

## <China> Ningbo MSW Minimization & Recycling Action Plan

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- 1. Solid Waste Management is NOT cheap and need substantial support from government fiscal budget
- 2. Despite various technologies are available, however making the SWM planning right is the first priority
- 3. From a linear to circular economy present a promising solution for sustainable SWM in Kitakyushu
- 4. Even for high recycling rate in Japan, recycling not generate revenue and need government subsidy
- 5. Due to land scarcity, high percentage of incineration seems like unavoidable for China to follow Japan







- 1. Expand the source separation coverage to the entire urban area beyond the target of the on-going project
- 2. Regulate the waste collection/treatment facilities operators to ensure different waste stream dispose safely
- 3. Roll out the mandatory waste separation scheme for all the public institutions, private enterprise, schools
- 4. Complete the drafting of the MSW source separation law for public consultation approval by the congress





## <China> Actions to be Taken in Ningbo



## • <u>Short-term:</u>

- Start the operation of the food waste AD plant by the PPP operator (CEHL) by end of October 2018
- Full scale operation of the upgraded waste collection system at household/community level for source separation by November 2018
- <u>Medium-term:</u>
  - Approve the MSW source separation law by the people's congress and enacted in 2019
  - Improve the community's incentive program to operationalize the waste separation scheme in 2019
- Long-term:
  - Increase the coverage from 50% of communities to 100% practicing source separation by end of 2022





- 1. Below expectation of the community's incentive program due to complicated design and varied ownership
- 2. Lack of incentive or penalty to the property management company to support the full scale implementation
- 3. Difficult in mainstreaming the informal waste recycling sectors and NIMBY discourage the recycling owner
- 4. Hard to revitalize the non-functioning supply and marketing cooperatives to reform waste recycling sectors
- 5. Lack of EPR to curb the fast growing MSW generation resulting from the blooming of E-commence (Tmall)





- Technical Assistance Work Planned under the on-going IBRD lending project (USD 24.21 million):
  - City-wide program for public/community education, awareness raising, and mobilization
  - Output-based incentive payments to Neighborhood Residents' Committees (NRCs)
  - Development of administration rules for waste separation
  - Development of municipal solid waste pricing policies
  - Assessment of bio-chemical characteristics of MSW and new treatment technologies
  - Smart solid waste management information management system
- Investment Work Planned under the on-going IBRD lending project:
  - MSW separation, collection, sorting and transportation, USD 178.7 millions
  - Kitchen waste treatment, USD 41.9 millions, currently under construction by the PPP investor (CEHL)
  - Project implementation Support, USD 1.4 millions





## <Ningbo> Support Needed in Ningbo

- World Bank:
  - Jointly organized the high-level circular economy (SWM) workshop in Ningbo
  - Continued support for the implementation of Ningbo MSW Minimization and Recycling Project
- TDLC Program (Japan)
  - Learning the policy to setup circular economy to support the development of ECO-town in Ningbo
  - Establishment of Environment Trust Fund to support the MSW recycling business in Ningbo
- Knowledge Products (Case Studies, Policy Notes, etc.)
  - Low Carbon Development for Ningbo to excel in sustainable SWM and showcase to other China cities?
  - Piloting of data collection and assessment of Marine Plastics/SW for the coastal cities in China, Ningbo?



