



## Zero Waste International Alliance

**MULTISECTOR PARTICIPANTS IN REACHING  
ZERO WASTE IN COLOMBIA**

**Is it necessary to change waste management  
model in Colombia?**



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# Commitment with mankind



- Bogotá is the first city in Colombia and the second in Latin America, after Buenos Aires, that implements Zero Waste policy as a strategic program of its Development Plan, which includes environmental and social criteria.
- *Artículo 30, Acuerdo 489 de 2012 Plan de Desarrollo Económico, Social, Ambiental y de Obras Públicas.*

# PRIORITY ZERO WASTE PROJECTS

- **Development Plan**

- 1. Sustainable production strategy
- 2. Waste reduction and source sorting culture
- 3. Recycling model for Bogotá
- 4. Final usage and minimization of landfill disposal
- 5. Zero debris
- 6. Integral management of special and hazardous waste





2003

Tutela  
T –  
724

Diciembre  
de 2011

Auto  
275

Enero  
2012

BOGOTÁ  
HUMANANA

Marzo de  
2012

Recycling  
population  
integration  
scheme

Abril de  
2012

Auto 084  
Constitutional  
court  
accepts  
scheme

Junio  
de 2012

Developme  
nt plan  
approval

Advanc  
es

RECYCLERS CENSUS

Constitutional Court

Development and joined implementation- UAESP/Recycler association

New waste collection  
model for the city

NEW WASTE  
COLLECTION  
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## Development and joined implementation- UAESP/Recycler association

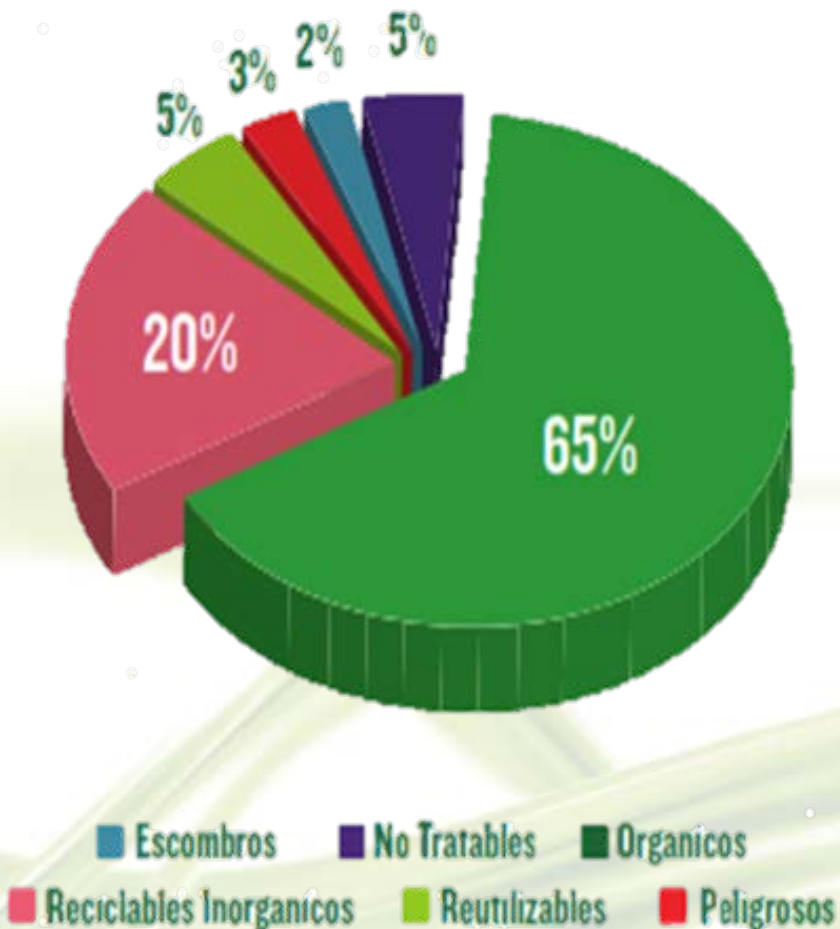
- Is an informal activity
- Is an activity that joins more than 20.000 people into the value chain.
- A chain that recovers for Bogota 1.400 ton/day approx.
- A chain that complements the cleaning public service.



# BOGOTA ZERO WASTE COLLECTIVE

- Our collective arises from a national need of implementing a zero waste tendency in Colombia. We belong to the *International Partnership for Expanding Waste Management Services of Local Authorities* (IPLA), which, like us, believes that the increase not only in waste production but also in waste management complexity represents a challenge to the world, specially to the developing countries. Being necessary to generate a synergy between civil society and government, in order to link every society sector to this aim. Our proposal starts from the existent relationship between waste and resources.

# Types of waste disposed in “Doña Juana” landfill





# POLICY HARMONIZATION

No definition of fee frame from the Colombian Water and Basic Sanitation Commission (CRA).  
Territorial organization plan still under discussion  
No definition of territorial organization and river basin management plans  
Development plans still under discussion  
A sued tender process  
Contracts with expired terms and deadlines



# THANKS

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