Colorado Paint Stewardship Program Six-Month Report July 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

Submitted by:

Kevin Lynch
Colorado Program Manager
klynch@paint.org
(720) 481-8858

PaintCare Inc.
1500 Rhode Island Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20005
(202) 724-6809

Submitted to:

Dr. Larry Wolk
Executive Director
Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment
4300 Cherry Creek Drive South
Denver, CO 80246

Submitted: April 6, 2016

CONTENTS

Executive Summary 4

Highlights, Successes, and Lessons Learned 4
Program Plan and Annual Report 5
Acknowledgments 6

Section 1. Paint Collection, Transportation and Processing 7

A. Paint drop-off Sites, Events and Services 7
A1. Paint Retailers 8
A2. Household Hazardous Waste Programs 10
A3. Transfer Stations / Recycling Facilities / Landfills 11
A4. Reuse Stores 12
A5. Paint-Only Drop-Off Events 12
A6. Large Volume Pick-Up Service 13
A7. Door To Door Programs 14
A8. Paint Recyclers 14
B. Convenience Criteria 14
C. Paint Collection Procedures 18
D. Paint Transportation and Processing 19
D1. Paint Transportation 19
D2. Latex Paint Processing 20
D3. Oil-Based Paint Processing 21
D4. Empty Paint Containers 21

Section 2. Paint Sales, Collection Volume, and Disposition Methods 22

A. Paint Sales 22
B. Paint Collection and Management 22
B1. Collection Volume and Recovery Rate 22
B2. Latex vs. Oil-Based Paint 23
B3. Paint Management Methods 23
B4. Collection by Program Type 23
C. Container Recycling 24

Section 3. Independent Audit and Financial Summary 25

A. Independent Financial Audit 25
B. Financial Summary and Discussion 25
B1. Expense Categories 25
B2. Financial Summary 26
B3. Budget Discrepancies 27
C. Reserves Policy 28
D. Evaluation of the Program's Funding Mechanism 29

Section 4. Outreach 30
A. Outreach Activities 30
A1. Introduction 30
A2. Press Releases 30
A3. Print Materials for Consumers 31
A4. Print Materials for Stakeholders 32
A5. Website 32
A6. Translations 34
A7. Public Radio 34
A8. Newspaper Advertising 34
A9. Face-to-Face 35
A10. Signage 36
B. Awareness Survey 37
C. Recommendations 37

Appendices

A. PaintCare Drop-Off Sites and Events
B. Independent Financial Audit of the PaintCare Program
C. Samples of Educational and Outreach Materials

Executive Summary

Colorado Paint Stewardship Law

PaintCare is the representative stewardship organization of the Colorado Architectural Paint Stewardship Program, codified in the Colorado Revised Statutes, Title 25 Health-Environmental Control, Article 17 Waste Diversion and Recycling, Part 4 Architectural Paint Stewardship Programs. The Colorado Paint Product Stewardship Law declares that:

(1) The General Assembly hereby finds and declares that paint disposal creates environmental and public health problems, and these problems should be addressed through the implementation of environmentally sound management practices for recycling postconsumer architectural paint.

(2) To that end, it is the General Assembly's intent to establish a system of paint stewardship programs that:

(a) Provide substantial cost savings to household hazardous waste collection program;

(b) Significantly increased the number of: (I) Postconsumer architectural paint collection sites; and (II) Recycling opportunities for household, businesses, and other generators of postconsumer architectural paint; and

(c) Exemplifies the principles of a product-centered approach to environmental protection, often referred to as "Product Stewardship."

Highlights, Successes, and Lessons Learned

Sites, Events, and Service. In this first reporting period, PaintCare established 138 year-round (referred to as permanent in the Colorado Law) paint drop-off sites. Of these, 127 are retailers, and represent nearly 30% of potential retail participants. The remaining year-round sites include six household hazardous waste (HHW) facilities, three paint recyclers, one transfer station, and one recycling center. The 138 year-round drop-off sites provided a site within 15-miles of 94% of Colorado's residents.

PaintCare also managed paint from supplemental sites and events that consisted of 18 HHW drop-off events, two HHW facilities and two retailers with limited participation, and five paint-only drop-off events. Finally, PaintCare provided 47 direct large volume pick-ups from 41 unique businesses, institutions and households that had accumulated more than 300 gallons of paint at their site.

Paint Collection Volume. The program processed 230,281 gallons of postconsumer paint. Latex paint made up 90% of the total paint; 10% of latex paint was reused (distributed in the original containers), 61% was made into recycled-content paint, 26% was unrecyclable and sent to

landfill, and 3% was incinerated. Oil-based paint made up 10% of the total paint; 15% was reused, and 85% was used as a fuel. In addition, 92 tons of metal and plastic containers were recycled.

Expenses and Revenue. The program is funded through fees on new paint sales: 35¢ on pints and quarts; 75¢ on 1-gallon containers; and $1.60 on 5-gallon containers. Approximately 6.7 million gallons of architectural paints were sold in Colorado during this reporting period. The program collected $3,476,098 in fees from these sales.

Expenses, including paint transportation and processing, outreach and education, staffing, and administrative costs were $2,266,974. In addition, the program accrued expenses of $499,823 prior to program start. The program ended the reporting period with a surplus of $727,266.

The processing cost in this first reporting period was $9.84 per gallon

Paint Recovery Rate. The paint recovery rate – the number of gallons of postconsumer paint collected or processed (PaintCare uses processed) divided by the number of gallons of new paint sold in the same period – was 3.4%.

Outreach and Education. Building on the lessons learned from the start of the California program where significant pre-launch outreach led to overwhelming participation at the new retail drop-off sites, little outreach was conducted prior to and during the first months of the Colorado program. Outreach was limited to informational brochures and fact sheets distributed in stores by paint retailers, an initial press release coordinated with PaintCare's marketing firm and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, and promotion of a few individual sites who requested promotion when they joined the program later in the year. General advertising started with public radio and online advertising in October and newspaper ads in December.

Program Plan and Annual Report

The Colorado Paint Stewardship Law required the submission and approval of a program plan prior to the program's launch. The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) approved PaintCare's Program Plan in June 2015 and the Colorado program began on July 1, 2015. PaintCare's Colorado Program Plan is available from PaintCare's website.

The Colorado Paint Stewardship Law also requires the submission of an annual report to CDPHE by March 31 each year. This first annual report covers the six months ending December 31, 2015 in order to allow future reports to correspond with a calendar year. We appreciate the understanding that this report is limited in scope and timeframe. Future reports will cover the 12-month calendar year.

Per the Colorado Paint Stewardship Law, the annual reports must include:

> (I) A description of the method or methods used to reduce, reuse, collect, transport, recycle, and process postconsumer architectural paint;

(II) The total volume, in gallons, and type of postconsumer paint collected, with data broken down by: (A) Collection site; and (B) Method of waste handling used to handle the collected postconsumer architectural paint, such as reuse, recycling, energy recovery, or waste disposal;

(III) The total volume, in gallons, of postconsumer architectural paint sold in Colorado by the producer or producers participating in the paint stewardship program;

(IV) For the education and outreach program implemented in compliance with section 25-17-404 (2) (i): (A) Samples of any materials distributed; and (B) A description of the methodology used and the results of the evaluation conducted pursuant to section 25-17-404 (2) (i) (III). The results must include the percentage of consumers, painting contractors and retailers made aware of the ways to reduce the generation of postconsumer architectural paint, available opportunities for reuse of postconsumer architectural paint and collection options for postconsumer architectural paint recycling.

(V) The name, location, and hours of operation of each facility added or removed from the list developed in accordance with section 25-17-404 (2) (f);

(VI) Any proposed changes to the paint stewardship program plan. The executive director shall review any proposed changes set forth in the annual report in accordance with the review procedures for a revised plan, as set forth in section 25-17-404 (3).

(VII) A copy of an independent third party's report auditing the paint stewardship program. The audit must include a detailed list of the program's costs and revenues.

Acknowledgments

The Colorado paint stewardship program is off to a strong start and PaintCare would like to thank the staff of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment for their tremendous support and assistance leading up to and through the first six months of the program; the terrific partnership of the local household hazardous waste (HHW) community; the Colorado Association for Recycling; the Colorado Product Stewardship Council; our outstanding retail, transfer station, and recycling facility partners; the services provided by our transporters, Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Veolia Environmental Services, Waste Management Curbside, and Waste Management of Colorado; and the local latex recycling partners GreenSheen, Old Western Paint, and Southern Colorado Services & Recycling.

Section 1. Paint Collection, Transportation and Processing

Annual Report Statutory Citation

Colorado Revised Statute, Title 25. Article 17. Part 4. Architectural Paint Stewardship Program

Section 25-17-405 (3)(a) On or after March 31 of the second year of a paint stewardship program's implementation, and annually thereafter, one or more participating producers, or a stewardship organization contracted by one or more producers, shall submit a report to the executive director describing the progress of the paint stewardship program. The paint stewardship program report must include the following information from the preceding calendar year:

(I) A description of the method or methods used to reduce, reuse, collect, transport, recycle, and process postconsumer architectural paint.

(V) The name, location, and hours of operation of each facility added or removed from the list developed in accordance with section 25-17-404 (2)(f).

A. PAINT DROP-OFF SITES, EVENTS AND SERVICES

The Colorado Paint Stewardship Law requires a program that increases opportunities for consumers to properly manage leftover paint and reduces costs to local governments. Prior to the PaintCare program, most waste paint was handled either through household hazardous waste (HHW) programs, local latex recyclers, or by drying and disposing of latex paint; however not all areas of the state were provided these services and most of these options charged participants to take their paint.

Qualifying businesses (Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generators or CESQGs) could use select HHW programs, or any business, regardless of generator size, could contract with a private hazardous waste hauler for paint recycling services – though the cost was generally cost-prohibitive for painting contractors and other small businesses.

To increase recycling opportunities for Colorado households, businesses, and others with leftover paint, all suitable locations were invited to participate as PaintCare drop-off sites, provided they met PaintCare's operational requirements, including adequate space for storage of paint collection bins and willingness to accept all program products (latex and oil-based products). PaintCare reached out to paint retailers, material reuse stores, household hazardous waste programs, waste transfer stations, and recycling facilities to invite them to partner in the program as paint drop-off sites.

By the end of this first reporting period, the Colorado PaintCare program had 127 year-round retail drop-off sites located throughout the state. Two retail locations left the program before the end of the reporting period and are categorized as having limited participation in the supplemental site list. In addition, PaintCare managed paint from six HHW collection facilities, one municipal transfer station, one recycling center and three latex recyclers year-round. The program also helped managed paint from 18 HHW drop-off. PaintCare also managed paint from five paint-only collection events held throughout the Denver Metro area and conducted 47

large volume pick-ups (LVP) directly from businesses and other sites that had accumulated more than 300 gallons of paint.

All PaintCare drop-off sites and the LVP service accept both latex and oil-based paint. All retailers accept paint from both households and qualifying businesses, as does the LVP program. The HHW programs and transfer stations generally only service local residents and some service CESQGs.

PaintCare drop-off sites, events, and services are summarized in the following table and are shown on the maps beginning on page 16.

Summary of PaintCare Drop-Off Sites, Events, and Services

YEAR-ROUND DROP-OFF SITES	
Paint Retailers	127
HHW Facilities	6
Transfer Stations / Recycling Facilities	2
Paint Recyclers	3
Total	138

SUPPLEMENTAL SITES, EVENTS, AND SERVICES	
HHW Events	18
Paint-Only Events	5
HHW Facility (limited participation)[1]	2
Paint Retailers (limited participation)	2
Door-to-Door Programs	8
Direct Large Volume Pick-Ups	47

The following subsections discuss the various paint drop-off sites, events, and services provided by the Colorado program.

Section 2 of this report details the volumes of paint collected by each site type and service.

A1. Paint Retailers

Paint retailers are ideal paint drop-off sites because they are located throughout the state, are often centrally located in cities and towns, are open five or more days per week, and have staff familiar with paint products and their safe handling. In addition, their customers are likely to have some leftover paint and often ask store staff for advice on what to do with it.

Prior to the start of the program, three rounds of mailings – in December 2014, January 2015, and June 2015 – were sent to paint retailers that included information about retailer requirements under the new law and about becoming a PaintCare drop-off site (current copies of the fact sheets are provided in Appendix C). These mailings were sent either directly to the stores or to their corporate office. In addition, two webinars were offered for retailers to learn about the program and ask questions, and a video was produced and posted on PaintCare's website that explains the program and shows what it takes to be a PaintCare drop-off site.

[1] Limited Participation is used to describe the Rooney Road Recycling Center (HHW Facility) that was not open in December and therefore not considered a year-round drop-off site. The other HHW facility is Larimer County and due to ongoing negotiations we did not include them as a permanent site.

PaintCare identified 566 Colorado retailers that sold paint – paint stores, hardware stores, lumber yards, material reuse stores, and home improvement stores.

Following the general outreach, and prior to the program's launch, PaintCare staff visited the majority of potential paint retail partners in person and gatherings of retail stores. Staff did not visit big box stores because their corporate staff informed PaintCare that they were not planning to volunteer their stores to serve as drop-offs sites.

Without big box stores, the number of potential retail drop-off sites was 436. Of these, 129 stores – nearly 30% – joined the program as paint drop-off sites in this first reporting period. Retailers were motivated to participate in the program to increase foot traffic through their stores and to provide an additional service for their customers. Appendix A provides the names and addresses of the participating stores.

Retail drop-off sites in Colorado collected 44% of the overall paint collected in this first reporting period.

PaintCare provides materials to drop-off sites to educate customers and promote the program as shown here at Circle Ace in Colorado Springs.

A2. Household Hazardous Waste Programs

In the year leading up to the launch of the program, PaintCare met in person with most of the state's HHW programs, held several stakeholder meetings in coordination with CDPHE, and held several webinars for those who could not attend in person. Print materials for HHW programs about the benefits of participating in the PaintCare program were made available to the HHW community (see the HHW fact sheet in Appendix C). Most of the HHW programs are members of the Colorado Product Stewardship Council (CPSC) and Colorado Association for Recycling (CAFR), and were well informed and very interested in the PaintCare program.

Most HHW programs in Colorado participated in the PaintCare program during this reporting period, comprising of eight HHW facilities and 18 HHW drop-off events. PaintCare worked diligently to contract with local governments that wish to continue to be involved in paint recycling and collection. Larimer and Summit Counties are currently in negotiations to finalize their contract with PaintCare, and Eagle County contract discussions are on hold at the moment pending their own HHW RFP process. Mesa County is the only HHW program in the state, with a permanent facility, that is currently not interested in joining PaintCare. Appendix A provides the names and locations of the HHW facilities and events that participated during this reporting period.

Many HHW programs helped promote PaintCare to their area residents. In addition to distributing brochures, several programs partnered with PaintCare on promoting the program on their municipal websites, where PaintCare provided artwork and language for their use.

HHW programs in Colorado collected 40% of the overall paint collected in this first reporting period.

PaintCare program products in reusable bins at Boulder County's HHW Facility

A3. Transfer Stations / Recycling Facilities / Landfills

In the first six months of the program, PaintCare interacted with solid waste transfer stations, recycling facilities, and landfills through the Colorado Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) and CAFR. A fact sheet was developed and distributed to waste and recycling facilities to explain the PaintCare program and potential benefits to their facilities (current copy of the fact sheet is available in Appendix C). These types of facilities participate as drop-offs sites in other states to expand the services provided to their customers and help keep paint out of the waste stream. Also, they sometimes have reuse programs.

PaintCare will continue to reach out to transfer stations, recycling facilities, and landfills throughout 2016. These sites are often located in rural areas of the state that may not have many retail sites available for recruitment and may be a great option.

One transfer station and one recycling center participated as drop-off sites during this reporting period. Appendix A provides their names and addresses.

Interest in the PaintCare program continues after the first six months on the part of many hard-to-recycle centers – three more recycling centers have joined the PaintCare program since the end of this reporting period; one of these is the only paint drop-off site in Otero County (an underserved area in this reporting period).

A4. Reuse Stores

Prior to July, PaintCare identified 22 material reuse stores – 20 Habitat for Humanity ReStore outlets and two others – and invited them to join the program. Along with participating as drop-off sites, reuse stores can operate paint reuse programs by donating or selling good quality leftover paint back to the local community to use, rather than sending it downstream for processing. PaintCare provides compensation for reuse programs. See fact sheet about reimbursement for reuse activities in Appendix C.

However, PaintCare has found in Colorado, as well as in other PaintCare states, that reuse stores that sell remanufactured/recycled-content paint are often reluctant to become PaintCare reuse sites because it is more profitable (and simpler) to only sell recycled-content paint, than adding postconsumer or partially full cans of paint to their shelves.

Unfortunately, PaintCare was unable to recruit any reuse stores during this reporting period but will continue its efforts recruit them in the future.

A5. Paint-Only Drop-Off Events

Paint-only drop-off events are held to help clean out large volumes of stored-up paint and to provide additional services in densely populated and underserved areas.

Five paint-only drop-off events were held during this reporting period by GreenSheen. Because GreenSheen is not a hazardous waste handler, they only accept latex paint at their events and do not accept oil-based paint. The events were held in partnership with various organizations including homeowner associations (HOA), schools, and other neighborhood associations. Appendix A provides the locations of the paint-only events held during this reporting period.

This year PaintCare will begin hosting its own paint-only drop-off events. PaintCare will accept all program products (latex and oil-based) and be open to all households and qualifying businesses in the state. These events also provide an excellent outreach opportunity; PaintCare staff at the events provide participants information about their nearby, year-round drop-off sites. Two events are planned at this time, both in Adams County in the spring and fall. Additional locations are being evaluated in high population and underserved areas.

A6. Large Volume Pick-Up Service

The Large Volume Service (LVS) began within two weeks of the start of the program, and convenient pick-ups were offered to painting contractors and others who had accumulated large volumes of paint – generally more than 300 gallons. PaintCare arranged 47 pickups during this reporting period. Appendix A lists the cities in which the large volume service has occurred. The users of the service included painting contractors, property management companies, hotels, public school districts, colleges, studios, and households.

Painting contractors often store paint for future use or because it is expensive to dispose of. Property management companies and colleges are left with excess or aging paint from previous tenants or from repainting their buildings. Hotels and public schools are constantly repainting the facilities they manage, inside and out. Studios are used for all types of art projects that usually involve paint and there are always some leftovers.

For businesses that generate large volumes of leftover paint on a regular basis, PaintCare also offers a regular pickup service. This service helps alleviate the pressure on local drop-off sites and increases the convenience for the regular larger volume users of the program. Since the end of this reporting period we have set up one business with regular large volume service for their own leftover paint; two others are working on contracts.

