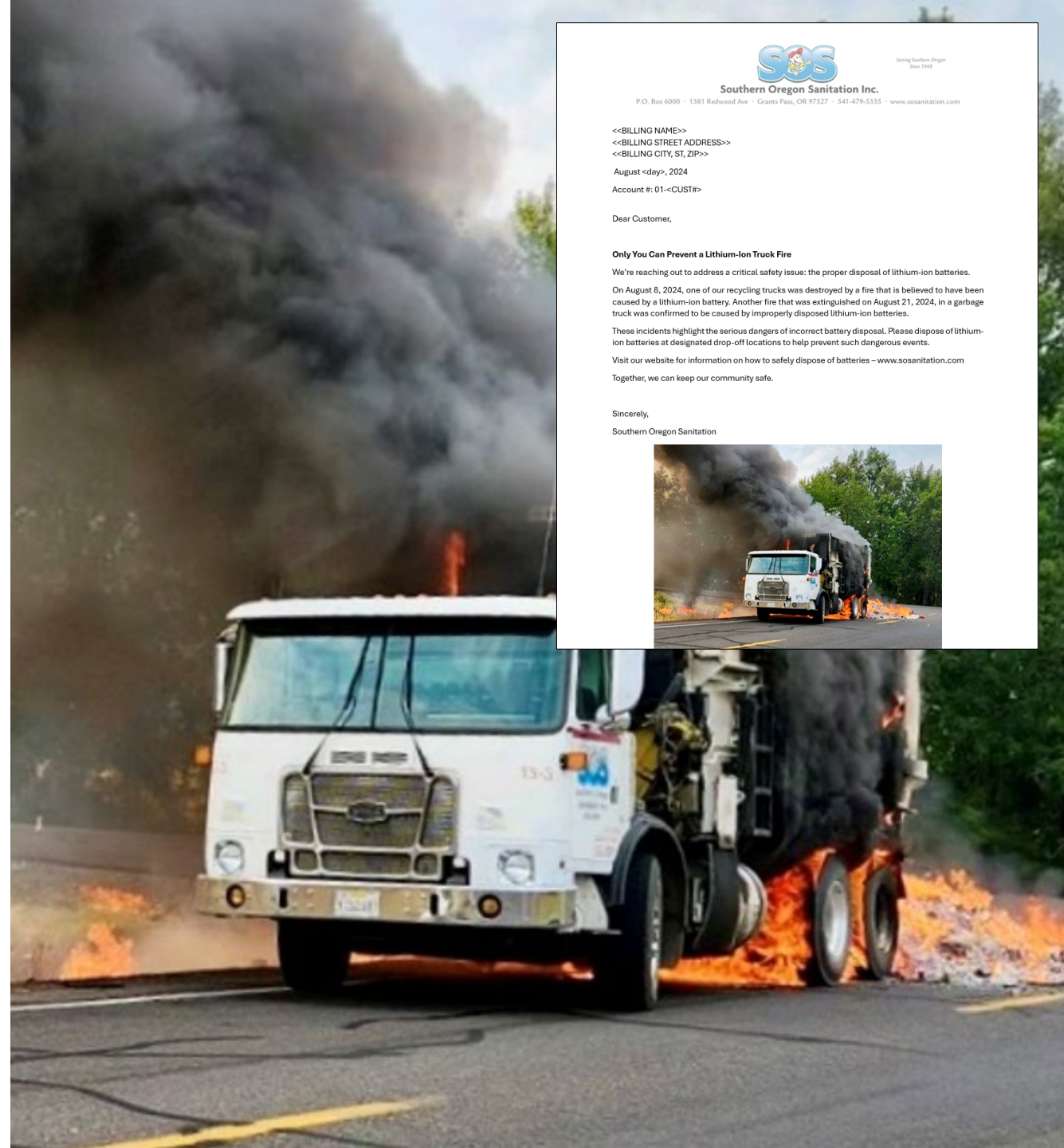
Multistakeholder process

- Local Governments across Oregon
- Solid waste industry across Oregon
- Association of Oregon Recyclers
- Oregon Refuse and Recycling Association
- Battery industry (PRBA)
- Potential PRO (Call2Recycle)
- Consumer Technology Association
- Toy Association
- Specialized Battery Recyclers

Solid Waste & Recycling Industry

The Problem:

- Widespread increase in battery-caused fires in past decade
- Places lives at risk
- Damage or destruction of critical equipment and facilities
- Insurance cost increases and threat of cancellations



