



Oregon's Plastic Pollution and Recycling Modernization Act of 2021 (Senate Bill 582)

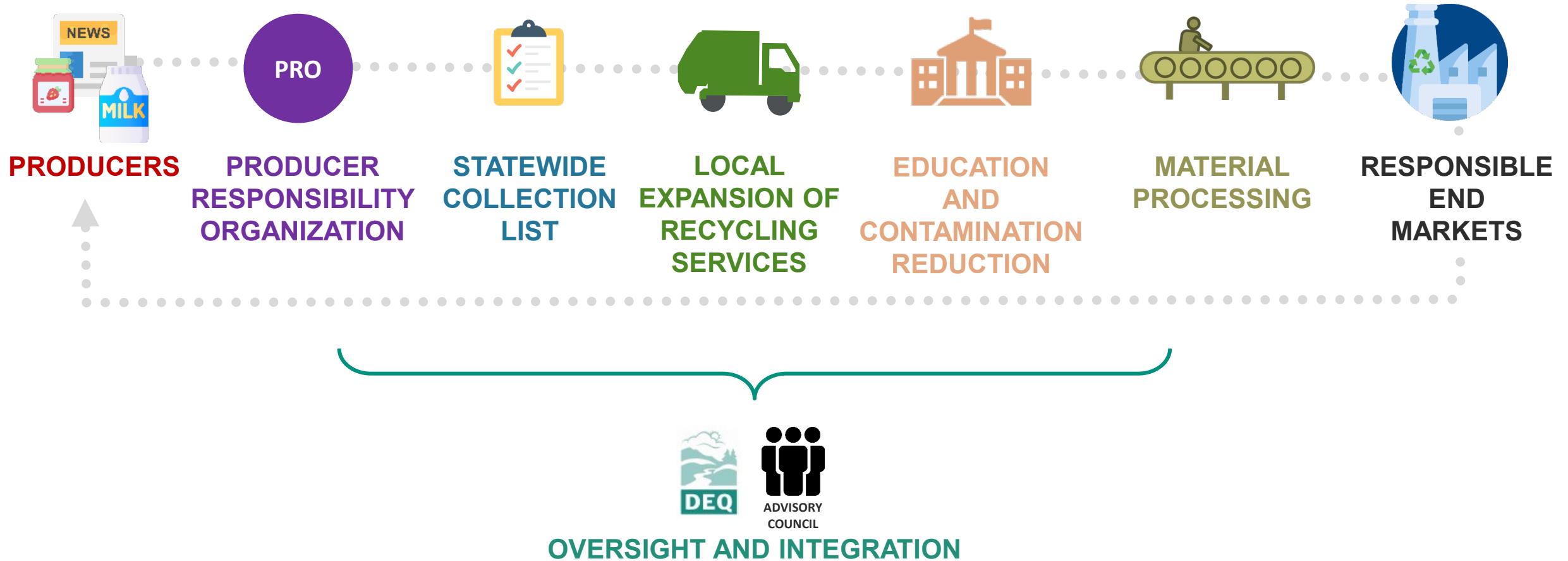
Update to Interim Senate Energy & Environment Committee

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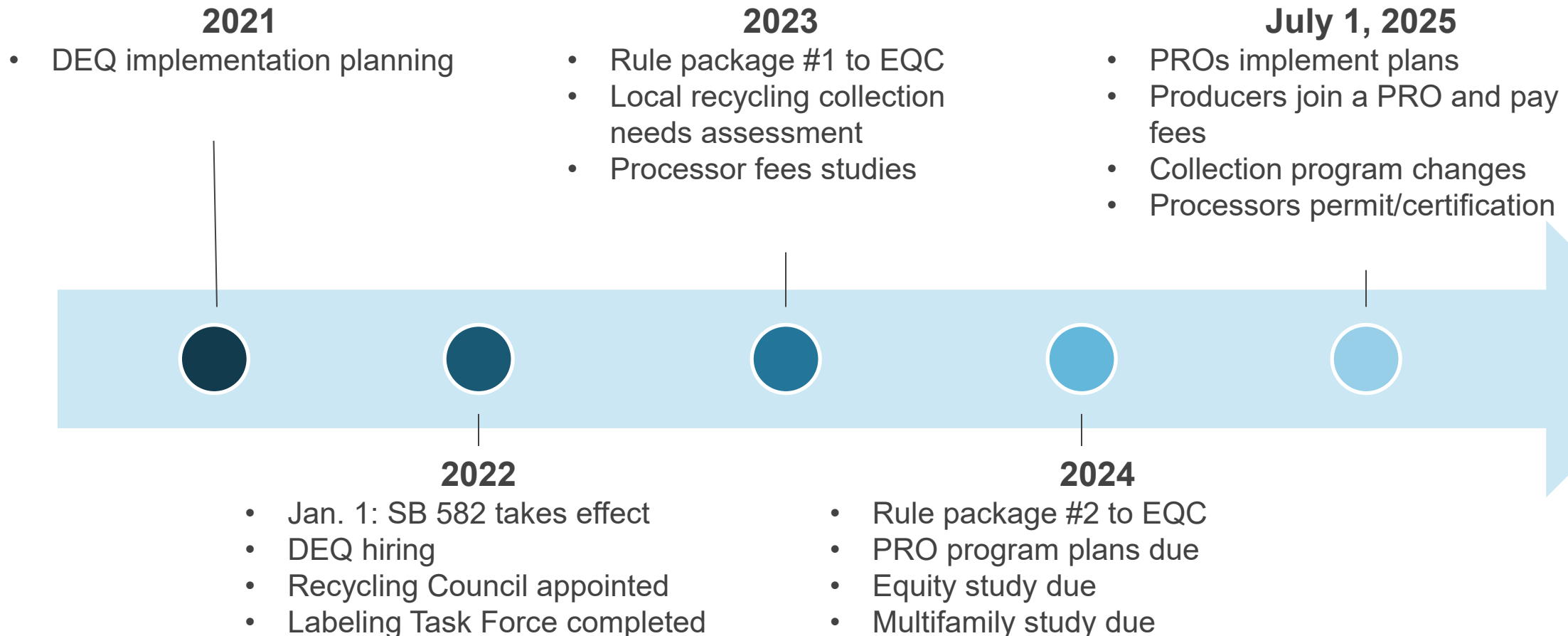


Oregon Recycling Modernization Act: How it will work



SB 582 Implementation Key dates

Stakeholder engagement, project planning and research extend throughout implementation.



2022 Status updates

- Foundational research and contracting
- Building a new team
- Truth in Labeling Task Force
- Oregon Recycling System Advisory Council
- Rulemaking



Truth in Labeling Task Force

- Studied and evaluated misleading or confusing claims regarding the recyclability of products made on a product or product packaging.
- Report submitted June 1, 2022



Recycling Council

Will advise DEQ and the Producer Responsibility Organizations on key recycling system elements, including:

- a uniform statewide collection list
- PRO program plans
- PRO fee structures
- Statewide educational resources and campaigns
- Depots or mobile collection
- Transportation reimbursement
- Other

Rulemaking #1: Anticipated Topics

- PRO program plan and annual report content
- Coordination among multiple PROs
- DEQ's administrative fees
- Local government funding and reimbursement
- Materials Collection List

Jul. 2022 – Feb. 2023

Rulemaking Advisory
Committee meetings

May/Jun. 2023

Publish proposed
rules for public
comment

Sept. 2023

Present rules to EQC
for adoption



Thank you!

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