The direct large volume pickup service collected 4% of the overall paint collected during this reporting period.

Note: Volumes for a few LVP customers from the six-month period were not available in time for the report and we will include their volumes in the next annual report.

The large volume service cleaned out this collection of leftover paints at a painting company in Golden.

A7. Door To Door Programs

PaintCare has contracted with Waste Management Curbside to cover downstream transportation and processing costs for paint collected through their door-to-door (D2D) service for seven municipalities. Jefferson County's Rooney Road Recycling Center, a PaintCare partner, also offers D2D to their residents. These programs are not included in any measure of program convenience, but are considered a supplemental service. Appendix A lists the D2D programs that PaintCare worked with during this reporting period.

A8. Paint Recyclers

In order to increase opportunities for recycling larger volumes of paint, three Colorado-based latex paint recyclers serve as drop-off sites – GreenSheen, Old Western Paint, and Southern Colorado Services & Recycling. These locations offer households and businesses the opportunity to drop off up to 200 gallons of paint at a time and help reduce PaintCare's transportation costs by collecting the paint where it is processed. More information on latex paint processing is included in part D of this section of the report.

B. CONVENIENCE CRITERIA

Prior to the PaintCare program, Colorado had many robust HHW and CESQG programs in place. Unfortunately, the level of service – days/hours, types of paint products accepted, use by

businesses, and costs – varied greatly across the state. Some areas did not have any service. In the short time the PaintCare program has been in place, it has increased convenience and opportunities for paint recycling tremendously across the state.

As described in the Program Plan, to ensure adequate paint drop-off opportunities in Colorado, PaintCare used demographic and geographic information modeling to determine the number and distribution of drop-off sites based on the following criteria required by the Colorado Paint Stewardship Law:

Distribution: At least 90% of Colorado residents must have a permanent site within a 15-mile radius of their homes.

Density: An additional permanent site must be provided for every 30,000 residents of an Urbanized Area, as defined by the United States Census Bureau, and distributed in a manner that provides convenient and reasonably equitable access for residents within each Urbanized Area, unless the Executive Director of CDPHE approves otherwise.

Unserved Populations: For the portion of Colorado residents who will not have a permanent collection site within 15-miles of their homes, the program must provide a paint collection event at least once per year.

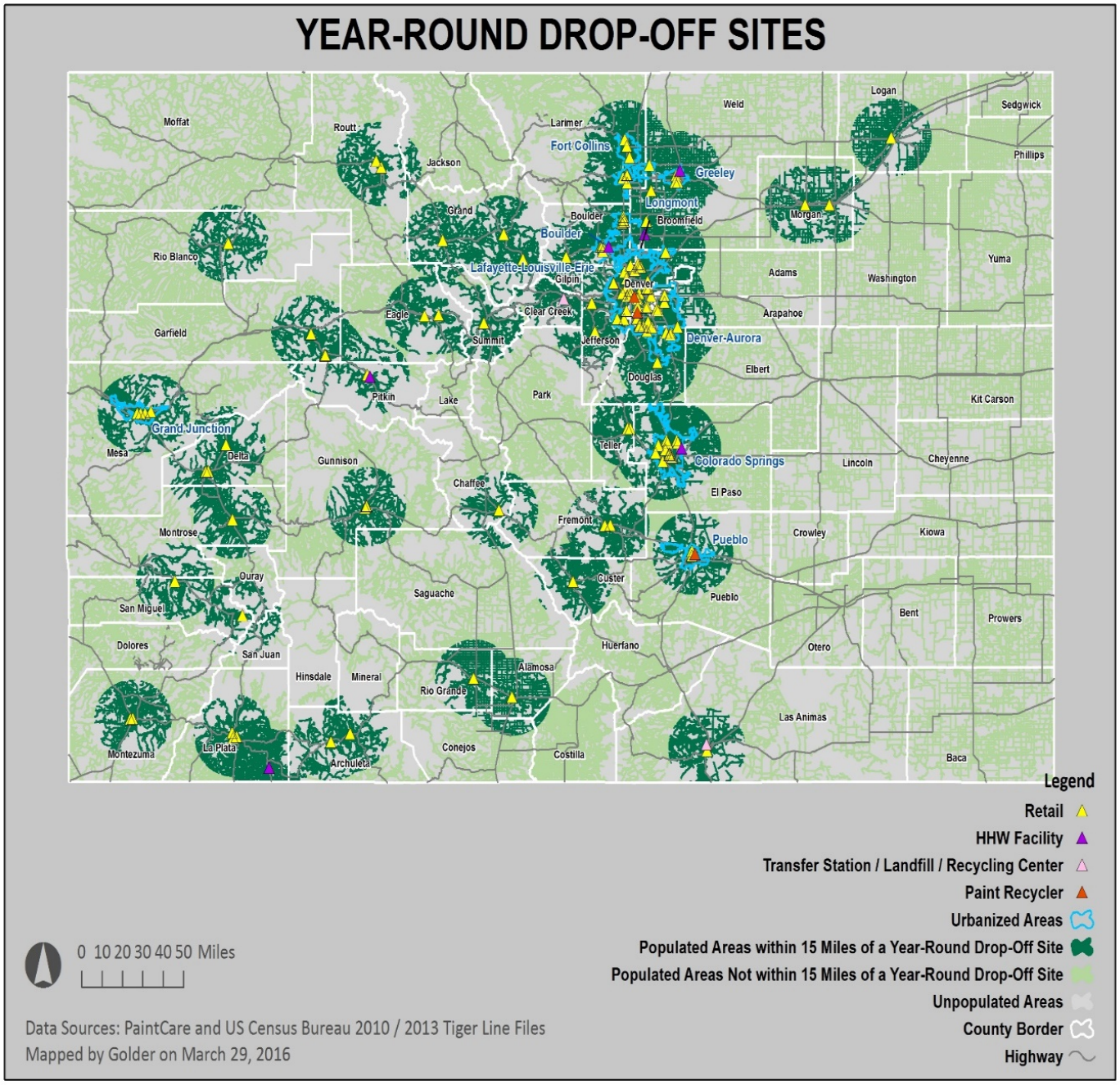
Application of these criteria resulted in the need for approximately 172 optimally located, year-round drop-off sites, as discussed in the Colorado program plan. PaintCare aimed to meet the baseline goal within six-months of program implementation but fell short.

As discussed previously, 138 year-round sites were established in the first reporting period. These sites provided 94% of Colorado's residents a drop-off site within 15 miles of their home – exceeding the distribution criterion. Factoring in the supplemental sites and events, the program provided 94.5% of Coloradans with a drop-off opportunity within 15 miles of their home.[2]

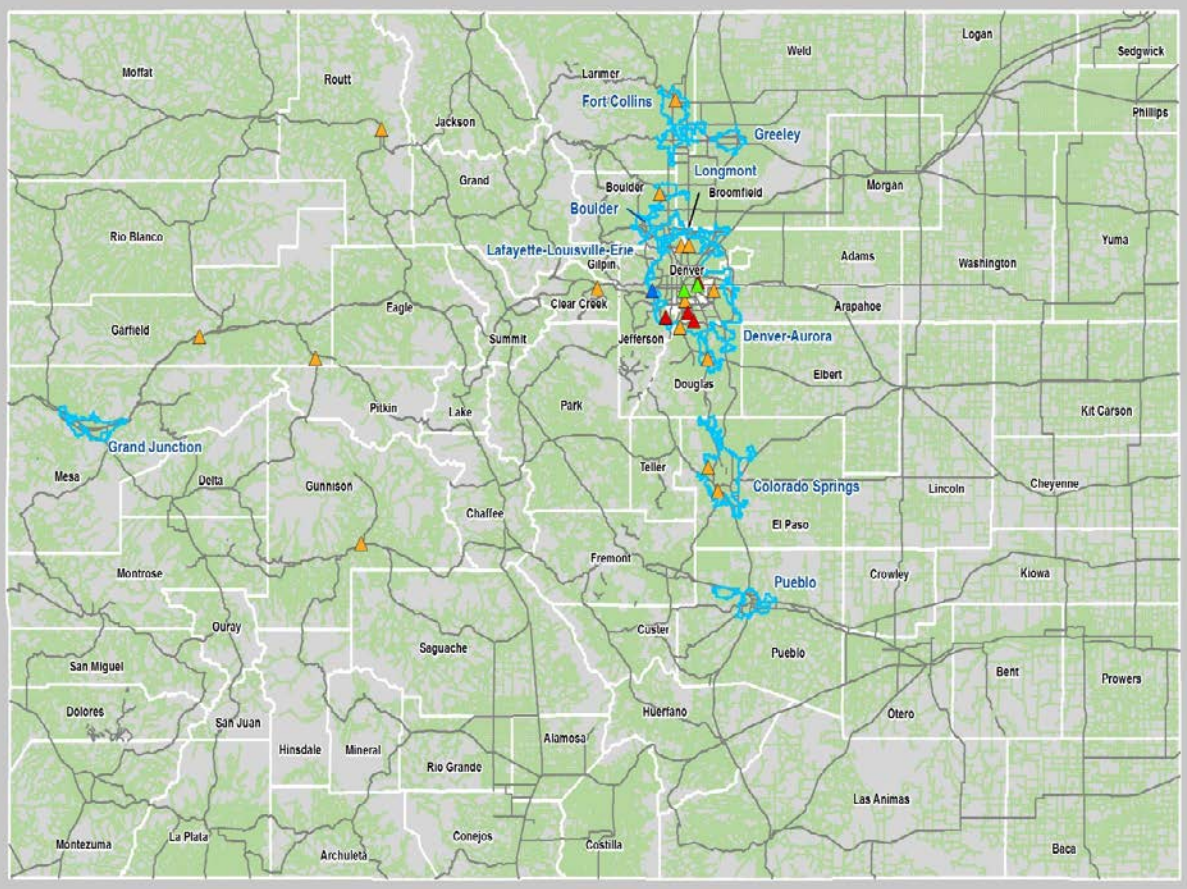
The areas of the state in need of additional sites to meet the density criterion include Denver-Aurora, Colorado Springs, Lafayette/Louisville/Erie, and Pueblo. PaintCare will continue to recruit sites and/or hold paint drop-off events to meet the needs of these areas.

The first two of the following three maps show the locations of PaintCare's year-round and supplemental drop-off sites and events. The third map shows the locations of the LVP sites, though LVP sites were not included in any measure of convenience.

[2] Geographical Information System (GIS) analysis was conducted by Golder Associates, an engineering firm with expertise in GIS and mapping.


YEAR-ROUND DROP-OFF SITES
Moffat
Routt
Jackson
Larimer
Fort Collins
Weld
Logan
Sedgwick
Phillips
Greeley
Longmont
Grand
Boulder
Broomfield
Morgan
Rio Blanco
Lafayette-Louisville-Erie
Gilpin
Denver
Adams
Washington
Yuma
Eagle
Clear Creek
Arapahoe
Garfield
Summit
Jefferson
Denver-Aurora
Elbert
Douglas
Pitkin
Lake
Park
Kit Carson
Grand Junction
Mesa
Delta
Gunnison
Teller
Colorado Springs
Lincoln
Cheyenne
Chaffee
El Paso
Montrose
Fremont
Pueblo
Crowley
Kiowa
Ouray
Custer
Saguache
Pueblo
San Miguel
Bent
Prowers
Dolores
San Juan
Huerfano
Otero
Hinsdale
Mineral
Alamosa
Rio Grande
Las Animas
Montezuma
La Plata
Archuleta
Conejos
Costilla
Baca
Legend
Retail
HHW Facility
Transfer Station / Landfill / Recycling Center
Paint Recycler
Urbanized Areas
Populated Areas within 15 Miles of a Year-Round Drop-Off Site
Populated Areas Not within 15 Miles of a Year-Round Drop-Off Site
Unpopulated Areas
County Border
Highway
0 10 20 30 40 50 Miles
Data Sources: PaintCare and US Census Bureau 2010 / 2013 Tiger Line Files
Mapped by Golder on March 29, 2016

SUPPLEMENTAL SITES AND EVENTS

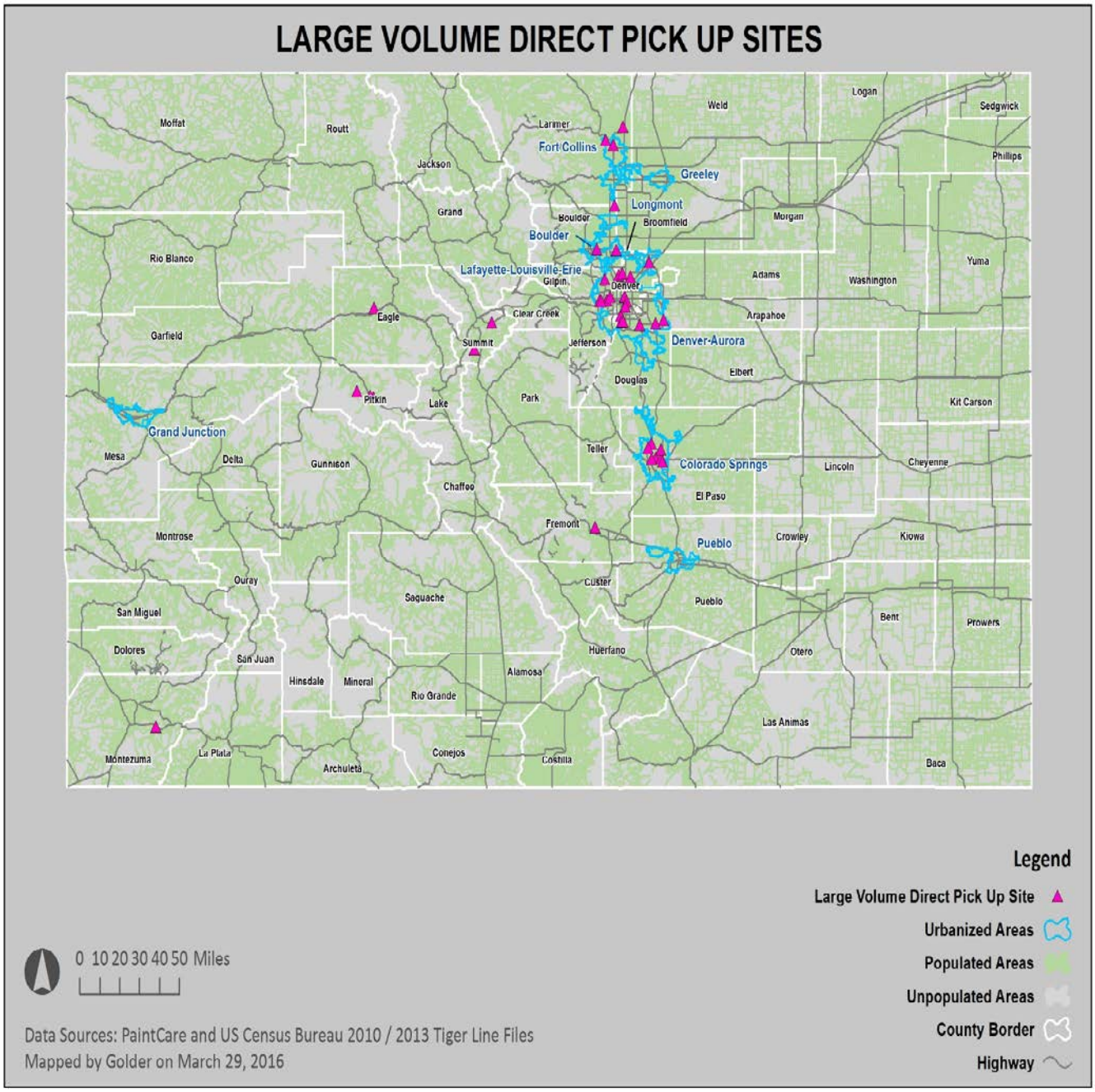


Legend

- HHW Event
- Seasonal HHW Facility
- Paint-Only Event
- Retail - Limited Participation
- Urbanized Areas
- Populated Areas
- Unpopulated Areas
- County Border
- Highway

0 10 20 30 40 50 Miles

Data Sources: PaintCare and US Census Bureau 2010 / 2013 Tiger Line Files
Mapped by Golder on March 29, 2016



C. PAINT COLLECTION PROCEDURES

PaintCare entered into contracts with sponsors or operators of all paint drop-off sites and/or events. PaintCare contracts require all drop-off sites to meet requirements of local, state, and federal law, regulations, and policies.

Staff at retail and transfer station sites received on-site, in-person training and a program procedures manual. HHW facilities received a visit and overview of program products, but the staff were usually well trained on handling paint products prior to PaintCare. The training and program manual covered the following topics:

- Identification of program and non-program products
- Acceptable containers
- Whom to accept paint from and how much
- Screening procedure for CESQGs and the required log form
- Proper storage
- Spill response procedures and reporting requirements
- Employee training
- How to schedule a pick-up
- Required paperwork and record retention schedules

Site personnel are required to visually inspect all incoming containers of postconsumer paint – but not open them – to confirm that they are acceptable program products and then place them in the spill-proof collection bins provided by the program. Unlabeled and leaking cans are not accepted at retail or other non-HHW sites or events, but trained staff at HHW facilities and events are allowed to accept and prepare them for management under the program.

Year-round drop-off sites are visited by PaintCare staff on a regular basis to check on their operations and provide additional training and consumer outreach materials as needed. Supplemental sites and events are attended as schedules allow and needs arise.

D. PAINT TRANSPORTATION AND PROCESSING

D1. Paint Transportation

PaintCare contracted with seven different entities for transportation services in Colorado – Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Veolia Environmental Services, GreenSheen, Southern Colorado Services & Recycling, Waste Management Curbside Inc., and Waste Management of Colorado.

Clean Harbors, Veolia, and Waste Management Curbside, all registered hazardous waste haulers, were contracted to provide transportation services to sites that received oil-based paint. PaintCare requires that transportation service providers hauling oil-based paint have the ability and knowledge to respond to incidents involving hazardous materials and comply with all applicable U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) and state transportation rules.

Clean Harbors and Veolia provided transportation services to retail drop-off sites, HHW programs, and entities with large volumes. Waste Management Curbside provided transportation services to customers to HHW programs, including those that utilize door-to-

door services. GreenSheen, Southern Colorado Services & Recycling, and Waste Management of Colorado all provided transportation services for latex paint only.

Clean Harbors transported comingled (latex and oil-based paint) bins from retail sites, sorted paint from large volume service sites and HHW customers, and the oil-based paint collected at three latex recyclers in Colorado (GreenSheen, Old Western Paints, and Southern Colorado Services & Recycling) to their hub in Denver for further screening, separation, and consolidation.

