Implementation of the Paint Stewardship Program

Solid Waste Advisory Committee
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Goal – provide data and input for the industry plan
Connecticut Product Stewardship Council will lead discussions with industry, DEP and other stakeholders
Regular meetings, conference calls to discuss logistics
Learn lessons from Oregon planning process
Performance Goals

- Maximize the amount of paint recovered
- Reduce or eliminate paint management costs for municipalities
- Create jobs (Amazon)
Other Key Questions

- How will participation at household hazardous waste collections be impacted?
- What will be the impact for painting contractors?
- What role will reuse/donation play?
- To what extent will retailers participate?
Establishing Baseline Data

- Amount of oil-based paint collected
- Amount of paint currently in storage in homes
- Current costs of managing residential oil-based paint. (Latex?)
- Current participation levels at HHW collections
- Location of existing paint retail locations
For More Information

- Connecticut Product Stewardship Council
- Paint Stewardship Law
- Paint Care
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