2016 Recycling Enforcement Initiative

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Summary To Date:

- WEED RECYCLING Complaints Received: 9
- WEED Checklists Completed: 24
- DEEP Multi-Media Referrals Received: 0

TOTAL: 33
Types of Businesses To Date:

- Retail Stores: 9
- Residential/Multi-Family/Hotels: 8
- Industrial/Commercial/Manufacturing: 6
- Grocery Stores: 3
- Restaurants: 3
- Solid Waste Haulers: 2
- Solid Waste Facilities: 2
Compliance & Violations To Date:

• Compliance: 17

• Violations: 16
  – Compliance Assistance Outreach: 5
  – Outstanding Inspections: 3
  – Warning Letter Sent: 2
  – Inspector Gained Voluntary Compliance: 2
  – NONs Issued: 2
  – NOVs to be Issued: 2
SOLID WASTE - BUSINESS RECYCLING CHECKLIST

CT DEEP Inspectors use this form during their Inspections to assess compliance with the Recycling law, in accordance with Section 22a-241b of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Name of Facility/Site:   Type of Facility/Site:
Address and Town:
Date of Inspection:    Type of Inspection:
Name and Title of Inspector:
Name and Title of Site Contac:
Phone Number of Contact:     Email Address of Contact:
Name and Title of person assigned to manage the company’s solid waste and recycling efforts (if not the Site Contact):

1. Is there evidence of an established recycling program?   Yes_____ No_____

2. Are separate containers provided for trash and recyclable materials within the facility (manufacturing & maintenance areas, office areas near desks, copy machines and lunch room/cafeteria)?   Yes_____ No_____

3. Are there sufficient containers at the “back of the building” to collect Designated Recyclable Items separately from trash?   Yes_____ No_____

Focus on the containers used to collect materials for pick-up by haulers (e.g., dumpsters, 96-gallon wheeled cart). Note that one bin designated for cardboard only (and no bins for other recyclables) does not meet the law.

NOTE: If an item is not listed (a) of the “back of the building” (example above is just a table)

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### Part III: Company’s Current Recycling & Recovery Efforts

Please use the table below to describe your company’s current recycling program. Attachments of photos or other documents are also accepted if you are requested to submit this form.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>RECYCLABLE MATERIAL</th>
<th>AVG WEIGHT (indicate tons or pounds) COLLECTED FOR RECYCLING EACH MONTH (if you do not have weight data enter the number and size of containers and collection frequency)</th>
<th>HOW &amp; WHERE MATERIAL IS COLLECTED</th>
<th>WHO PICKS-UP MATERIAL AND WHERE IS THE MATERIAL TAKEN FOR RECYCLING</th>
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<td><strong>EXAMPLE:</strong></td>
<td><strong>OFFICE PAPER</strong> (White and other paper combined)</td>
<td>Everyone collects at their desk; brought to central location (large wheeled cart near elevators). Janitor brings to loading dock when it is full (about once a week)</td>
<td>Our current trash hauler, (NAME) empties our paper recycling wheeled cart 2x/month (we call them as-needed) and material is taken to a permitted recycling facility (PERMITTEE NAME) in (TOWN).</td>
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<td><strong>Office paper (white paper)</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Newspaper</strong></td>
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Questions?


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