Veolia transported comingled (latex and oil-based paint) bins from retail sites and sorted paint from other sites to their facility in Henderson, CO for further screening, separation, and aggregation. Latex paint from this process was transported to GDB International in Nashville, IL for processing. The oil-based paint collected by Veolia was transported to Rineco Chemical Industries in Haskell, AR for processing.

GreenSheen transported latex paint from one-day drop-off events and from several HHW customers to their facility in Englewood, CO for processing.

Southern Colorado Services & Recycling transported latex paint from a one-day drop-off one HHW facility customer back to their facility in Pueblo, CO for processing.

Waste Management Curbside transported paint from their HHW customers back to their facility in Denver for screening, separation, and consolidation.

Waste Management of Colorado transported roll off containers of unwanted latex paint to their facility, Conservation Services, Inc., in Bennett, CO for processing.

D2. Latex Paint Processing

The condition in which postconsumer latex paint is received by the program determines the available management options. If containers are not properly sealed during storage, latex paint can harden due to evaporation and may no longer be useable or recyclable. Similarly, if latex paint freezes a number of times, it may not be as suitable for reuse or recycling. Ultimately, the method of storage and the timing of the decision to bring leftover paint to a drop-off site are determined by the consumer.

The program's education and outreach messages encourage the timely return of unwanted postconsumer paint in an effort to reduce the age and improve the condition of the paint for end-of-life management.

Eight different facilities – Boulder County HHW, El Paso County HHW, GDB International, GreenSheen, Larimer County HHW, Old Western Paint, Southern Colorado Services & Recycling, and Waste Management Curbside – were utilized to process latex paint during this reporting period. Through the use of these facilities, PaintCare strives to manage latex paint under the following waste management hierarchy:

Reuse. Reuse programs generally screen for paint containers that are 50% or more full and in good condition and give them away free or sell them to the local community. Boulder County, El Paso County, Larimer County, and Southern Colorado Services & Recycling reported an impressive amount of reuse during this reporting period.

Recycled Paint. Clean Harbors, GreenSheen, Old Western Paint, Southern Colorado Services & Recycling, Veolia, and Waste Management Curbside utilized paint-to-paint recycling as their primary method for managing latex paint. Clean Harbors worked with GreenSheen. Veolia worked with GDB International. Waste Management Curbside worked with Deco Products in Denver and GreenSheen, Old Western Paint, and Southern Colorado Services & Recycling all processed the latex paint collected at their own facility.

GreenSheen, Old Western Paint, Southern Colorado Services & Recycling, and Waste Management Curbside all blended postconsumer latex paint into a variety of colors of recycled-content paint.

Disposal. Dry and unusable latex paint sorted out by the transporters and processors, and unwanted latex paint sorted out by Boulder, Larimer, and Tri Counties was sent to landfill.

D3. Oil-Based Paint Processing

Five different facilities – Boulder County HHW, Clean Harbors, El Paso County HHW, Larimer County HHW, Rineco Chemical Industries, facility – were all used to process oil-based paint during this reporting period. Through the use of these facilities, PaintCare strives to manage oil-based paint under the following waste management hierarchy:

Reuse. As stated above, reuse programs generally screen for paint containers that are 50% or more full and in good condition and give them away free or sell them to the local community. The Counties of Boulder, El Paso, and Larimer reported an impressive amount of reuse during this reporting period.

Energy Recovery. Veolia consolidated oil-based paint at their facility in Henderson, CO, then transported it to Rineco Chemical Industries which uses the oil-based paint as part of their manufactured waste-derived fuels which is used as a secondary fuel source by cement kilns.

Incineration. Clean Harbors utilizes their facility in Kimball, NE to process the oil-based paint they managed.

D4. Empty Paint Containers

Metal and plastic paint containers were repurposed or recycled whenever possible.

Section 2. Paint Sales, Collection Volume, and Disposition Methods

Annual Report Statutory Citation

Colorado Revised Statute, Title 25. Article 17. Part 4. Architectural Paint Stewardship Program

Section 25-17-405 (3)(a) On or after March 31 of the second year of a paint stewardship program's implementation, and annually thereafter, one or more participating producers, or a stewardship organization contracted by one or more producers, shall submit a report to the executive director describing the progress of the paint stewardship program. The paint stewardship program report must include the following information from the preceding calendar year:

(II) The total volume, in gallons, and type of postconsumer architectural paint collected, with the data broken down by: (A) Collection site; and (B) Method of waste handling used to handle the collected postconsumer architectural paint, such as reuse, recycling, energy recovery, or waste disposal.

(III) The total volume, in gallons, of postconsumer architectural paint sold in Colorado by the producer or producers participating in the paint stewardship program.

A. PAINT SALES

As discussed in the program plan, the volume of paint sold on a state-by-state basis is not available or tracked by the paint industry. To derive estimates, PaintCare commissioned a study in the fall of 2012 with updates in 2014 by Decision Metrics, Inc., a research firm that specializes in coatings industry analysis and economic forecasting. The Decision Metrics study projected annual sales of 14.2 million gallons in Colorado (or 7.1 million gallons for half of year without considering seasonality). This volume was used for two purposes: (1) to project potential program revenue, discussed further in Section 3 of this report, and (2) to project potential collection volumes based on studies indicating that approximately 10% of paint purchased is leftover, discussed in this section of the report.

Actual sales for this six-month reporting period were 6,799,639 gallons. This is slightly less than projected for a six-month period, and this may be due to seasonality.

B. PAINT COLLECTION AND MANAGEMENT

B1. Collection Volume and Recovery Rate

The program collected an estimated 292,086 gallons and processed 230,281 gallons of paint during this first reporting period. The reason for the difference between these two numbers is that at the end of any reporting period, some portion of paint collected has not yet been processed and is not included in the processed and disposition volumes. A gap in the time between collection and processing will occur every year and therefore balance out from year to year. PaintCare uses processed volume to calculate recovery rates.

The processed volume collected in this reporting period represents a 3.4% recovery rate using sales from the same time-period (6,799,639 gallons), or a 3.9% recovery rate using half of the estimated 2010 sales (5,850,000 gallons), as discussed in the program plan.

Collection volumes were lower than projected which is typical for the first six months of a program. As more drop-off sites come on board and the public learns about the program, collection volumes will increase.

B2. Latex vs. Oil-Based Paint

Of the 230,386 gallons of paint processed in this reporting period, 90% (207,924 gallons) was latex paint and 10% (22,462 gallons) was oil-based paint.

B3. Paint Management Methods

The following tables show the paint management methods and volumes processed.

Latex Paint Management

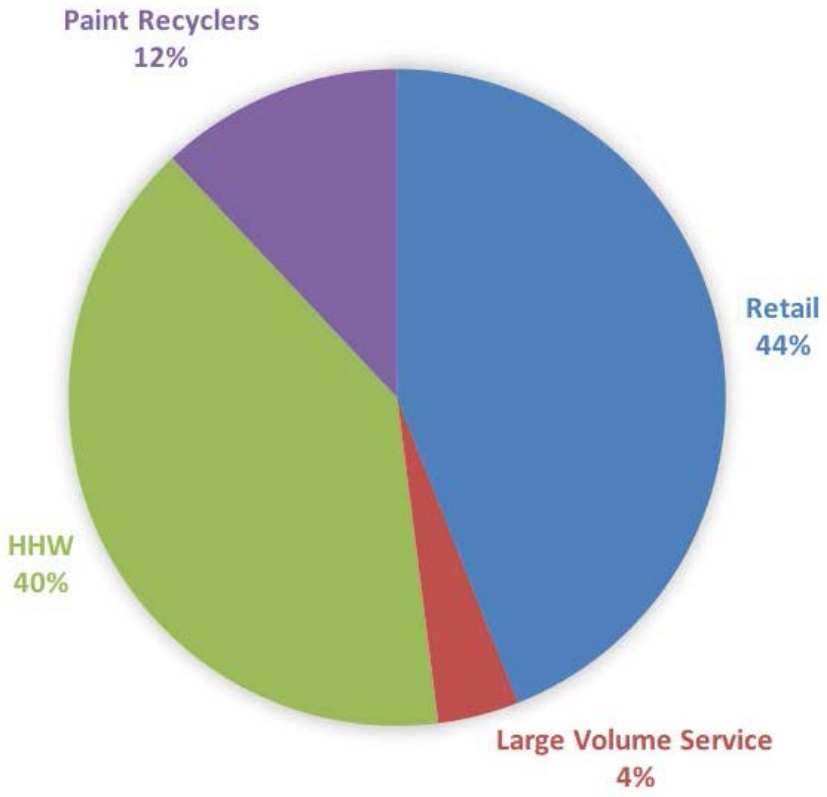
DISPOSITION	GALLONS	%
Reuse	21,062	10
Recycled Paint	127,341	61
Disposal	54,182	26
Incineration	5,235	3
Total	207,820	100

Oil-Based Management

DISPOSITION	GALLONS	%
Reuse	3,438	15
Energy Recovery	19,024	85
Total	22,462	100

B4. Collection by Program Type

The following pie chart shows the breakdown of collection volume by program type.



C. CONTAINER RECYCLING

As described in Section 1 of this report, metal and plastic paint containers are repurposed and recycled whenever possible. During this first reporting period, the program recycled an estimated 92 tons of paint containers.

Section 3. Independent Audit and Financial Summary

Annual Report Statutory Citation

Colorado Revised Statute, Title 25. Article 17. Part 4. Architectural Paint Stewardship Program

Section 25-17-405 (3)(a) On or after March 31 of the second year of a paint stewardship program's implementation, and annually thereafter, one or more participating producers, or a stewardship organization contracted by one or more producers, shall submit a report to the executive director describing the progress of the paint stewardship program. The paint stewardship program report must include the following information from the preceding calendar year:

(VII) A copy of an independent third party's report auditing the paint stewardship program. The audit must include a detailed list of the program's costs and revenues.

A. INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL AUDIT

An independent financial audit of the national PaintCare program was conducted by Rogers & Company PLLC. This independent CPA firm conducted the audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. Those standards require that the firm plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatements. The audit process includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. In Rogers & Company's opinion, the financial statements of PaintCare present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position as of December 31, 2015, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Please see Appendix B for the independent financial audit of the PaintCare program.

B. FINANCIAL SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION

B1. Expense Categories

Revenue is derived from fees on new paint sales. Expense categories for the Colorado program are discussed below.

Paint Processing. Paint processing costs are the largest budget item in all PaintCare state programs. Paint processing are invoiced per gallon for reuse, per gross pound for all other disposition methods, excluding the roll-off bins which are invoiced either by yard or by the 20-yard bin.

Paint Transportation. Paint transportation costs are another significant cost in all PaintCare state programs. Paint Transportation is invoiced per cubic yard box, 55-gallon drum, roll-off, or per load.

Collection Supplies and Support. Collection support and supplies paint collection bins (single use and reusable), spill kits, training materials, and miscellaneous supplies for drop-off sites to maintain safe and clean operations.

Communications. Communications costs include advertising and promotional materials to increase awareness of the program and use of the drop-off sites.

Personnel, Professional Fees, and Other. Personnel, professional fees, and other includes the proportional cost of one full-time employee, legal costs for developing and negotiating contracts, travel, office supplies, and other logistical and professional support.

State Administrative Fees. PaintCare pays state administrative fees in the amount to $120,000 annually to the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Corporate Activity. Corporate costs are allocated among all PaintCare states based on their relative population. As of December 30, 2015, Colorado's corporate allocation (share of the total corporate expenses) was 8.6%.

Allocation of corporate activity was referred to as Administrative Costs in the approved Colorado Program Plan. Corporate activities are those that benefit or apply to all PaintCare states. They include but are not limited to corporate staffing (e.g., Executive Director, communications, legal, and accounting staff), construction of data management systems, auditing fees, legal fees and general communications.

B2. Financial Summary

The following tables show pre-program expenses, and program revenue and expenses during the first reporting period of July 1 – December 31, 2015. A discussion of any significant differences between budgeted and actual expenses follows the tables.

Pre-Program Activities (Prior to July 1, 2015)

EXPENSES	
Collection supplies and support	$ 17,187
Communications	42,363
Personnel, professional fees, and other	173,429
Allocation of corporate activity	266,199
Total expenses	499,664
Net assets, June 30, 2015	$ (499,664)

First Reporting Period – Budget and Program Activities (6 Months)

REVENUE	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Larger than half pint to smaller than 1 gallon	$ 397,600	$ 324,136
1 gallon	2,023,500	1,833,422
Larger than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons	1,317,760	1,318,541
Total revenue	3,738,860	3,476,098
EXPENSES		
Paint processing	1,882,888	1,213,416
Paint transportation	862,035	302,085
Collection supplies and support	248,628	321,361
Communications	325,000	171,952
Personnel, professional fees, and other	124,835	73,337
State administrative fees	120,000	-
Allocation of corporate activity	129,000	184,823
Total expenses	3,692,386	2,266,974
Allocation of investment activity	0	17,964
Change in net assets (revenue less expenses)	(46,474)	1,227,088
Net assets, beginning of reporting period		(499,664)
Net assets, end of reporting period		$ 727,424

B3. Budget Discrepancies

Revenue generated during this reporting period was slightly less than anticipated, and this may due to seasonality.

Paint transportation and processing costs were substantially lower than budgeted. This is because the program is still new and it will take some time to reach the collection volumes anticipated in the (mature) program budget.

Collection supplies and support expenses were higher than budgeted due to the purchase of reusable bins (a one-time expense) that were initially budgeted as a pre-program expenditure.

State administrative fees paid during this reporting period was zero because PaintCare received the state's invoice after the financial audit took place. Therefore, this expense was not captured in the audited financial statements. This fee of $120,000 will be paid and appear in the 2016 financial audit.

Communications activities and related expenses in this reporting period were intentionally lower than budgeted (for a mature program) to allow new paint drop-off sites time to become familiar with the program, especially in the first few months. General outreach was delayed as planned and began in November.

Corporate services increased between the period of program plan approval and end of this reporting period due to the hiring of additional communications, legal, and accounting staff. As a result, Colorado's share also increased.

C. RESERVES POLICY

PaintCare has a Reserves Policy to define and quantify the reserves in each state program. The policy defines the reserves as net assets and establishes a minimum threshold of 16% of annual expenses (i.e., at least two months of total operating expenses); a target of 50% (i.e., at least six months of total operating expenses), and the maximum shall be 75% (i.e., nine months of total operating expenses). This accumulated balance allows PaintCare programs to continue to operate in times of either higher than expected paint collection or lower than expected retail paint sales (and revenue) – or a combination of the two. Reserves or net assets represent the accumulated surplus/deficit of the program.

At the end of this reporting period, the Colorado program had built a surplus, as revenue exceeded expenses. The accumulated surplus was $727,424.

However, as the Colorado program is still in its infancy, PaintCare expects increased collection volumes and costs for several years as program awareness and participation grows. PaintCare anticipates reaching a program maturity with consistent collection volumes in the fourth or fifth year of the program, as several years are needed to educate the full population of the state about the program.

D. Evaluation of the Program's Funding Mechanism

As described in the Colorado program plan, the program utilizes the following assessment, called the PaintCare fee, per container size.

PaintCare Fee Structure

CONTAINER SIZE	FEE
Half pint or smaller	$ 0.00
Larger than half pint to smaller than 1 gallon	$ 0.35
1 gallon	$ 0.75
Larger than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons	$ 1.60

The funding mechanism, including the fee structure and system to receive sales reports and payments from manufacturers performed well during this first reporting period.

Section 4. Outreach

Annual Report Statutory Citation

Colorado Revised Statute, Title 25. Article 17. Part 4. Architectural Paint Stewardship Program

Section 25-17-405 (3)(a) On or after March 31 of the second year of a paint stewardship program's implementation, and annually thereafter, one or more participating producers, or a stewardship organization contracted by one or more producers, shall submit a report to the executive director describing the progress of the paint stewardship program. The paint stewardship program report must include the following information from the preceding calendar year:

(IV) For the education and outreach program implemented in compliance with section 25-17-404 (2)(i): (A) Samples of any materials distributed; and (B) A description of the methodology used and the results of the evaluation conducted pursuant to section 25-17-404 (2)(i)(III). The results must include the percentage of consumers, painting contractors, and retailers made aware of the ways to reduce the generation of postconsumer architectural paint, available opportunities for reuse of postconsumer architectural paint, and collection options for postconsumer architectural paint recycling.

A. OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

A1. Introduction

PaintCare's Colorado program plan discusses a variety of outreach activities targeted to retailers, painting contractors, municipal agencies, and the public through direct contact and advertising using a phased in approach.

Initial outreach focused on recruiting drop off sites – retail, HHW programs, and transfer stations. The intent of phasing in outreach was to allow drop-off sites to become comfortable with operations before implementing general advertising to the public to increase participation.

Educational efforts in this reporting period focused on encouraging the public to recycle their unwanted paint. Future efforts will extend to source reduction and reuse.

The outreach program began with press releases (earned media), then general outreach about the program through public radio, general newspaper and some digital advertising to drive the public to PaintCare's website to find drop-off sites using PaintCare's site locator search tool. The outreach activities utilized during this reporting period are summarized here.

A2. Press Releases

At the start of the program, PaintCare, through its public relations firm, Sprocket Communications, issued two press releases, one with CDPHE, about start of the program. The releases generated coverage in three newspaper and online articles.

In the first two months of the program, stories about PaintCare were featured in 5820 Magazine, Channel 9 news, the Alamosa Valley Courier, BuildingOnline.com, Confluence Denver.com, and the Castle Rock Press.

Subsequently, as new drop-off sites joined the program, PaintCare offered the new sites the opportunity to be promoted. If they were interested, media releases were sent to one or two local papers in the area surrounding the site including an overview of the program and a quote from the store owner or manager. This effort led to three articles in local papers.

A3. Print Materials for Consumers

Prior to the start of the program, PaintCare mailed packets of program brochures and other printed materials to retailers to make available to customers their stores. All paint retailers or their corporate headquarters received packets of materials. The packets included program brochures, mini cards, fact sheets for painting contractors and the LVP service, program posters, and an order form to order additional materials and brochure holders.

Since starting in July of 2015, PaintCare distributed materials across the state. Program brochures, mini cards, and fact sheets were provided to painting contractors and paint retailers, as well as HHW programs, transfer stations, recycling centers, and landfills. Materials were distributed by mail and in person by the Colorado program manager. Materials and in-store signage were ordered by paint retailers and HHW programs. Brochure holders and counter mats for store counters were also distributed. The counter mat is a popular alternative to a store poster for retailers to use in the paint department to reference when customers have questions. The counter mat is more likely to be seen than the poster while customers wait for their paint to be mixed.

