



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



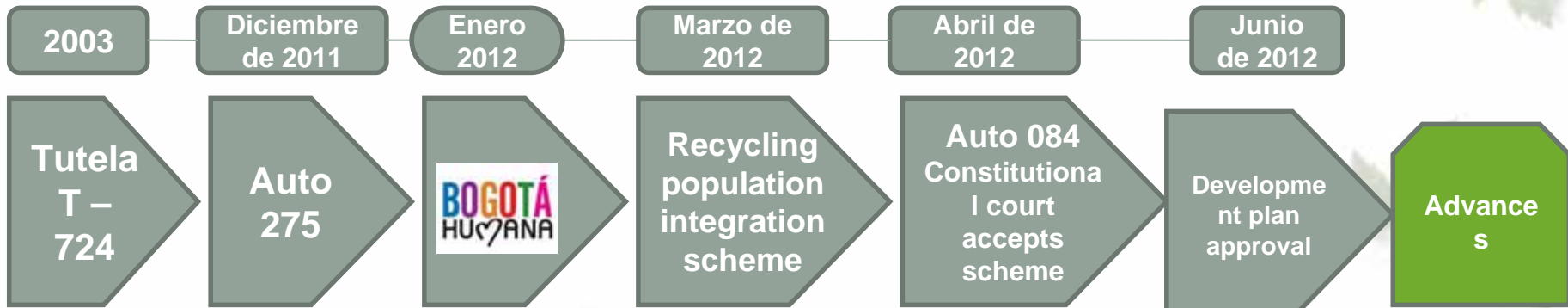
- Bogotá is the first city in Colombia and the second in Latin America, after Buenos Aires, that implements Zero Waste policy as a strategic program of its Development Plan, which includes environmental and social criteria.

- *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



Constitutional Court

Development and joined implementation- UAESP/Recycler association

New waste collection model for the city



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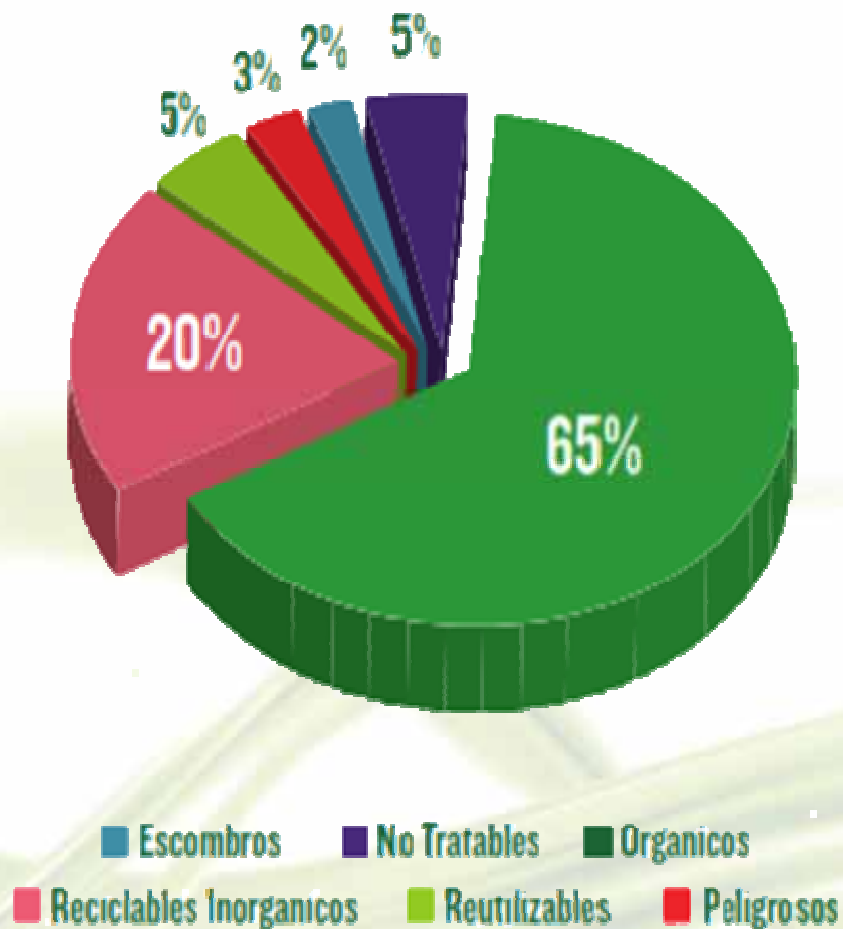
- Is an informal activity
- Is an activity that joins more than 20.000 people into the value chain.
- A chain that recovers for Bogota 1.400 ton/day approx.
- A chain that complements the cleaning public service.



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



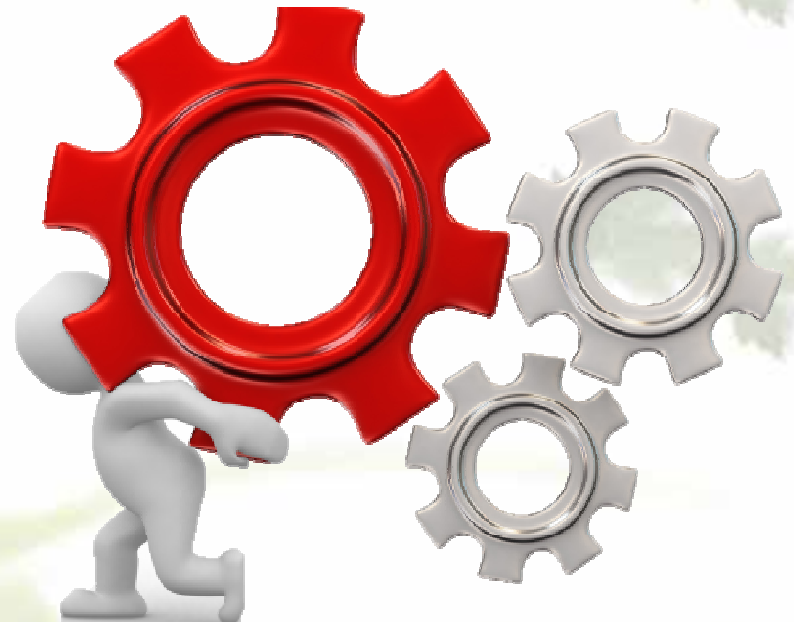
POLICY HARMONIZATION

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



PROJECTED RESULTS AT NATIONAL LEVEL


Government must introduce business models, financially feasible for waste management effectiveness. Example: Medellin and its municipal solid waste management system

There are international financing mechanisms, which have to be promoted by the government within its international affairs policy



Pedagogic campaigns must be implemented by cities and states to generate citizen awareness. Education must be the main tool to change the development model.

Innovative projects must be carried out applying the correct waste management technologies. Private and public universities have moved forward in studies and proposals for industrialized usage



Sustainable waste management.
To Involve the different
participants to move forward in
the 3R's implementation

Technological processes
implementation for information
acquisition and key performance
indexes establishment.
Information at national level does
not allow a clear forecast of a
new usage model.

THANKS

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