Solid Waste & Recycling Industry

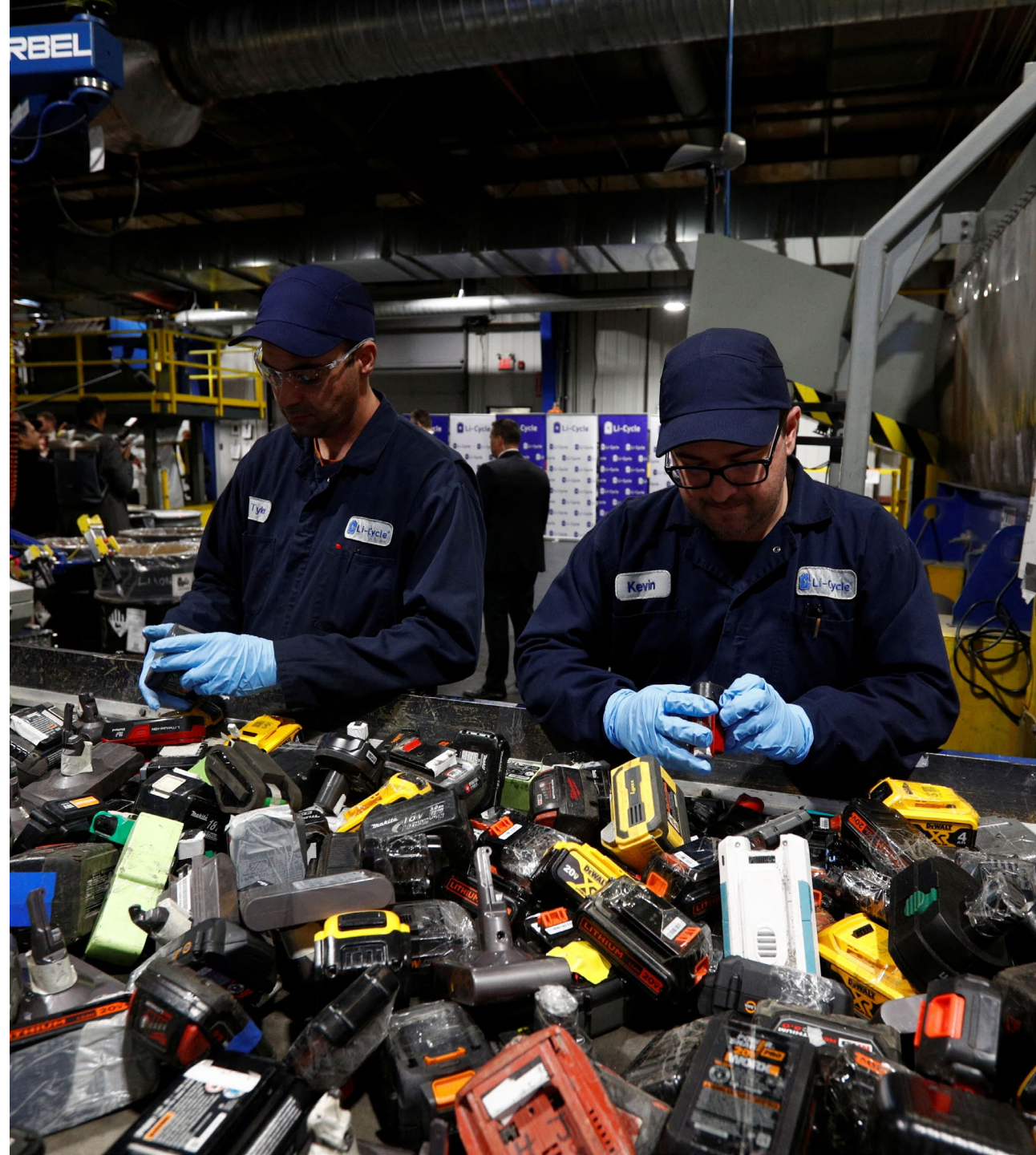
Critical need for support for:

- Public awareness campaigns
- Early fire detection/mitigation systems
- Fire damage cost relief
- Fire suppression training