In all, PaintCare fulfilled 170 requests, distributing approximately 23,000 program brochures, 5,000 factsheets, and 1,900 mini cards. The materials shown below are included in Appendix C and available on PaintCare's website.

Brochure, Mini card, Program Poster, Counter Mat, Painting Contractor Fact Sheet, LVP Fact Sheet

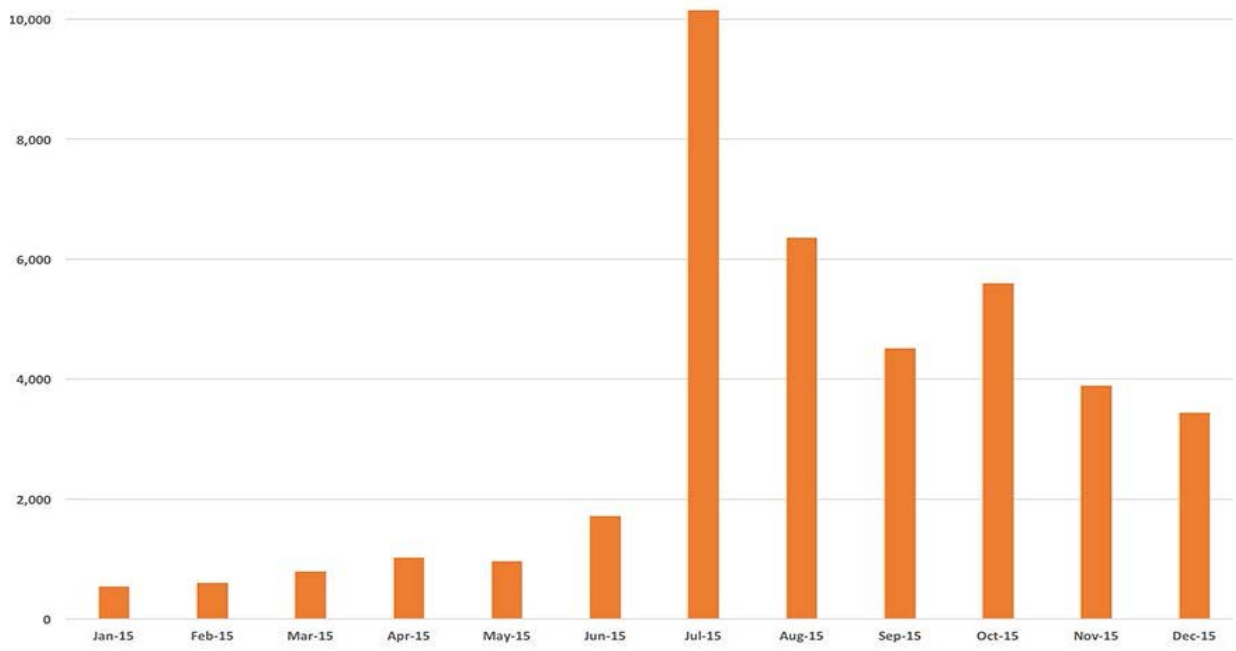
A4. Print Materials for Stakeholders

The following materials were developed for stakeholder groups and primarily distributed in the months before the start of the program during our initial efforts to launch the program. They are included in Appendix C because they are still used occasionally (and posted on PaintCare's website).

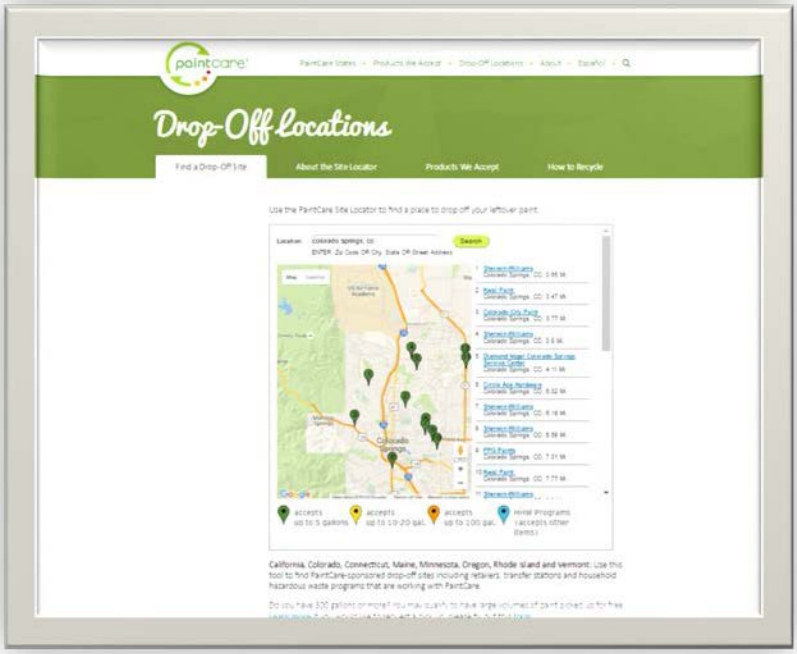
- Fact sheet: How Does the Colorado Paint Stewardship Program Affect Paint Retailers (mailed to all retailers in December 2014, January 2015, and June 2015)
- Fact sheet: How to Become a Retail Drop-Off Site (provided by the program manager during visits to retailers in person as needed and posted on PaintCare's website)
- Fact sheet: About PaintCare Fees
- Order form for print materials: This form is used by retailers for ordering brochures, posters, fact sheets, etc.
- Fact sheet for household hazardous waste programs
- Fact sheet for transfer stations, recycling facilities, and landfills

A5. Website

Nearly all PaintCare advertising and outreach efforts directed the public to PaintCare's website for information and to find a local PaintCare site. The most frequently visited part of the website is the PaintCare site locator tool on the page titled Drop-Off Locations. The following chart shows the number of visitors from Colorado each month in 2015:



PaintCare's Site Locator Tool



The Colorado Section of PaintCare's Webpage

A6. Translations

PaintCare translates consumer brochures and fact sheets into languages of known ethnic groups in the state, especially those in the painting business, and upon requests from paint retailers or other stakeholders. The painting contractor fact sheet is not state-specific, but it is available in several languages, due to requests from other PaintCare states. The LVP service fact sheet is available in Spanish and posted on the Colorado section of PaintCare's website.

A7. Public Radio

PaintCare ran a series of underwriting sponsorships on Colorado Public Radio (CPR). A ten-week campaign started in October and ran through the end of the year. The sponsorship used the following message: "Support for public radio is provide by its listeners *and by PaintCare, with more than 100 drop off locations in Colorado where residents and businesses can recycle leftover paint. Online at PaintCare dot org.*"

A8. Newspaper Advertising

PaintCare did not advertise the program newspapers at the start of the program intentionally to allow drop-off sites time to adjust to the operations. PaintCare placed a few small newspaper ads with individual site information for a few that requested promotion. General newspaper ads started to run statewide in December. General ads did not list individual drop-off locations.

General Newspaper Ad

Starting in October, sites that were new to the program and also interested in extra promotion were offered an ad listing their location such as the following example.

Example Newspaper Ad with Site Listed

A9. Face-to-Face

PaintCare's state manager and corporate staff were active with the following face-to-face activities before and during this reporting period:

- Visited with retailers prior to program launch to confirm they received materials and answer any questions about the program. Those who were interested in becoming drop-off sites then received personal on-site training. The state manager made subsequent visits to make sure the sites were running well, address any difficult questions the staff received from customers, provided more brochures or other point-of-sale materials, and offered to order signs.
- Met with municipalities, primarily HHW programs, to answer questions about operational issues and how to participate in the program at their locations. Those who wanted to become drop-off locations received in-person training at their site and subsequent visits to make sure there were no issues.

- Spoke with individuals interested in PaintCare's LVP service, explained what was required to take advantage of the service, how to request a pick-up, and which types of products the program covers.

State manager also attended the following events:

EVENT	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
Colorado Paint Co Pro Show	Denver	Contractor Outreach Event
Guiry's Pro Show	Denver	Contractor Outreach Event
Sherwin-Williams Pro Show	Longmont	Contractor Outreach Event
Sherwin-Williams Pro Show	Colorado Springs	Contractor Outreach Event
Sherwin Williams Pro Show	Denver (2)	Contractor Outreach Event
Sherwin-Williams Pro Show	Greeley	Contractor Outreach Event
Sherwin-Williams Pro Show	Pueblo	Contractor Outreach Event
NLBMDA Conference	Colorado Springs	Retailer Outreach Booth
CAFR Summit For Recycling	Vail	Recycling Industry Event
CAFR Annual Meeting	Commerce City	Recycling Industry Event
Colorado SWANA Conference	Pueblo	Solid Waste Outreach Booth

A10. Signage

PaintCare has developed a number of signs for drop-off sites to help them let the public know about the program, screen program products, and address concerns they have about illegal dumping. Drop-off sites may order the following signs:

DROPOFF SIGN
Intended for the front of a store to let the public know that they can drop off paint.

PROGRAM PARTNER
For HHW programs and transfer stations to let the public know that they can drop off paint.

PROGRAM PRODUCTS
Most often used near paint bins as a reference for staff to use to screen program products.

COMBINATION
Used to inform the public that the site accepts paint and provide program products list.

NO DUMPING
To post outside in areas where the public may be inclined to leave paint after hours.

WAIT FOR ASSISTANCE
For sites that prefer customers notify staff before starting to bring paint from their vehicles.

B. AWARENESS SURVEY

PaintCare conducted an online baseline "Paint Usage and Disposal Survey" in Colorado in December 2014 using Survey Monkey, an online survey instrument. The survey was repeated in December 2015. This survey was used to evaluate changes over time in the level of awareness by the public about paint recycling options. PaintCare is especially interested in the questions related to how much paint people store in their homes and whether they know where to recycle unwanted paint. See Appendix C for the survey results.

With only two surveys to compare and six months of operations, any differences between the surveys should be considered anecdotal and together they will serve as a baseline to compare with future surveys. Only after several years will PaintCare be able to identify trends.

PaintCare did not survey paint retailers or painting contractors in 2015 but will do so in 2016.

C. RECOMMENDATIONS

- PaintCare's outreach will expand to include a wider range of media strategies in 2016, including direct mail, and video to reach all parts of the state.
- The use and effectiveness of digital and social media strategies will become a major part of our effort, as people spend more time online each year. Digital and social media strategies can target relevant messages to specific geographic areas.

- PaintCare will offer its joint outreach program to local governments that are now having their paint transportation and processing costs paid for by PaintCare. This will leverage their messaging and outreach for recycling and solid waste programs.
- As the program matures, the state manager may be able to attend more events and in-person meetings (e.g., home shows, painting contractor associations, etc.)
- PaintCare has hired a staff social media writer, and will develop more social media content to engage with consumers about all aspects of the program including buying the right amount of paint for a job, using up leftover paint, storing paint properly, giving paint to someone who can use it, and recycling through PaintCare drop-off sites.
- PaintCare will conduct an outreach campaign to real estate agents.

Appendix A

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 1

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
1. Year-Round Sites						
ADAMS						
1075	Sherwin-Williams	1555 E Bridge St	Brighton	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,376
1119	Commerce City Ace Hardware	6900 Eudora Dr	Commerce City	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 9-5	
1140	Mile High Ace Hardware	2800 W 104th Ave	Federal Heights	Retail	M-F 8am-8pm, Sa 8-7, Su 9-6	1,445
1095	Sherwin-Williams	11455 N Washington St	Northglenn	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,240
1344	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	11450 N Cherokee St	Northglenn	Retail	M-F 6:30am-5pm, Sa 7-1	509
1375	Northside Paint and Decorating	12365 Huron St	Westminster	Retail	M-F 7am-5:30pm, Sa 8:30-3	946
1997	Standley Shores Ace Hardware	9979 Wadsworth Pkwy	Westminster	Retail	M-S 8am-8pm, Su 9-6	892
ALAMOSA						
1678	Sherwin-Williams	200 Craft Dr	Alamosa	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	321
ARAPAHOE						
2021	Ace Hardware Saddle Rock	7420 S Gartrell Rd	Aurora	Retail	M-F 8am-8pm, Sa 8-7, Su 9-6	
1065	Sherwin-Williams	2832 S Havana St	Aurora	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	726
1070	Sherwin-Williams	552 S Chambers Rd	Aurora	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,359
1349	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	1701 Chambers Rd	Aurora	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,119
1357	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	3106 S Parker Rd	Aurora	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,444
1363	Guirys	8262 S Univeristy Blvd	Centennial	Retail	M-F 8:30am-7pm, Sa 8:30-5:30, Su 11-4	3,533
1066	Sherwin-Williams	5150 E Arapahoe Rd	Centennial	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,470
2011	GreenSheen Paint	1281 W Dartmouth Ave	Englewood	Paint Recycler	M - F 8 am-4:30 pm	29,574
1541	Diamond Vogel Littleton	250 E Dry Creek Rd	Littleton	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	397
1067	Sherwin-Williams	1500 W Littleton Blvd	Littleton	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,949
1093	Sherwin-Williams	13134 W Ida Ave	Littleton	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,883
1335	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	8996 W Bowles Ave	Littleton	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,252
1340	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	8001 S Broadway	Littleton	Retail	M-F 6:30am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,448

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 2

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
ARCHULETA						
1675	Sherwin-Williams	2163 Eagle Dr	Pagosa Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	429
1571	Terrys Ace	525 Navajo Trail Dr	Pagosa Springs	Retail	M-F 7:30am - 6pm, Sa 8am-5pm, Su 9am -4pm	458
BOULDER						
1998	Boulder County Hazardous Materials Management Facility (HHW)	1901 63rd St	Boulder	HHW Facility	W - Sa 8am-4pm	24,486
1538	Diamond Vogel Boulder	3295 Walnut St	Boulder	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	696
2031	Guirys	2404 Pearl St	Boulder	Retail	M-F 8:30am-7pm, Sa 8:30-5:30, Su 11-4	863
1074	Sherwin-Williams	3550 Arapahoe Ave	Boulder	Retail	M-F 6:30am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,734
1342	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	3130 Valmont Rd	Boulder	Retail	M-F 6:30am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	456
1178	Ace Hardware Longmont	1727 N Main St	Longmont	Retail	M-F 7:30am-8pm, Sa 8-7, Su 9-6	416
1537	Diamond Vogel Longmont	300 W Second Ave	Longmont	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	356
1100	Sherwin-Williams	825 Main St	Longmont	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,256
1356	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	1197 Ken Pratt Blvd	Longmont	Retail	M-F 6:30am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	712
1183	Indian Peaks Ace Hardware	74 S Highway 119	Nederland	Retail	M-S 8am-7pm, Su 9am-5pm	140
BROOMFIELD						
1076	Sherwin-Williams	5055 W 120th Ave	Broomfield	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,134
CHAFFEE						
1682	Sherwin-Williams	101 A W Highway 50	Salida	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	335
CLEAR CREEK						
1873	Clear Creek County Transfer Station	1531 Soda Creek Rd	Idaho Springs	Transfer	Tu-Sa 8am-5pm	
CUSTER						
1199	Valley Ace Hardware	One Enterprise Dr	Westcliffe	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-5, Su 10-4	247

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 3

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
DELTA						
1109	Big Johns Ace	200 SW Second St	Cedaredge	Retail	M-F 7:30am-5:30pm, Sa 8-4, Su 9-1	48
1125	Delta Ace Hardware	121 W Gunnison River Dr	Delta	Retail	M-F 7:30am-6:30pm, Sa 8-6, Su 9-4	252
1677	Sherwin-Williams	1410 Valley View Dr	Delta	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	109
DENVER						
1009	Ace Hardware on The Fax	7100 E Colfax Ave	Denver	Retail	M-S 7:30am-7pm, Su 8-6	3,785
1309	Colorado Paint Company	4747 Holly St	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	1,362
1539	Diamond Vogel Denver	4500 E 48th Ave	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	247
1360	Guirys	2121 S Colorado Blvd	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8:30-5:30, Su 11-4	3,017
1362	Guirys	2245 Market St	Denver	Retail	M-F 8:30am-7pm, Sa 8:30-5:30	2,143
1529	Old Western Paint	2001 W Barberry Pl	Denver	Paint Recycler	M-F 7am-5pm	5,450
1298	PPG Paints	657 Osage St	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm. Sa 8-12	119
2005	PPG Paints	1134 W Evans Ave	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	250
1062	Sherwin-Williams	4697 E Evans	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	789
1063	Sherwin-Williams	5315 W 38th Ave	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,363
1085	Sherwin-Williams	543 Santa Fe Dr	Denver	Retail	M-F 6am-5pm, Sa 7-1	916
DOUGLAS						
1078	Sherwin-Williams	175 Plum Creek Pkwy	Castle Rock	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,142
1163	Ace Hardware Highlands Ranch	9579 S University Blvd	Highlands Ranch	Retail	M-S 7am-8pm, Su 8-6	1,227
1069	Sherwin-Williams	7580 Park Meadows Dr	Lone Tree	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,011
1372	Guirys	16534 Keystone Blvd	Parker	Retail	M-F 8:30am-7pm, Sa 8:30-5:30, Su 11-4	2,095
1096	Sherwin-Williams	10155 S Parker Rd	Parker	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,990
1355	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	18403 E Longs Way	Parker	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 7-1	2,779
EAGLE						
1098	Sherwin-Williams	40800 Highway 6	Vail	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,391
1197	Vail Valley Ace Hardware	2111 N Frontage Rd W	Vail	Retail	M-F 7:30am-7pm, Sa 8;30-5, Su 8:30-5	365

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 4

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
EL PASO						
1117	Circle Ace Hardware	1225 N Circle Dr	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 8am-7pm, Sa 8-7, Sun 9am-6pm	393
2098	Colorado City Paint	3141 W Colorado Ave	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 9-3pm	
1542	Diamond Vogel Colorado Springs	5691 N Academy Blvd	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	147
1988	El Paso County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	3255 Akers Dr	Colorado Springs	HHW Facility	M-F 7am -5pm 2nd Sa of month 9am-1pm, Businesses Th 7am - 5pm only	27,369
1297	PPG Paints	275 N Chelton Rd	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	698
1079	Sherwin-Williams	811 N Circle Dr	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 6:30am-6pm, Sa 8-6	742
1080	Sherwin-Williams	5862 Tutt Blvd	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	696
1081	Sherwin-Williams	1724 Dublin Blvd	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	819
1082	Sherwin-Williams	1813 S Nevada Ave	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	891
1083	Sherwin-Williams	1466 W Garden Of The Gods Rd	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	945
1658	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	260 S Academy Blvd	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	442
1659	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	6345 Source Center Point	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	407
1660	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	2939 N Hancock Ave	Colorado Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	745
FREMONT						
1077	Sherwin-Williams	1015 Main St	Canon City	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	797
1090	Sonnys Ace Home Center	3090 E Main St	Canon City	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 8-5	230
GARFIELD						
1108	Ace Hardware of Carbondale	1011 Highway 133	Carbondale	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 8-5	370
1525	Paint Store Inc	2401 Delores Way	Carbondale	Retail	M-F 6:30am-5pm	817
2033	Sherwin-Williams	3228B S Glen Ave	Glenwood Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,133
GRAND						
1151	Fraser Valley Ace Hardware	425 Zerex St	Fraser	Retail	M-F 7:30am-6pm, Sa 8-5, Su 9-1	938
1154	Country Ace Hardware	627 W Agate Ave	Granby	Retail	M-F 8am-5:30pm, Sa 8-5, Su 9-4	1,923
1166	Tri River Ace Hardware	720 Tyler Ave	Kremmling	Retail	M-F 7am-6pm, Sa 8-5	307

