



Tim Boven Recycling Commercial Director Packaging & Specialty Plastics

Tim Boven is currently the Recycling Commercial Director for the Americas within Packaging and Specialty Plastics. He is responsible for developing new business models and growth strategies that monetize hard to recycle plastic streams across the Americas. This includes evaluating plastic waste streams, new applications to drive demand, technologies to enhance mechanical recycling, and chemical recycling technologies that will advance a circular plastic economy.

Boven joined Dow in 1997 on the research assignment program where moved into Emulsion Polymers Research focusing on process development. In 2000, he joined Dow Automotive where he held numerous roles in Technical Service & Development, Application Development, Sales, Marketing, and Product Management. In his last role, he served as the Dow Automotive Global Business Director. In April 2014, Boven joined Dow Hydrocarbons as the C4 and Comonomers Business director. He added Business Supply Chain in June 2015 where he was accountable for Business Supply Chain, C4 business profitability, and comonomer asset optimization / sourcing strategies.

He holds a BS in engineering from Western Michigan University and an MBA from Central Michigan University.