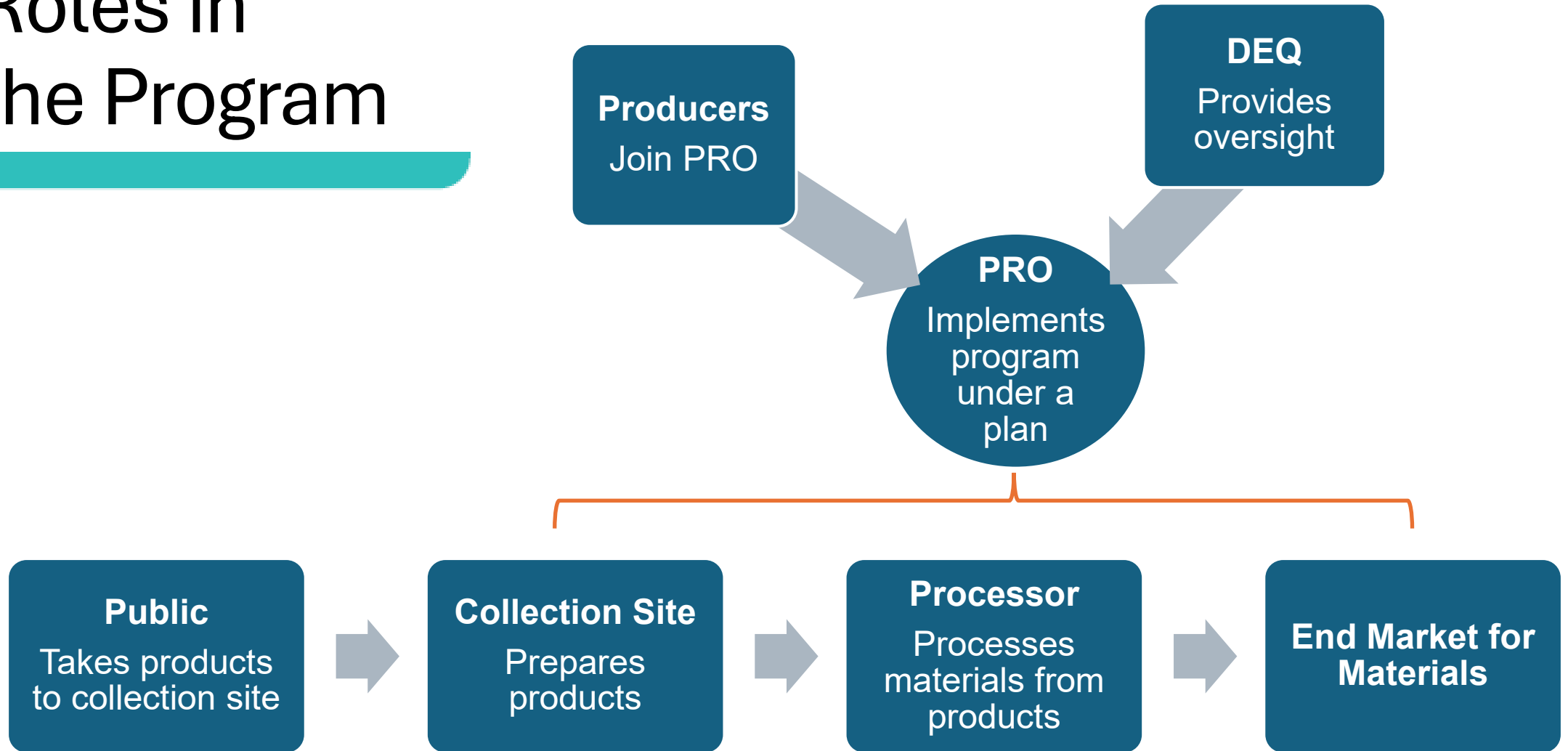
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4/20/2023 13:52:22	C&D Recycling	Site Personnel	Fireworks/road flare
6/15/2023 14:47:20	Truck on route	Fire Department	Batteries
6/15/2023 14:39:52	Truck on route	Fire Department	Batteries, Hot Load
6/15/2023 14:44:13	Truck on route	None, took truck to T.S.	Batteries, Hot Load
7/26/2023 13:42:39	MRF	Site Personnel	Fuel, Oil mixed with fertilizer
7/31/2023 9:27:11	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
8/10/2023 6:24:39	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
9/11/2023 12:19:52	Transfer Station	Site Personnel, Fire Department	Unknown
9/27/2023 15:16:36	Transfer Station	Site Personnel	Batteries
10/25/2023 6:28:36	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
10/26/2023 14:19:33	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
10/30/2023 16:41:38	Transfer Station	Site Personnel	Unknown
12/4/2023 12:14:48	Transfer Station	Site Personnel, Fire Department	Ashes from a burn barrel
5/7/2024 14:12:30	Truck on route	Fire Department, Driver/ Maintenance Manager/Ops Man	Unknown
5/16/2024 14:57:38	MRF	Site Personnel	Hot Load
6/12/2024 16:18:40	Transfer Station	Site Personnel	Batteries
6/25/2024 11:57:25	MRF	Site Personnel, Fire Department	Welding on a full transfer trailer
7/3/2024 5:03:35	Transfer Station	Site Personnel	Fire works
7/1/2024 9:39:28	MRF	Site Personnel, Fire Department	Unknown
7/4/2024 7:43:29	Landfill	Site Personnel, Fire Department	Unknown
7/16/2024 8:43:38	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
8/21/2024 7:23:38	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
8/28/2024 8:24:46	Transfer Station	Site Personnel	Batteries
8/28/2024 7:41:18	C&D Recycling	Site Personnel	Batteries, Cell phone display with batteries still in them
11/8/2024 14:28:32	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
11/22/2024 9:23:18	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries
1/2/2025 14:38:58	MRF	Fire Suppression System	Paper on turbo in the engine compartment
12/26/2024 18:15:31	Landfill	Site Personnel	Batteries, Unknown
1/8/2025 7:52:22	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries,
1/10/2025 13:32:26	Landfill	Site Personnel	Batteries
1/22/2025 11:46:30	MRF	Site Personnel	Friction
1/30/2025 17:11:02	Transfer Station	Site Personnel	Batteries
1/30/2025 10:57:53	MRF	Site Personnel	Unknown
2/11/2025 9:49:28	MRF	Site Personnel	Batteries

Battery EPR is a shared solution

- Lower fire risk
- Improve worker safety
- Save money for ratepayers
- Recover critical minerals
- Reduce pollution caused by fire
- Accessible battery recycling drop off locations
- Establish collection, recycling and education performance goals



Roles in the Program



Shared Success

- Oregonians know about the program
- The program is convenient, and people use it
- Collected products are managed safely and responsibly