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 5

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
GUNNISON						
1294	Darnell True Value Hardware	1000 N Main St	Gunnison	Retail	M-F 7:30am-6pm, Sa 8-5, Su 9-5	180
2071	Fullmers Ace Hardware	820 W Tomichi Ave	Gunnison	Retail	M-F 7:30am-6pm, Sa 8am-5pm and Su 9am -5pm	
1673	Sherwin-Williams	821A N Main St	Gunnison	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	944
JEFFERSON						
1006	Ace Hardware at Westwoods	15530 W 64th Ave	Arvada	Retail	M-F 8am-8pm, Sa 8am-6pm, Su 9am-6pm	247
2019	Sherwin-Williams	7731 Wadsworth Blvd	Arvada	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,318
2085	Sherwin-Williams	15220 W 64th Ave	Arvada	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,013
1339	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	5220 Wadsworth Bypass	Arvada	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,028
1120	Aspen Park Hardware	26572 Barkley Rd	Conifer	Retail	M-F 8am-6pm, Sa 8-5, Su 9-4	1,367
1016	Edgewater Ace Hardware	1719 Sheridan Blvd	Edgewater	Retail	M-S 8am-8pm, Su 8-6	1,029
1087	Sherwin-Williams	1002 Swede Gulch Rd	Evergreen	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,564
1172	Lake Ridge Ace Hardware	2563 Kipling St	Lakewood	Retail	M-F 8am-8pm, Sa 8-8, Su 9-6	1,892
1068	Sherwin-Williams	3224 S Wadsworth Blvd	Lakewood	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,597
1346	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	7105 W Colfax Ave	Lakewood	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	859
LA PLATA						
1516	Colors Inc	166 Bodo Dr	Durango	Retail	M-F 7:30am-5pm, Sa 10-3	662
1133	Kroegers Ace Hardware	8 Town Plaza	Durango	Retail	M-F 7:30am-6:30, Sa 8-6 Sn 9-5	507
1674	Sherwin-Williams	400 S Camino Del Rio	Durango	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,459
1993	Southern Ute Indian Tribe Utilities Div	16360 Highway 172	Ignacio	HHW Facility	M-S 8am-5pm	111
LARIMER						
1144	Clays Ace Hardware	1001 E Harmony Rd	Fort Collins	Retail	M-F 8am-8pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-5	786
1146	Downtown Ace Hardware	215 S College Ave	Fort Collins	Retail	M-S 8am-8pm, Su 9-6	382
1507	Jax Outdoor Gear Ranch and Home	1000 N Highway 287	Fort Collins	Retail	M-F 7:30 am-7:30 pm, Sa 7:30 am- 6 pm, Su 8:30 am-6 pm	245

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 6

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
1535	Diamond Vogel Loveland	3206 N Garfield Ave	Loveland	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	601
1179	Orchards Ace Hardware	269 E 29th St	Loveland	Retail	M-F 8am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 9-6	181
1094	Sherwin-Williams	2033 W Eisenhower Blvd	Loveland	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,492
1664	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	1390 S Cleveland Ave	Loveland	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,428
LAS ANIMAS						
1480	Terra Firma Recycling Fund	201 W Indiana Ave	Trinidad	Recycling	M-F 9am-4pm, Sa 8-12	174
1610	Trinidad Builders Supply	108 W Colorado Ave	Trinidad	Retail	M-F 8am-5pm, Sa 8-2	
LOGAN						
2008	Sherwin-Williams	100 Broadway St	Sterling	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	80
MESA						
1156	Ace Hardware of Clifton	569 32 Rd	Grand Junction	Retail	M-F 8am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 8-5	138
1532	Diamond Vogel Grand Junction	2991 North Ave	Grand Junction	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	188
1091	Sherwin-Williams	845 North Ave	Grand Junction	Retail	M-F 6:30am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,354
2000	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	2801 North Ave	Grand Junction	Retail	M-F 6:30am-7, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	514
MONTEZUMA						
1121	Choice Building Supply and Ace Hardware	525 N Broadway	Cortez	Retail	M-F 7;30am-6pm, Sa 8-5, Su 9-3	124
1273	Slavens True Value Hardware	237 W Main St	Cortez	Retail	M-Sa 7:30am-6:30pm, Su 9-5	194
MONTROSE						
1676	Sherwin-Williams	110 E Main St	Montrose	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,171
MORGAN						
1697	Hometown Auto and Hardware	1315 Edison St	Brush	Retail	M-F 7am-6pm, Sa 7-5	
2009	Sherwin-Williams	810 W Platte Ave	Fort Morgan	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-5	54

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 7

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
PITKIN						
1073	Sherwin-Williams	304 Aspen Airport Business Center	Aspen	Retail	M-F 7am-6pm, Sa 7:30-4	1,187
1994	Pitkin County Resource Recovery (HHW)	32046 Highway 82	Snowmass Village	HHW Facility	W-F 7:30am-4:15pm, Sa 9am-1:45pm (Summer), Sa 9am-11:45am (Winter)	832
PUEBLO						
1564	D and S Paint Center	715 West St	Pueblo	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-3	1,334
1097	Sherwin-Williams	3205 N Elizabeth St	Pueblo	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,450
2012	Southern Colorado and Recyclers	1731 Erie Ave	Pueblo	Paint Recycler	M-F 8am-5pm, Sa 10-2	1,531
RIO BLANCO						
1180	Valley Hardware	401 E Market St	Meeker	Retail	M-F 7:30am-6pm, Sa 8-6	119
RIO GRANDE						
1972	Monte Vista Co op	1901 E Highway 160	Monte Vista	Retail	M-F 7:30am-5:30pm, Sa 7:30-12	93
ROUTT						
1189	Ace Hardware Steamboat Springs	2155 Curve Plaza	Steamboat Springs	Retail	M-F 8am-8pm, Sa 8-5, Su 9-5	923
1990	Sherwin-Williams	385A Anglers Dr	Steamboat Springs	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,623
SAN MIGUEL						
2027	Norwood Ace Hardware	1635 Grand Ave	Norwood	Retail	M-F 8am-6pm, Sa 9-5, Su 10-5	68
1195	Timberline Ace Hardware	200 E Colorado Ave	Telluride	Retail	M-F 8am-6pm, Sa 9-5, Su 10-5	378
SUMMIT						
1089	Sherwin-Williams	745 Ten Mile Rd	Frisco	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	2,946
TELLER						
1113	Foxworth Galbraith Lumber	300 S Chestnut St	Woodland Park	Retail	M-F 7am-6pm, Sa 8-4, Su 9-6	217
1099	Sherwin-Williams	717 Gold Hill Pl	Woodland Park	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	794

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 8

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
WELD						
2117	Weld County South Household Hazardous Waste Facility	5500 Highway 52	Dacono	HHW Facility	F and 1st and 3rd Sa, 9am-4pm	
1536	Diamond Vogel Greeley	3313 35th Ave	Evans	Retail	M-F 7am-5pm, Sa 8-12	454
1666	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	3230 23rd Ave	Evans	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	1,248
1088	Sherwin-Williams	6075 E Firestone Blvd	Firestone	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	772
1101	Sherwin-Williams	2904 W Tenth St	Greeley	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	750
2116	Weld County North Household Hazardous Waste Facility	1311 N 17th Ave	Greeley	HHW Facility	Tu&Sa 8am-5pm	172
1165	Johnstown Ace Hardware	9 S Parish Ave	Johnstown	Retail	M-F 8am-7pm, Sa 8am-5pm, Su 10am-5pm	
1200	Windsor Ace Hardware	1245 Main St	Windsor	Retail	M-F 7am-8pm, Sa 7-6, Su 8-6	485

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 9

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
2. Supplemental Sites, Events and Services						
ADAMS						
2065	(Large Volume Service)		Brighton	LVP		229
2088	(Large Volume Service)		Thornton	LVP		593
2063	(Large Volume Service)		Thornton	LVP		122
2079	Infrastructure Maintenance Center, City of Thornton (Tri County Health HHW Event)	12450 Washington St	Thornton	HHW Event	Sa Sep 19 9am-3pm	4,085
ARAPAHOE						
2013	Aurora Parks Operations (City of Aurora HHW Event)	13645 E Ellsworth Ave	Aurora	HHW Event	Sep 12 9am to 4pm	5,127
2048	(Large Volume Service)		Aurora	LVP		287
2144	Highlands 460 Civic Association Latex Paint Collection Event at Arapahoe Park	7800 S Adams St	Centennial	Paint Event	Jul 18 11am to 2pm	708
2067	(Large Volume Service)		Centennial	LVP		587
2076	Englewood Service Center (HHW Event)	2800 S Platte River Dr	Englewood	HHW Event	Sep 12 & 19 8am to 2pm	309
2121	(Large Volume Service)		Englewood	LVP		188
2103	(Large Volume Service)		Littleton	LVP		260
2143	Homeowners Association of Canterbury Latex Paint Collection Event	10558 W Vista View Dr	Littleton	Paint Event	Sa Sep 19 8am-12pm	288
2145	Littleton High School Latex Paint Collection Event	199 E Littleton Blvd	Littleton	Paint Event	Sa Oct 24 10am-2pm	408
BOULDER						
2154	Allenspark (Boulder County HHW Event)	14875 Highway 7	Allenspark	HHW Event	Aug 15 from 9am-1pm	157
2041	(Large Volume Service)		Erie	LVP		492

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 10

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
2080	Public Works Center (Boulder County HHW Event)	375 Airport Rd	Longmont	HHW Event	Sa Sep 12 9am-1pm	1,534
BROOMFIELD						
2083	Public Works Center (Boulder County HHW Event)	3001 W 124th Ave	Broomfield	HHW Event	Sa Oct 3 9am-1pm	515
CLEAR CREEK						
2082	Clear Creek County Transfer Station (HHW Event)	1531 Soda Creek Rd	Idaho Springs	HHW Event	Sep 19 8 am-3 pm	404
DENVER						
2146	Denver Clean Sweep Latex Paint Collection Event	2540 Holly St	Denver	Paint Event	Oct 17 9am to 1pm	675
2110	(Large Volume Service)		Denver	LVP		428
2162	Denver South High School Latex Paint Collection Event	1700 E. Louisiana Ave	Denver	Paint Event	Aug 1 from 10am to 2pm	279
2100	(Large Volume Service)		Denver	LVP		887
1064	Sherwin-Williams	5240 E Colfax Ave	Denver	Retail	M-F 7am-7pm, Sa 8-6, Su 10-6	393
1341	Sherwin-Williams (Kwal Paint)	1441 W Bayaud	Denver	Retail	M-F 6am-5pm, Sa 8-1	444
2104	(Large Volume Service)		Denver	LVP		281
DOUGLAS						
2077	Castle Rock Water (Tri County Health HHW Event)	175 Kellogg Court	Castle Rock	HHW Event	Sep 12 9am-3pm	9,164
2078	Shea Stadium (Tri County Health Highlands Ranch HHW Event)	3270 Redstone Park Cir	Highlands Ranch	HHW Event	Aug 15 9am-3pm	4,302
EAGLE						
2112	(Large Volume Service)		Eagle	LVP		593
EL PASO						
2092	(Large Volume Service)		Colorado Springs	LVP		466

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 11

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
2118	Amtel Corporation (El Paso County HHW Event)	1150 E Cheyenne Mountain Blvd	Colorado Springs	HHW Event	Oct 14 10am-2pm	137
2122	Citizens Service Center (El Paso County HHW Event)	1675 Garden of the Gods Rd	Colorado Springs	HHW Event	Oct 3 10am-2pm	1,300
2047	(Large Volume Service)		Colorado Springs	LVP		247
2052	(Large Volume Service)		Colorado Springs	LVP		352
2046	(Large Volume Service)		Colorado Springs	LVP		165
FREMONT						
2050	(Large Volume Service)		Canon CIty	LVP		
GARFIELD						
2090	City of Carbondale Town Hall (HHW Event)	511 Colorado Ave	Carbondale	HHW Event	Oct 3 8am-3pm	458
2087	Garfield County Landfill (HHW Event)	0075 County Rd 246	Rifle	HHW Event	Sep 26 9am-3pm	768
GUNNISON						
2086	Gunnison City Shop (City & County HHW Event)	1100 Virginia Ave	Gunnison	HHW Event	Set 26 9am-3pm	985
JEFFERSON						
2111	Rooney Road Recycling Center (Jefferson County HHW)	151 S Rooney Rd	Golden	HHW Facility	W-Sa, 8am-2pm	1,648
1171	(Large Volume Service)		Lakewood	LVP		1,084
LARIMER						
2049	(Large Volume Service)		Berthoud	LVP		726
1838	Larimer County Solid Waste Public Works	5887 S Taft Hill Rd	Fort Collins	HHW Facility	Tu,Th,F,Sa, 8am-4:30pm	25,907
2099	(Large Volume Service)		Fort Collins	LVP		384
2130	Streets Department (City of Fort Collins HHW Event)	625 Ninth St	Fort Collins	HHW Event	Sep 12 9am-3pm	2,105
2093	(Large Volume Service)		Golden	LVP		563

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 12

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
2040	(Large Volume Service)		Lakewood	LVP		860
2066	(Large Volume Service)		LaPorte	LVP		270
2101	(Large Volume Service)		Wellington	LVP		259
2061	(Large Volume Service)		Westminster	LVP		282
MESA						
1152	(Large Volume Service)		Fruita	LVP		149
PITKIN						
2073	(Large Volume Service)		Aspen	LVP		224
2062	(Large Volume Service)		Aspen	LVP		127
2095	(Large Volume Service)		Lakewood	LVP		532
2094	(Large Volume Service)		Snowmass Village	LVP		248
ROUTT						
2147	Meadows Parking Lot (Routt County HHW Event)	Mt Werner Rd	Steamboat Springs	HHW Event	Oct 10 9am to 12pm	296
SUMMIT						
2075	(Large Volume Service)		Breckenridge	LVP		272

2015 Colorado PaintCare Drop-Off Sites by County - Page 13

Site ID	Site Name	Address	City	Type	Hours	Gallons in 2015
3. Door-to-Door Programs						
ADAMS						
2159	City of Westminster Door to Door		Westminster	D2D		976
ARAPAHOE						
2155	City of Aurora Door to Door		Aurora	D2D		678
2161	Southeast Metro Stormwater Authority Door to Door		Centennial	D2D		1,927
2156	Cherry Hills Village Door to Door		Cherry Hills Village	D2D		23
2160	City of Greenwood Village Door to Door		Greenwood Village	D2D		1,341
DENVER						
2157	City and County of Denver Door to Door		Denver	D2D		2,891
DOUGLAS						
2158	City of Lone Tree Door to Door		Lone Tree	D2D		183
JEFFERSON						
2163	Jefferson County Door to Door		Golden	D2D		
TOTAL						**292,086**

NOTES::
1. Sites with no value for "gallons in 2015" either are in areas with very low participation or started later in the year and had not requested a pickup before December 31.
2. Larimer County has been in ongoing negotiations with PaintCare and will be paid retroactively, so we have included the site in this list.

TYPES:
HHW Facility: Household Hazardous Waste Facility
HHW Event: Household Hazardous Waste Event
LVP: Large Volume Pick-Up
LVU: Large Volume User
D2D: Door to Door Program

Appendix B

PaintCare Inc.

Financial Statements
and Independent Auditors' Report

Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

PaintCare Inc.

Financial Statements
Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

Contents

Independent Auditors' Report..... 1-2

Financial Statements

Statement of Financial Position 3
Statement of Activities..... 4
Statement of Cash Flows 5
Notes to Financial Statements..... 6-12

Supplementary Information

Schedule of Activities, Organized by Program..... 13

ROGERS & COMPANY

Rogers & Company PLLC
Certified Public Accountants

8300 Boone Boulevard
Suite 600
Vienna, Virginia 22182

703.893.0300 voice
703.893.4070 facsimile
www.rogerspllc.com

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors
PaintCare Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of PaintCare Inc. ("PaintCare"), which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2015, the related statements of activities and cash flows for the twelve month period then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

ROGERS & COMPANY

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of PaintCare as of December 31, 2015, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the twelve month period then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matter

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information included on page 13 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Rogers + Company PLLC

Vienna, Virginia
March 28, 2016

PaintCare Inc.

Statement of Financial Position
December 31, 2015

Assets	
Current assets:	
Cash	$ 7,967,434
Accounts receivable, net	6,041,921
Investments	31,242,792
Prepaid expenses	115,823
Total current assets	45,367,970
Property and equipment, net	458,146
Total assets	$ 45,826,116
Liabilities and Net Assets	
Liabilities	
Current liabilities:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	$ 7,820,135
Due to affiliate	459,309
Total liabilities	8,279,444
Net Assets	
Unrestricted	37,546,672
Total net assets	37,546,672
Total liabilities and net assets	$ 45,826,116

See accompanying notes.

PaintCare Inc.

Statement of Activities
For the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

Operating Revenue and Support	
Paint recovery fees	$ 54,004,806
Other income	131,009
Total operating revenue and support	54,135,815
Expenses	
Program and delivery services:	
Oregon	5,462,476
California	27,997,232
Connecticut	2,722,052
Rhode Island	665,331
Minnesota	5,473,404
Vermont	905,842
Maine	523,280
Colorado	2,281,264
District of Columbia	42,815
Total program and delivery services	46,073,696
General and administrative	3,698,564
Total expenses	49,772,260
Change in Net Assets from Operations	4,363,555
Non-Operating Activities	
Interest and dividend income	688,130
Net realized and unrealized loss on investments	(239,843)
Change in Net Assets	4,811,842
Net Assets, beginning of period	32,734,830
Net Assets, end of period	$ 37,546,672

See accompanying notes.

PaintCare Inc.

Statement of Cash Flows
For the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

Cash Flows from Operating Activities	
Change in net assets	$ 4,811,842
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation and amortization	70,082
Net realized and unrealized loss on investments	239,843
Change in allowance for doubtful accounts receivable	15,052
Change in operating assets and liabilities:	
Increase in:	
Accounts receivable	(1,691,170)
Prepaid expenses	(52,583)
Increase (decrease) in:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,855,032
Due to affiliate	(183,731)
Net cash provided by operating activities	6,064,367
Cash Flows from Investing Activities	
Purchases of investments	(14,019,961)
Proceeds from sale of investments	9,445,206
Purchases of property and equipment	(226,147)
Net cash used in investing activities	(4,800,902)
Net Increase in Cash	1,263,465
Cash, beginning of period	6,703,969
Cash, end of period	$ 7,967,434

See accompanying notes.

PaintCare Inc.

Notes to Financial Statements
December 31, 2015

1. Nature of Operations

PaintCare Inc. ("PaintCare"), a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization, was created in October 2009 by the American Coatings Association (ACA), who, working with state and local government stakeholders, passed the first ever paint product stewardship law in the United States in the state of Oregon in 2009 with implementation of the Oregon Program beginning July 1, 2010. Similar legislation has subsequently been passed in other jurisdictions. The legislation pilots an industry-led, end-of-life management program for post-consumer paint, which PaintCare operates. The PaintCare Board is made up of architectural paint manufacturers and participation in PaintCare is not limited to ACA members, but open to all architectural paint manufacturers. There are no dues or registration fees associated with PaintCare. During 2015, PaintCare organized single-member limited liability companies (LLC) for the Oregon, Connecticut, and Rhode Island programs in an effort to shield the assets of each state program from liability stemming from acts and obligations of other PaintCare state programs.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting and Presentation

PaintCare's financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Unrestricted net assets represent funds that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations and are available for support of PaintCare's operations. At December 31, 2015, all net assets were unrestricted.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are recorded at net realizable value and represent amounts due from post-consumer paint recovery fees. PaintCare provides an allowance for bad debts using the allowance method, which is based on management's judgment considering historical information. Accounts are individually analyzed for collectability, and will be reserved based on individual evaluation and specific circumstances. When all collection efforts have been exhausted, the accounts are written off against the related allowance. At December 31, 2015, an allowance of $71,704 was recognized.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Investments

Investments are stated at fair value, based on quoted market prices. All realized and unrealized gains and losses are included in the accompanying statement of activities.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment with a projected useful life ranging from three to ten years and in excess of $1,000 are capitalized and recorded at cost. Depreciation and amortization are computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the individual assets, ranging from three to ten years.

Revenue Recognition

PaintCare recognizes revenue from post-consumer paint recovery fees at the time architectural paint product is sold by a manufacturer participant of the paint product stewardship program. Manufacturer participants in the program pay the PaintCare recovery fee to PaintCare based on the amount of program products they sell on a monthly basis.

Program participants report their monthly unit sales of paint through a secure, HTTPS online system using their unique user ID and password. The participant must pay a paint recovery fee per unit sold, based on container size, according to the established fee schedule for each state program. As the PaintCare recovery fee is added to the wholesale price of paint and passed through uniformly to the retail purchase price of paint—so that the manufacturer, distributor, and/or retailer is made whole—in some cases, distributors or retailers have elected to undertake the obligation of the manufacturer for these fees. Thus, PaintCare has allowed remitter agreements in the program, whereby a distributor or retailer reports and remits directly to PaintCare on behalf of a participant manufacturer's brand or brands. Reports and payments are due by the end of the month following the reporting period.

Revenue from all other sources is recognized when earned.

Communications Costs

PaintCare holds communication-related contracts for advertising, marketing, and consumer awareness. Communications costs are charged to operations when incurred. Communications expenses totaled $7,110,618 for the twelve month period ended December 31, 2015.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Functional Allocation of Expenses

The costs of providing the various program and supporting activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the accompanying financial statements. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited. Programs are categorized by the states where services are conducted.

Subsequent Events

In preparing these financial statements, PaintCare has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through March 28, 2016, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject PaintCare to significant concentrations of credit risk consist of cash and investments. PaintCare maintains cash deposit and transaction accounts, along with investments, with various financial institutions and these values, from time to time, may exceed insurable limits under the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation (FDIC) and Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC). PaintCare has not experienced any credit losses on its cash and investments to date as it relates to FDIC and SIPC insurance limits. Management periodically assesses the financial condition of these financial institutions and believes that the risk of any credit loss is minimal.

4. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable were due as follows at December 31, 2015:

California	$	3,839,374
Colorado		644,918
Minnesota		572,021
Oregon		395,233
Connecticut		390,695
Maine		108,998
Rhode Island		83,960
Vermont		78,426
Total accounts receivable		6,113,625
Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		(71,704)
Accounts receivable, net	$	6,041,921

5. Investments and Fair Value Measurements

Investment income consisted of the following for the twelve month period ended December 31, 2015:

Interest and dividend income	$	688,130
Net realized and unrealized loss		(239,843)
Total investment income	$	448,287

PaintCare invests a portion of its accumulated surplus in a portfolio with Bank of America/Merrill Lynch. The sole objective of the portfolio is to earn a return equal to the rate of inflation and thus preserve the purchasing power of its capital. Interest, dividends, changes in market value, and other investment activities are allocated to each state program based on the relative net asset balances of each state program. Oversight of the investments is provided by the PaintCare Budget and Finance Committee and by the PaintCare Board of Directors.

PaintCare follows Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures,* for its financial assets. This standard establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. Fair value measurement standards require an entity to maximize the use of observable inputs (such as quoted prices in active markets) and minimize the use of unobservable inputs (such as appraisals or other valuation techniques) to determine fair value. The categorization of a financial instrument within the hierarchy is based upon the pricing transparency of the instrument and does not necessarily correspond to the entity's perceived risk of that instrument.

The inputs used in measuring fair value are categorized into three levels. Level 1 inputs consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities and have the highest priority. Level 2 is based upon observable inputs other than quoted market prices, and Level 3 is based on unobservable inputs. Transfers between levels in the fair value hierarchy are recognized at the end of the reporting period.

In general, and where applicable, PaintCare uses quoted prices in active markets for identical assets to determine fair value. This pricing methodology applies to Level 1 investments. Level 2 inputs include government securities, which are valued based on quoted prices in less active markets.

5. Investments and Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The following table presents PaintCare's fair value hierarchy for those assets measured on a recurring basis as of December 31, 2015:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments:				
Equities:				
Energy	$ 356,078	$ -	$ -	$ 356,078
Materials	312,522	-	-	312,522
Industrials	811,023	-	-	811,023
Consumer discretionary	1,299,421	-	-	1,299,421
Consumer staples	1,825,194	-	-	1,825,194
Health care	1,765,831	-	-	1,765,831
Financials	1,177,625	-	-	1,177,625
Information technology	1,272,481	-	-	1,272,481
Telecommunication service	425,124	-	-	425,124
Utilities	42,640	-	-	42,640
Mutual funds:				
Exchanged traded funds	2,818,246	-	-	2,818,246
Mid/small U.S. equity	483,998	-	-	483,998
Fixed income	5,546,814	-	-	5,546,814
Corporate bonds	4,774,128	-	-	4,774,128
Cash equivalents	801,357	-	-	801,357
Government securities:				
U.S. Treasury	-	4,583,834	-	4,583,834
U.S. Agency	-	2,946,476	-	2,946,476
Total investments	$ 23,712,482	$ 7,530,310	$ -	$ 31,242,792

6. Property and Equipment

PaintCare held the following property and equipment at December 31, 2015:

Software	$	455,605
Computer equipment		69,859
Furniture		22,008
Total property and equipment		547,472
Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization		(89,326)
Property and equipment, net	$	458,146

7. Related Party

ACA, a related party, is a separate, 501(c)(6) nonprofit organization working to advance the needs of the paint and coatings industry and the professionals who work in it. Through advocacy of the industry and its positions on legislative, regulatory, and judicial issues at the federal, state, and local levels, it acts as an effective ally, ensuring that the industry is represented and fairly considered. ACA also devotes itself to advancing industry efforts with regard to product stewardship, through its signature Coating Care® resources, and focuses on advancements in science and technology through its technical conferences and journals, as well as online training opportunities. ACA incorporated PaintCare for the sole purpose of implementing programs for post-consumer architectural paint. ACA maintains a controlling interest in PaintCare through the ability to appoint its Board of Directors.

In February 2011, ACA and PaintCare entered into an affiliation agreement whereby ACA provides staffing, an office, office equipment and furniture, supplies, and other administrative support services. The term of the agreement is for one year and automatically renews for one-year terms unless canceled by either party.

For the twelve month period ended December 31, 2015, the total administrative fees charged by ACA to PaintCare were $1,382,782. At December 31, 2015, PaintCare owed ACA $459,309, which is recorded as due to affiliate in the accompanying statement of financial position.

8. Income Taxes

PaintCare is recognized as a tax-exempt organization under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3), and is exempt from income taxes except for taxes on unrelated business activities. No tax expense is recorded in the accompanying financial statements for PaintCare, as there was no unrelated business taxable income. Contributions to PaintCare are deductible as provided in IRC Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Management evaluated PaintCare's tax positions, and concluded that PaintCare's financial statements do not include any uncertain tax positions.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

PaintCare Inc.

Schedule of Activities, Organized by Program
For the Twelve Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

	Oregon	California	Connecticut	Rhode Island	Minnesota	Vermont	Maine	Colorado	District of Columbia	General and Administrative	Total
Operating Revenue and Support											
Paint recovery fees	$ 4,576,652	$ 35,148,676	$ 3,748,037	$ 844,000	$ 5,274,854	$ 688,519	$ 247,970	$ 3,476,098	$ -	$ -	$ 54,004,806
Other income	131,009	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	131,009
Total operating revenue and support	4,707,661	35,148,676	3,748,037	844,000	5,274,854	688,519	247,970	3,476,098	-	-	54,135,815
Expenses											
Program and delivery services:											
Collection support	27,886	2,639,467	390,791	101,749	402,607	108,228	100,569	338,548	41	-	4,109,886
Transportation and processing	4,554,974	18,769,065	1,761,159	418,359	3,912,646	626,549	240,833	1,515,501	-	-	31,799,086
Communications	614,258	4,825,188	421,142	108,761	796,462	68,464	61,765	212,845	1,733	-	7,110,618
Legal fees	4,441	211,136	10,958	3,140	30,155	5,250	11,703	17,129	8,440	-	302,352
State agency administrative fees	40,000	507,856	20,000	-	160,165	30,000	2,070	-	-	-	760,091
Other program expenses	220,917	1,044,520	118,002	33,322	171,369	67,351	106,340	197,241	32,601	-	1,991,663
Total program and delivery services	5,462,476	27,997,232	2,722,052	665,331	5,473,404	905,842	523,280	2,281,264	42,815	-	46,073,696
General and administrative:											
Legal fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93,952	93,952
Management fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,382,782	1,382,782
Insurance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	174,862	174,862
Other expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,046,968	2,046,968
Total general and administrative	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,698,564	3,698,564
Total expenses	5,462,476	27,997,232	2,722,052	665,331	5,473,404	905,842	523,280	2,281,264	42,815	3,698,564	49,772,260
Change in Net Assets from Operations	(754,815)	7,151,444	1,025,985	178,669	(198,550)	(217,323)	(275,310)	1,194,834	(42,815)	(3,698,564)	4,363,555
Non-Operating Activities											
Investment income	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	448,287	448,287
Change in Net Assets Before Allocation of General and Administrative Activities	(754,815)	7,151,444	1,025,985	178,669	(198,550)	(217,323)	(275,310)	1,194,834	(42,815)	(3,250,277)	4,811,842
General and administrative allocation	(234,776)	(2,283,086)	(219,036)	(64,522)	(325,042)	(38,350)	(81,405)	(308,211)	(30,761)	3,585,189	-
Investment allocation	8,522	292,993	16,474	2,594	2,021	(2,699)	(1,930)	17,274	(337)	(334,912)	-
Total Change in Net Assets	(981,069)	5,161,351	823,423	116,741	(521,571)	(258,372)	(358,645)	903,897	(73,913)	-	4,811,842
Net Assets (Deficit), beginning of period	985,744	31,761,906	1,275,430	140,276	(756,361)	(390,415)	(105,277)	(176,473)	-	-	32,734,830
Net Assets (Deficit), end of period	$ 4,675	$ 36,923,257	$ 2,098,853	$ 257,017	$ (1,277,932)	$ (648,787)	$ (463,922)	$ 727,424	$ (73,913)	$ -	$ 37,546,672

Appendix C

Brochure

Minicard

In Store Poster

Print Materials Order Form

Fact Sheets

Joint Outreach Form

Colorado Paint Stewardship Program

Each year about 650 million gallons of architectural paint is sold in the United States. Did you know that about 10 percent goes unused and is available for recycling?

Colorado's Paint Stewardship Law requires the paint manufacturing industry to develop a financially sustainable and environmentally responsible program to manage postconsumer architectural paint.

The program includes education about buying the right amount of paint, tips for using up remaining paint and setting up convenient recycling locations throughout the state.

Paint manufacturers established PaintCare, a nonprofit organization, to run paint stewardship programs in states with applicable laws.

PaintCare Products

These products have fees when you buy them and are accepted for free at drop-off sites:

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

Leaking, unlabeled and empty containers are not accepted at drop-off sites.

Non-PaintCare Products

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulk, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

For information about recycling and proper disposal of non-PaintCare products, please contact your garbage hauler, local environmental health agency, household hazardous waste program or public works department.

paintcare®

Recycle with PaintCare

COLORADO

Places to Take Old Paint

Paint recycling is more convenient with PaintCare. We set up paint drop-off sites throughout Colorado. To find your nearest drop-off site, use PaintCare's search tool at www.paintcare.org or call our hotline at (855) 724-6809.

How to Recycle

PaintCare sites accept all brands of old house paint, stain and varnish – even if they are 20 years old! Containers must be five gallons or smaller, and a few types of paint are not accepted. See back panel for a list of what you can recycle.

All PaintCare drop-off sites accept up to five gallons of paint per visit. Some sites accept more. Please call the site in advance to make sure they can accept the amount of paint you would like to recycle.

Make sure all containers of paint have lids and original labels, and load them securely in your vehicle. Take them to a drop-off site during their regular business hours. We'll take it from there.

What Happens to the Paint?

PaintCare will make sure that your leftover paint is remixed into recycled paint, used as a fuel, made into other products or properly disposed.

Who Can Use the Program?

People bringing paint from their homes can bring as much latex or oil-based paint as the site is willing to accept.

Businesses (painting contractors and others) can use this program with one restriction: If your business produces more than 220 pounds (about 20-30 gallons) of hazardous waste per month, you may use the drop-off sites for your latex paint only but not for your oil-based paint. Contact PaintCare to learn more about this restriction.

Large Volume Pick-Up

If you have at least 300 gallons of paint to recycle at your business or home, ask about our free pick-up service. Please call for more details or to request an appointment.

PaintCare Fee

PaintCare is funded by a fee paid by paint manufacturers for each can of paint they sell in the state. Manufacturers pass the fee to retailers, who then apply it to the price of paint. Stores can choose whether or not to show the fee on their receipts. Fees are based on the size of the container as follows:

$ 0.00	Half pint or smaller
$ 0.35	Larger than half pint to smaller than 1 gallon
$ 0.75	1 Gallon
$ 1.60	Larger than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons

Not a Deposit

The fee is not a deposit – it is part of the purchase price. The fees are used to pay the costs of running the program: recycling, public education, staffing and other expenses.

Contact Us

To learn more or find a drop-off site, please visit www.paintcare.org or call (855) 724-6809.

paintcare®

It's easy to recycle your leftover paint, stain and varnish.

Recycle with PaintCare

Find a drop-off site near you:
(855) 724-6809 • www.paintcare.org

Buy right.
Use it up.
Recycle the rest.

Manufacturers of paint created PaintCare, a nonprofit organization, to set up convenient places for you to recycle leftover paint. We're working to provide environmentally sound and cost-effective recycling programs in your state and others with paint stewardship laws.

LEARN MORE

Visit **www.paintcare.org** or follow us on Facebook for tips on how to buy the right amount of paint, store paint properly, use up leftover paint, and find a drop-off site. We also have a free pick-up service for businesses or households with at least 300 gallons of paint to recycle.

COLORADO START DATE
JULY 1, 2015

Paint Recycling Program

About the PaintCare Program

PAINTCARE

Paint manufacturers created PaintCare, a non-profit organization to set up convenient places for you to recycle leftover paint. We are setting up drop-off sites throughout Colorado and other states that adopt paint stewardship laws.

PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

These products have fees when purchased and will be accepted for free at PaintCare drop-off sites:

- Latex paints (acrylic, water-based)
- Oil-based paints (alkyd)
- Stains
- Primers and undercoaters
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes
- Deck and floor paints
- Sealers and waterproofing coatings for wood, concrete and masonry

NON-PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Paint thinners and solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Tar, asphalt, and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Coatings used for Original Equipment Manufacturing or shop application
- Any non-coatings (caulk, spackle, cleaners, etc.)

FEES

The "PaintCare Recovery Fee" is applied to the purchase price of architectural paint sold in the state as required by state law. Fees are based on container size as follows:

Half pint or less	$ 0.00
More than half pint to less than 1 gallon	$ 0.35
1 gallon	$ 0.75
More than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons	$ 1.60

For more information or to find a place to take your unwanted paint for recycling, please ask for the PaintCare brochure, visit www.paintcare.org or call (855) 724-6809.

Recycle with PaintCare

PRINT MATERIALS ORDER FORM

For free PaintCare brochures, factsheets, posters and other items

COLORADO

Please complete this form and send to PaintCare. Indicate the quantities you would like below.

Store Name	
Street Address	
City/State/Zip	

Contact Person	
Phone	
Email	

PROGRAM BROCHURE

General information about the PaintCare Program

Quantity

	English
	Spanish

PROGRAM POSTER

General PaintCare information on 1 page (8.5 x 11)

Quantity

	English

MINI-CARD

Quick reference to help customers find drop-off sites

Quantity

	English
	Spanish

PAINTING CONTRACTOR FACT SHEET

General information for painting contractors

Quantity

	English
	Spanish
	Korean

BROCHURE HOLDER

Keep the brochures neat and in one place.
Would you like a brochure holder for the counter?

☐ Yes

☐ No

LARGE VOLUME PICK-UP FACT SHEET

How to request a pickup for 300 gallons or more

Quantity

	English
	Spanish

SEND COMPLETED FORM TO:

Email: retail@paintcare.org
Fax: (855) 385-2020

Mail: PaintCare, 1500 Rhode Island Ave. NW, Washington DC 20005
Phone: (855) 724-6809

Paint Stewardship Programs in the U.S.

About PaintCare Fees

Laws in PaintCare States* require retailers to add a stewardship assessment to architectural paint products and make sure they are not selling unregistered brands of architectural paint.

Paint Stewardship Programs

PaintCare Inc. is a non-profit organization established by American Coatings Association to implement paint stewardship programs on behalf of paint manufacturers in states that pass paint stewardship laws. The main goals of the program are to decrease paint waste and recycle more postconsumer paint by setting up convenient drop-off sites in each state.

1. What is the Recovery Fee and how does it work?

The PaintCare program is funded through a paint stewardship assessment called the *PaintCare Fee* – fees are applied to the purchase price of architectural paint. The fees fund collection, transportation, and processing of unused postconsumer paint, public education about proper paint management, and administrative costs. The fee is paid to PaintCare by paint manufacturers. This fee is then added to the wholesale and retail purchase price of paint, passing the cost of managing postconsumer paint to everyone who purchases paint. This reduces municipal and state government costs for paint management and provides a funding source for a more convenient, statewide paint management program.

2. Do retailers have to pass on the fee?

Yes, each state's law requires retailers to pass on the fee to consumers, ensuring a level playing field for all parties.

What are the fees?

Fees are currently the same in all PaintCare States. Fees are based on container size as follows:

$ 0.00 – Half pint or smaller
$ 0.35 – Larger than half pint to smaller than 1 gallon
$ 0.75 – 1 Gallon
$ 1.60 – Larger than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons

3. How are fees calculated?

Fees are set to cover the cost of a fully implemented program. Working with paint manufacturers, PaintCare estimates annual sales of architectural paint in each state and then divides the cost of the total program in that state by the number of containers sold in that state. Next, the fees are adjusted based on container size by taking into consideration the typical percentage of unused paint for each size (e.g., the percentage of unused paint from one 5-gallon container is typically less than from five 1-gallon containers).

PaintCare is a non-profit organization, so the fees may be decreased if set at a level beyond what is needed to cover program expenses. Likewise, the fees may be increased if PaintCare does not collect enough money to cover the costs to operate the state program.

4. Are retailers required to show the fee on the receipt?

No, but PaintCare encourages retailers to do so and to display it as *PaintCare Fee* to aid in consumer education. Most stores in PaintCare states choose to show the fee on their receipts in order to inform the consumer about the PaintCare program and to explain the price increase.

5. Do retailers return the fee if someone returns a product?

Yes. The fee should be returned as part of the purchase price.

** As of October 2015, PaintCare has programs in California, Colorado, Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Vermont. PaintCare is also planning a program for the District of Columbia (September 2016).*

6. Is the fee taxable?

Yes, the fee is part of the purchase price of paint. Sales tax is collected on the fee, except in a state that does not have a sales tax, such as Oregon.

7. Is the fee to be applied to paint sold to customers who are exempt from sales taxes?

Yes, government agencies and other organizations that are exempt from sales taxes in PaintCare states (except for Oregon which has no sales tax) must still pay the fee, because it is part of the price of paint.

8. Is the fee a deposit that is returned to customers when they bring paint to a drop-off site?

No, the fee is not a deposit. The fees are used entirely to cover the cost of running the program.

9. Do retailers add the fee on sales starting on the first day of the program (i.e., on inventory purchased before the first day) even though they did not pay fees on inventory to the distributor or manufacturer?

[For new programs] Yes, in order to provide for a hard start date, retailers must add the fee on all inventory sold on or after the start date of the program. Fees collected on existing inventory stay with the retailer; they are not paid back to the distributor or manufacturer.

10. How does the public know about the fee?

PaintCare provides public education materials to retailers. These materials explain the purpose of the fee, where to take paint for recycling, and other information about the program. When a new state program begins, PaintCare mails a "starter pack" of materials to retailers. As needed, retailers may order additional free materials from PaintCare. In addition to retailer information, PaintCare works with contractor associations to get information to trade painters, and conducts general outreach including newspaper, radio, television, and on-line advertising.

11. How do we as a retailer know what products to put the fee on?

Your supplier's invoice should indicate that you are being charged the fee, so you simply pass on the fee for those items. Additionally, PaintCare and each state's oversight agency list all architectural paint manufacturers and brands that are registered for the program on their websites. Retailers may not sell brands that are not registered with the program. If your store sells architectural coatings that are not on the list of registered products, please notify PaintCare so we can contact the manufacturer to get them registered.

12. What Products Are Covered?

The products accepted at PaintCare drop-off sites are the same products that have a fee when they are sold. PaintCare Products include interior and exterior architectural coatings sold in containers of 5 gallons or less. However, they do not include aerosol products (spray cans), industrial maintenance (IM), original equipment manufacturer (OEM), or specialty coatings.

PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

NON-PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar, and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

Colorado Paint Stewardship Program

Become a Retail Drop-Off Site for Paint

PaintCare makes it easy for paint retailers to provide a convenient and valuable service for their community.

A state law passed in 2014 requires paint manufacturers to set up and operate a paint stewardship program in Colorado. The new law requires paint retailers to add a stewardship assessment (fee) to architectural paint products and to make sure they are not selling unregistered brands of architectural paint. Retailers may also volunteer to be paint drop-off sites. Retailers that would like to learn more about what it takes to join the program to be drop-off sites are encouraged to contact PaintCare for details.

Paint Stewardship Program in Colorado

PaintCare Inc. is a non-profit organization established by the American Coatings Association to implement this program on behalf of paint manufacturers in PaintCare States (those that adopt paint stewardship laws). PaintCare operates programs in California, Colorado, Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Vermont. PaintCare is also planning a program for the District of Columbia in January 2016.

Convenient Paint Recycling

PaintCare's primary effort is to establish paint drop-off sites throughout each PaintCare state to provide convenient recycling options for the public. The program allows households and businesses to return unused architectural paint to drop-off locations throughout each PaintCare state.

PaintCare has established more than 1,500 paint drop-off sites in eight states. Most drop-off sites are at paint stores. Other sites include solid waste transfer stations and government-sponsored household hazardous waste programs. Participation as a drop-off site is voluntary.

Stores that would like to become a drop-off site can fill out the Interest Form available in the Retailers Section of www.paintcare.org/CO.

Benefits to Retailers

There are many benefits to becoming a drop-off site.

As a participating retailer, you will:

- Make recycling of leftover paint more convenient for your customers
- Support the paint industry's effort to lead the way in being responsible for end-of-life management of its own products
- Promote your store as environmentally responsible
- Increase customer foot traffic and sales
- Help relieve local government of their cost of managing leftover paint
- Help prevent the improper disposal of paint in your community

PaintCare Provides

- Listing of your store as a drop-off site on our website, and in advertisements and promotional materials
- Paint storage bins
- Transportation and recycling services for the collected paint
- Training materials and staff training at your site
- Program brochures, signage and customer education materials
- Spill kits

Drop-Off Site Responsibilities

- Provide secure storage area for paint storage bins
- Accept all brands of leftover program products from the public during operating hours
- Place unopened program products in storage bins
- Keep storage bins neat and properly packed
- Complete minimal paperwork related to tracking outgoing paint shipments
- Ensure staff are trained in PaintCare program guidelines and operating procedures
- Display “drop-off site” signs in store window and display consumer education materials

WHAT PRODUCTS ARE COVERED?

The products accepted at PaintCare drop-off sites are the same products that have a fee when they are sold. PaintCare products include interior and exterior architectural coatings sold in containers of 5 gallons or less. However, they do not include aerosol products (spray cans), industrial maintenance (IM), original equipment manufacturer (OEM), or specialty coatings.

PaintCare Products

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

Non-PaintCare Products

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

MORE INFORMATION
(855) 724-6809 or (855) PAINT09
www.paintcare.org or info@paintcare.org

PAINTCARE INC.
1500 RHODE ISLAND AVENUE NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20005

Colorado Paint Stewardship Program

Information for Painting Contractors

Colorado's paint stewardship law affects painting contractors.

A Colorado law passed in 2014 requires manufacturers of paint to set up and operate a paint stewardship program in Colorado. The program is funded by a fee on architectural paint sold in the state. The program sets up drop-off sites at retailers and other locations where households and businesses are able to take most leftover paint, free of charge. The program started July 1, 2015.

Paint Stewardship

The American Coatings Association (ACA) worked with various stakeholders interested in the management of postconsumer paint to develop a Paint Stewardship Program in the United States. PaintCare Inc. is a non-profit organization established by ACA to implement the program on behalf of paint manufacturers in states that adopt paint stewardship laws. "PaintCare States" include California, Colorado, Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Vermont. PaintCare is planning a program for the District of Columbia.

The main goals of the program are to decrease paint waste and recycle more postconsumer paint by setting up convenient drop-off sites in each PaintCare state.

Fees and Funding

As required by state law, a paint stewardship assessment ("PaintCare Fee") must be added by manufacturers to the wholesale price of all architectural paint sold in the state. This fee is paid by manufacturers to PaintCare to fund setting up drop-off sites for leftover, postconsumer paint and for the transportation, recycling, and proper disposal of that paint. The fees also pay for consumer education and program administrative costs.

In states with active programs, the fees per container are as follows; the fees in Colorado are expected to be the same (pending approval by the state).

$ 0.00 – Half pint or smaller
$ 0.35 – Larger than half pint to smaller than 1 gallon
$ 0.75 – 1 Gallon
$ 1.60 – Larger than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons

The law also requires that each distributor and retailer include the PaintCare Fee with their sale price of architectural paint sold in the state. Displaying the fee on invoices and receipts is not mandatory for distributors or retailers; however, PaintCare encourages them to show the fee and list it as "PaintCare Fee" to aid in customer and dealer education and to ensure transparency.

Notice for Painting Contractors

It is expected that contractors will pass the fees on to their customers in order to recoup the fees they pay on the product.

When estimating jobs, contractors should take these fees into account by checking with your suppliers to make sure the quotes for paint products include the fees. You should also let your customers know that you will be including these fees in your quotes.

New Paint Drop-Off Sites

PaintCare has established more than 100 paint drop-off sites across Colorado and will continue to add more sites. Most drop-off sites are at paint stores. Others may include solid waste transfer stations, recycling centers, and government-sponsored household hazardous waste programs. Participation as a drop-off site is voluntary.

Use of Retail Drop-Off Sites by Businesses

Retail sites provide a convenient and no cost recycling option for painting contractors and other businesses. Businesses that generate less than 220 pounds of hazardous waste* per month will be able to use these sites to recycle all program products (both water and oil-based) with some restrictions on quantities per month.

Larger businesses (those that generate more than 220 pounds of hazardous waste per month) may use the drop-off sites for their water-based program products only; they are not able to use the sites for oil-based paint or other solvent-based products.

**220 pounds is about 20-30 gallons of paint. When counting how much hazardous waste you generate in a month, oil-based paint counts (because by law it is a hazardous waste), but latex and other water-based paint does not count toward the 220 pound monthly total.*

Pick-Up Service for Large Volumes

Businesses with at least 300 gallons of postconsumer paint to recycle may qualify to have their paint picked up by PaintCare at no additional cost. To learn more or to request this service after the program begins, call (855) 724-6809.

Contact

Colorado Program Manager
(720) 481-8858
info@paintcare.org

What Products Are Covered?

Architectural paints ("PaintCare Products") are defined as interior and exterior architectural coatings sold in containers of 5 gallons or less. However, they do not include aerosol products (spray cans), industrial maintenance (IM), original equipment manufacturer (OEM), or specialty coatings.

PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

NON-PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar, and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

Large Volume Pick-Up (LVP) Service

PaintCare offers a free pick-up service to painting contractors, property managers, and others with large amounts of leftover architectural paint.

Who is PaintCare?

PaintCare Inc. is a non-profit organization established by the American Coatings Association to operate paint stewardship programs on behalf of paint manufacturers in states that pass paint stewardship laws.

Paint Drop-Off Sites

In states with a paint stewardship program, PaintCare's primary effort is to set up conveniently located drop-off sites—places where residents and businesses may take their unwanted paint for no charge. Sites set their own limits on the volume of paint they accept from customers per visit (usually from 5 to 20 gallons). To find a drop-off site near you, please use PaintCare's site locator at www.paintcare.org or call (855) 724-6809.

Large Volumes Pick-Ups

For those that have accumulated a large volume or stockpile of paint, PaintCare also offers a pick-up service. Large volume means at least 300 gallons, measured by container size (not content). On a case-by-case basis, PaintCare may approve a pick-up for less than 300 gallons if there are no drop-off sites in your area. After two or three pick-ups, you may be switched to a regular service (see next page).

Drums and Bulked Paint Are Not Accepted

PaintCare only accepts paint in containers that are 5 gallons or smaller in size. Leave paint in original cans with original labels; do not combine or bulk paint from small cans into larger ones. If you have unwanted paint in drums or containers larger than 5 gallons, please contact a licensed paint recycling company or a hazardous waste transportation company to assist you.

HOW TO REQUEST A LARGE VOLUME PICK-UP

1. Sort and count your paint
   We need to know the number of each container size and the type of products you have, sorted into two categories: (1) water-based paints and stains and (2) oil-based paint and stains and any other program products (sealers and clear top-coat products, such as varnish and shellac).

2. Fill out the LVP Request Form and send it in
   Fill out a paper or electronic version of the "Large Volume Pick-Up Request Form" and return it to PaintCare by email, fax, or regular mail. (Visit www.paintcare.org or call PaintCare for the form.)

Scheduling

After reviewing your form, PaintCare staff will either approve your site for a pick-up or inform you of the best place to take your paint if you do not meet the volume requirement. If you qualify for a pick-up, you will be put in contact with our licensed hauler to schedule a pick-up. It may be several weeks before your pick-up occurs.

On the Day of Your Pick-Up

Sort your products into the two categories noted above and store them in an area that has easy access. If the paint is a far distance from where the hauler parks, the

path between should be at least four feet wide to accommodate movement of the boxes.

Please plan to have staff available to pack the paint cans into the boxes. The hauler may be able to provide some assistance, but we require your staff to be present and provide labor to pack boxes. Once your paint is properly packed and loaded onto the hauler's truck, you will sign a bill of lading and receive a copy for your records. Your paint will then be taken to an authorized processing facility for sorting and recycling.

Note: Paint must be in original containers and not leaking.

Repeat Service for Large Volume Users

For businesses that generate large volumes of unwanted paint on a regular basis, a service for recurring direct pick-ups is available. With this service, you will be provided with empty bins, then request a pick-up when at least three bins are filled. PaintCare will provide onsite training on how to properly pack the paint, and you will be required to sign a contract with PaintCare.

Limits on Businesses

If your business generates more than 220 pounds (20-30 gallons depending on the type) of hazardous waste per month, you may use PaintCare's programs (drop-off sites and the pick-up service) for water-based program products only. You will not be able to use the program for oil-based products.

If your business generates less than 220 pounds of hazardous waste per month, you may use PaintCare programs for both water-based program products and oil-based program products. As a business, you will need to certify that you meet this requirement.

Note: When calculating how much hazardous waste you generate in a month, do not count latex paint.

If You Have Products We Don't Accept

The program does not accept all paints (such as aerosols and automotive finishes) or other hazardous waste. If you have solvents, thinners, pesticides, or any non-PaintCare products (see list to right for examples), we recommend that residents contact their local household hazardous waste (HHW) program. Some HHW programs allow businesses to use their program for a modest fee. Otherwise, businesses should contact a licensed hazardous waste transportation company.

What Products Are Covered?

Architectural paints ("PaintCare Products") are defined as interior and exterior architectural coatings sold in containers of 5 gallons or less. However, they do not include aerosol products (spray cans), industrial maintenance (IM), original equipment manufacturer (OEM), or specialty coatings.

PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

NON-PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar, and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

Colorado Paint Stewardship Program

Information for Solid Waste Transfer Stations, Recycling Facilities and Landfills

Colorado's paint stewardship law supports paint collection activities at solid waste transfer stations, recycling facilities and landfills.

A law passed in June 2014 requires paint manufacturers to establish a paint stewardship program in Colorado. Sites that participate can save money on paint management costs and expand services to their customers. Program funding comes from a "PaintCare Fee" applied to each container of architectural paint sold in Colorado when the program began on July 1, 2015.

Paint Stewardship Program in Colorado

PaintCare Inc. is a non-profit organization established by the American Coatings Association to implement state-mandated paint stewardship programs on behalf of paint manufacturers in states that adopt paint stewardship laws. Colorado is the eighth state to pass such a law. Although this program is required by state law, it is designed and operated by the paint manufacturing industry. PaintCare currently operates programs in eight states (California, Colorado, Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Vermont). PaintCare is now planning a program for the District of Columbia in September 2016.

Designing a Program for Colorado

The law required PaintCare, on behalf of paint manufacturers, to submit a comprehensive Program Plan to the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment by January 1, 2015. PaintCare conducted a series of stakeholder meetings to present the goals and design of the program and to receive input from stakeholders.

Making Paint Recycling More Convenient

PaintCare has established drop-off sites statewide for households and businesses to take leftover architectural paint. Although most drop-off sites are paint retailers, household hazardous waste (HHW) facilities, solid waste transfer stations, recycling facilities, and landfills may also volunteer to be PaintCare drop-off sites and have their paint transportation and recycling costs covered by PaintCare. Facilities that would like to become a drop-off site can fill out the Interest Form available in the Municipalities section of www.paintcare.org/CO.

Benefits to Drop-Off Sites

- Make recycling of leftover paint more convenient for your community
- Save money on paint generated at your site or managed through load check programs
- Help your state conserve resources and keep paint out of the solid waste stream

PaintCare Partners Receive

- Storage bins for paint
- Free paint transportation and processing services
- Staff training at your site
- Program brochures and site signage
- Publicity of your site (optional)

Drop-Off Site Responsibilities

- Provide secure storage area for cubic yard boxes or drums
- Accept program products from the public during normal operating hours
- Properly pack program products in collection bins
- Assist with loading and unloading of full and empty storage bins
- Complete minimal paperwork to track outgoing paint shipments
- Ensure staff are trained in PaintCare guidelines and safe operating procedures

Water-Based (Latex) Paint is a Resource

An important goal of PaintCare is to conserve resources and increase the amount of paint that is recycled. Not all HHW programs accept water-based paint because it is expensive to manage and is not classified as hazardous. Households and businesses are often instructed to let water-based paint dry out and then dispose of the dry paint in the trash. Through the PaintCare program, all paint including latex will be recycled to the maximum extent possible.

Will PaintCare Require Operational Changes?

No. Your facility may continue to put restrictions on who can access the paint collection program at your site. If your facility only services a specific geographic region (e.g., specific towns, cities or counties), you will not be required to service customers that live outside of your service area. Similarly, if your facility is not permitted to take business waste, you will not be required to do so. (PaintCare retail sites accept paint from anyone in the state, and from both households and businesses.)

What Products Are Covered?

Architectural paints ("PaintCare Products") are defined as interior and exterior architectural coatings sold in containers of 5 gallons or less. However, they do not include aerosol products (spray cans), industrial maintenance (IM), original equipment manufacturer (OEM), or specialty coatings. Here are examples:

PaintCare Products

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

Non-PaintCare Products

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

FACT SHEET FOR HHW PROGRAMS
FEBRUARY 2016

Colorado Paint Stewardship Program

Information for HHW Programs

Colorado's Paint Stewardship Law benefits household hazardous waste programs.

A law passed in June 2014 requires paint manufacturers to establish a paint stewardship program in Colorado. Household hazardous waste (HHW) programs that participate can save money on paint management costs. Program funding comes from a "PaintCare Fee" applied to each container of architectural paint sold in Colorado when the program started on July 1, 2015.

Paint Stewardship Program in Colorado

PaintCare Inc. is a non-profit organization established by the American Coatings Association to implement state-mandated paint stewardship programs on behalf of paint manufacturers in states that adopt paint stewardship laws. Colorado is the eighth state to pass such a law. Although this program is required by state law, it is designed and operated by the paint manufacturing industry. PaintCare currently operates programs in eight states (California, Colorado, Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota, Oregon, Rhode Island, and Vermont). PaintCare is now planning to start a program for the District of Columbia in September 2016.

Designing a Program for Colorado

The law required PaintCare, on behalf of paint manufacturers, to submit a comprehensive Program Plan to the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment by January 1, 2015. PaintCare organized a series of stakeholder meetings to present the goals and design of the program and to receive input from HHW programs and other stakeholders.

Making Paint Recycling Convenient

PaintCare has established drop-off sites throughout the state for residents and businesses to take leftover architectural paint. Although most drop-off sites are at paint retailers, HHW programs, solid waste transfer stations, recycling centers, and landfills may also volunteer to be PaintCare drop-off sites and have their paint transportation and recycling costs paid by PaintCare. Facilities that would like to become a drop-off site can fill out the Interest Form available in the Municipalities section of www.paintcare.org/CO.

Benefits of Partnering with PaintCare

- Save on paint transportation and recycling costs
- Conserve resources and keep paint out of the solid waste stream
- Make recycling of leftover paint more convenient for your community

PaintCare Partners Receive

- Staff training at your site
- Paint collection bins
- Free paint transportation and processing services
- Compensation for value-added services including paint reuse programs, bulking of oil-based paint, and other services
- Publicity of HHW site or event (optional)

Drop-Off Site Responsibilities

- Provide secure storage area for cubic yard boxes or drums
- Accept program products from the public during normal operating hours
- Properly pack program products in collection bins
- Assist with loading and unloading of full and empty storage bins
- Complete minimal paperwork to track outgoing paint shipments
- Ensure staff are trained in PaintCare guidelines and safe operating procedures

Will PaintCare Require Operational Changes?

- If your program does not currently accept latex paint, PaintCare will not require you to do so. If you wish to start accepting latex, PaintCare will cover the transportation and processing costs.
- If your program does not currently accept paint from businesses, PaintCare will not require you to do so. If you wish to start accepting paint from businesses, PaintCare will cover the transportation and processing costs.
- HHW programs may continue to put restrictions on who can use their programs, e.g., to residents of certain towns or cities. (PaintCare retailers accept paint from anyone in the state.)

Water-Based (Latex) Paint is a Resource

An important goal of PaintCare is to conserve resources and increase the amount of paint that is recycled. Not all HHW programs accept water-based paint because it is expensive to manage and is not classified as hazardous. Residents and businesses are often told to let water-based paint dry out and then dispose of the dry paint in the trash. Through the PaintCare program, all paint, including latex paint, will be recycled to the maximum extent possible.

What Products Are Covered?

Architectural paints ("PaintCare Products") are defined as interior and exterior architectural coatings sold in containers of five gallons or less. However, they do not include aerosol products (spray cans), industrial maintenance (IM), original equipment manufacturer (OEM), or specialty coatings. Here are examples:

PaintCare Products

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

Non-PaintCare Products

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar, and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

MORE INFORMATION
(855) 724-6809 OR (855) PAINT09
www.paintcare.org or info@paintcare.org

PAINTCARE INC.
1500 RHODE ISLAND AVENUE NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20005

FACT SHEET FOR OFFERING A REUSE PROGRAM
AUGUST 2015

Note: Compensation is offered for unused paint in original containers only. Reuse as described below does not include reblended or recycled paint.

Reuse Programs – Compensation & Reporting

PaintCare encourages household hazardous waste programs, reuse stores and others to operate paint reuse programs (i.e., swap shops or exchanges). Reuse programs return good quality unused paint to the local community at low or no cost. Reuse is a preferred method of waste management.

To encourage reuse, PaintCare will compensate paint drop-off sites operating a reuse program under a contract with PaintCare. PaintCare allows two different reporting methods by container or by volume as described here.

Operating a Reuse Program

Any PaintCare products (qualifying paint, stain and varnish as defined by PaintCare – see www.paintcare.org/products-we-accept) that are distributed through these reuse programs must be in their original container, have an original label, and be in good physical and aesthetic condition. Contents must be liquid and relatively new. Containers should be closed securely before being placed in the reuse storage area. Customers must sign a waiver form explaining that the paint is taken "as is" with no guarantee of quality or contents. The customer is required to read, complete and sign the form, and site staff is required to verify and record what has been taken by the customer.

Reuse room at the Household Hazardous Waste Facility at the Yolo County Central Landfill in Woodland, California.

Method 1. Track and Report by Container

To track and report by container size, the following applies:

- Containers must be at least 50% full
- The number of containers distributed for reuse must be reported in three size categories for both latex and oil-based (total of 6 categories)
- Compensation is not provided for paint containers smaller than 1 quart
- The following compensation rates apply:

  $6.00 per 5-gallon container
  $1.20 per 1-gallon container
  $0.30 per quart container

The site does not need to track or report the actual volume of paint in the containers. Under this model, even though containers may be between 50% and 100% full, PaintCare will assume an average of 75% full when reporting reuse volumes in annual reports to state agencies.

Method 2. Track and Report by Volume

To track and report by volume (gallons), the following applies:

- Containers may contain any amount of paint in them
- The site must determine and report the total gallons of latex paint and the total gallons of oil-based paint distributed for reuse
- Compensation is provided at $1.60 per gallon

The site must track and report the actual volume of paint in the containers using an internal methodology (e.g., weigh the cans on a scale, estimate weight by hand, do visual inspection). The methodology must be provided to PaintCare upon request.

Suggestions on How to Link to PaintCare

A. LONG VERSION

Do you have only paint, stain and varnish to recycle?
Many paint stores now take back house paint (including stain and varnish) year-round during their regular business hours as part of the PaintCare program. If the only household hazardous wastes you have for recycling or disposal are paint, finding a place to take them is now easier and more convenient in our community. [Note: these sites do not accept non-paint products such as thinner, solvents, spackle, pesticides, or cleaning chemicals.]

The {state name} Paint Stewardship Program is run by PaintCare, a nonprofit organization funded by a nominal fee on the price of new paint. Residents and most businesses from any part of the state may use any PaintCare retail location. PaintCare also offers a pick-up service if you have at least 300 gallons of unwanted paint.

There is no charge when you drop off your paint or have it picked up. To find participating drop-off locations, learn more about the pick-up service, or find out which products are accepted, please visit **www.paintcare.org** or call **(855) 724-6809**.

B. SHORT VERSION

Do you have only paint, stain and varnish to recycle?
Many paint stores now take back paint, stain, and varnish year-round during their regular business hours as part of the PaintCare program. The program is free for all residents and most businesses. To find participating drop-off locations and details about which products are accepted, please visit **www.paintcare.org** or call **(855) 724-6809**.

IMAGES FOR DOWNLOAD

http://www.paintcare.org/partnerlink/

Joint Outreach Projects

THE BASICS

Introduction
If you are a local government that has partnered with PaintCare, we offer limited funding support for outreach activities that involve PaintCare.
We are most interested in partnering with you when we are setting up new PaintCare drop-off sites, where participation is low, and when we are promoting one day HHW events to boost the amount of paint we can collect at one time. We have supported radio, newspaper and direct mail advertising and will consider other media.

Review and Approval
Project budgets and all creative work must be reviewed and pre-approved by PaintCare. Creative work includes text, images, and scripts. When possible, all projects must include PaintCare's website address and logo and mention that people can find PaintCare drop-off sites in other areas (via our website).

Proposal Form
Please complete our Proposal Form for Joint Outreach Projects and email it to your PaintCare Regional Coordinator, State Program Manager, or info@paintcare.org

The Word version of the form can be downloaded from the "municipalities" section of each state's page at www.paintcare.org.

The pdf version is here: www.paintcare.org/wp-content/xx-form-joint-outreach.pdf

WHAT WE ASK OF YOU

Print-Based
For print materials (brochures, postcards, etc.) you will be responsible for sending artwork files to your printer, coordinating mailings, and distribution. After the project is completed, along with your invoice, we ask for a description of how, when, and where the piece was distributed or used, and an electronic copy of the final piece.

Newspaper
For newspaper ads, you will be responsible for sending artwork files to the newspaper and scheduling. At the start of the project, we ask you to provide PaintCare with draft text, dimensions and due dates for the ads. After the project is completed, we ask for a list of run dates for each newspaper and a scan or clipping of each ad.

Radio
For radio advertising, you will be responsible for providing the pre-approved scripts to the stations and handling scheduling. After the project is completed, along with your invoice, we ask you to provide text of the final script with a list of run dates and times. If available, we would also like an audio file of the actual recording aired on the radio.

Other
For other types of projects, we will ask you for similar things – you will coordinate everything and send PaintCare supporting documentation along with your invoice so we have a record of the projects and examples to show others.

DESIGN ASSISTANCE

PaintCare can provide assistance with basic layout and graphic design using our in-house staff. When we provide this type of assistance we will provide electronic files for you to send for printing or ad placement. Other than editing and commenting on scripts, we do not provide in-house assistance with audio or video production.
Please allow plenty of time for project planning, approvals, and some back-and-forth editing. Depending on the time of year, this may take 4-8 weeks.

REIMBURSEMENT

PaintCare provides reimbursements for pre-approved projects only. We do not provide money up front, pay vendors directly, or accept requests for reimbursements on projects that have already been completed. Generally PaintCare will reimburse for half of the total direct costs for pre-approved projects; however, we may make exceptions and offer a lower or higher amount based on how much of the message is dedicated to PaintCare, our budgets, and other PaintCare outreach taking place in your area.

To be reimbursed, send PaintCare an invoice from your government agency, samples of the final pieces as noted previously, and copies of invoices from your vendors. We ask you to combine them into one PDF and send via email to Paul Fresina at pfresina@paint.org. The "To:" space on the invoice should be addressed to PaintCare Inc., 1500 Rhode Island Ave NW, Washington DC, 20005. In the space for purchase orders please write "5839." See sample invoice on next page.

{Sample Invoice}

Environmental Services Program
Washington County
123 Government Way
Anytown, State 55776

July 9, 2015

Invoice: 2452187

Purchase Order: 5839

Paul Fresina
PaintCare Inc.
1500 Rhode Island Ave. NW
Washington DC, 20005

Description:

- Newspaper ad promoting one day event held in Anytown on May 1, 2015
- Three 5x5 ads ran on April 13, 20, 17 in the County Journal
- Total invoices from newspapers: $1,487.00
- Invoice and copy of one ad are attached
- Per prior discussion, PaintCare agreed to reimburse county for $750
- Contact person: Marie Chen, 202-555-1212

Invoice Amount: $750.00

Remit to: Environmental Services Program
Washington County
123 Government Way
Anytown, State 55776

Program Poster
Window Cling
Store Signs
Counter Mat
Sign Order Form

paintcare®

We are a PaintCare Partner

Fees on the sale of paint in Colorado help pay for our program.

Recycle with PaintCare

To learn more, please call **(855)724-6809** *or visit* **www.paintcare.org**.

paintcare®

Recycle your paint here.

[DURING BUSINESS HOURS ONLY]

ACCEPTABLE

- *Latex house paint*
- *Oil-based house paint*
- *Primer*
- *Stains and sealers*
- *Varnish and shellac*
- *All brands*

NOT ACCEPTABLE

- *Paint thinner*
- *Two-component paints*
- *Aerosols*
- *Other chemicals*

PLEASE DON'T BRING CONTAINERS THAT ARE

- *Leaking*
- *Unlabeled*
- *Empty*

Recycle with PaintCare

For a complete list of acceptable products, please ask for the PaintCare brochure, call **(855) 724-6809** *or visit* **www.paintcare.org.**

NO DUMPING

STOP!
IT'S ILLEGAL
to dump or abandon Paint, Oil, or other Hazardous Waste

THIS AREA MAY BE UNDER VIDEO SURVEILLANCE

Violators Will Be Prosecuted

paintcare®

Program Products

These products have fees and are accepted at drop-off sites:

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/ wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

Products must be in original containers with original labels.

Latex paint that is dried out and "rock hard" is also acceptable.

Non-Program Products

These products do not have fees and are not accepted at drop-off sites:

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Arts and crafts paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Tar and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

Leaking, unlabeled, and empty containers are not accepted at drop-off sites.

To learn more, please call (855) 724-6809 or visit www.paintcare.org

paintcare®

Please wait for staff assistance when dropping off leftover paint.

Espere a que le atienda un empleado de la compañía cuando vaya a desechar pintura sobrante.

Counter Mat

paintcare

WE CAN HELP Recycle YOUR PAINT

www.paintcare.org

PAINT RECYCLING MADE EASY

Paint manufacturers formed PaintCare, a nonprofit organization, to make paint recycling more convenient, cost effective, and environmentally sound. Paint doesn't belong in the trash or down the drain. If you can't use it up, recycle it with PaintCare.

We're setting up locations in your state where you can bring old paint for free all year-round.

PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

(YOU CAN RECYCLE THESE)

These products have fees when you buy them and are accepted for free when you drop them off for recycling:

- Water-based paints (latex, acrylic)
- Oil-based paints (alkyd)
- Stains
- Primers
- Varnishes
- Shellacs
- Lacquers
- Urethanes
- Deck paints
- Floor paints
- Sealers
- Waterproofing coatings

NON-PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

Leaking, unlabeled, and empty containers are not accepted.

- Paint thinners and solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Asphalt, tar, and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Coatings used for Original Equipment Manufacturing or shop application
- Any non-coatings (caulk, spackle, cleaner, etc.)

PROGRAM FUNDING

The PaintCare Fee is applied to the purchase price of architectural paint sold in your state as required by law. Fees are based on container size:

Half pint or smaller	$0.00
Larger than half pint to smaller than 1 gallon	$0.35
1 gallon	$0.75
Larger than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons	$1.60

LEARN MORE

Please ask for a PaintCare program brochure, visit **www.paintcare.org**, or call **(855) 724-6809.**

SIGN ORDER FORM

FOR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITIES AND TRANSFER STATION DROP-OFF SITES

Please complete this form and send to PaintCare. Indicate the quantities you would like below.
Email: info@paintcare.org • Fax: (855) 385-2020

Store	
Address	
City/Zip	
Contact Person	
Phone/Email	

1. Program Products Sign

Detailed list of *products* covered by PaintCare.

- [ ] English 24x36 (Metal)
- [ ] English 12x18 (Metal)
- [ ] Spanish 24x36 (Metal)
- [ ] Spanish 12x18 (Metal)

2. Acceptable / Non Acceptable Sign

Simplified list of products covered by PaintCare.

- [ ] English 24x36 (Metal)
- [ ] English 12x18 (Metal)
- [ ] Spanish 24x36 (Metal)
- [ ] Spanish 12x18 (Metal)
- [ ] Korean 24x36 (Metal)
- [ ] Korean 12x18 (Metal)

3. Program Partner Sign

- [ ] English 24x36 (Metal)
- [ ] English 12x18 (Metal)
- [ ] with A-Frame 24x36 (Plastic)

Program Awareness Survey Results

Colorado Paint Usage & Disposal Surveys

Notes:
Online surveys conducted using SurveyMonkey. Blue numbers indicate the number of people who responded.
Questions 2 and 3 allowed more than one answer; percentages are calculated using the number of people.
0 indicates the question was asked, but there were no responses with that answer.
NA indicates the survey did not include the question.
Surveys were conducted in December each year.

	2014		*2015*	
	Percent	Count	Percent	Count
1. How much leftover paint is in your home?		*208*		*229*
None	32.7	68	34.1	78
Less than 1 gallon	10.1	21	10.9	25
1-5 gallons (would fit in a cardboard box)	36.5	76	30.1	69
5-15 gallons (would fit in a shopping cart)	15.9	33	20.5	47
15-30 gallons (would fit in two shopping carts)	1.9	4	0.4	1
More than 30 gallons	0.0	0	0.0	0
Yes, but I don't know how much	2.9	6	3.9	9
2. Where did the paint come from? (check all that apply)		*139*		*151*
I did some painting myself and had some leftover	77.0	107	72.8	110
I hired someone to paint and they left it behind.	30.9	43	24.5	37
I found it in my home/business when I moved in	31.7	44	33.1	50
I am a painting contractor and it is from one of my jobs	0.7	1	0.7	1
I don't remember where the paint came from	4.3	6	5.3	8
Other	0.7	1	2.6	4
3. What did you do with leftover paint? (check all that apply)		*207*		*229*
Poured it down the drain	0.0	0	0.4	1
Put can(s) of liquid paint in the trash	2.9	6	3.5	8
Dried out the paint and put it in the trash	38.2	79	18.8	43
Stored it in the basement or garage intend to use	52.2	108	26.2	60
Took it to a paint store	3.4	7	1.7	4
Took it to a household hazardous waste event or facility	29.5	61	20.1	46
Gave it away to a family, friend or community organization	19.8	41	3.5	8
Left it behind when I moved	14.5	30	2.2	5
I don't know	5.8	12	6.1	14
I have never stored or disposed of leftover/unwanted paint	12.1	25	15.7	36
Other	0.5	1	1.7	4
4. If you had unwanted paint, what would you do with it?		*208*		*229*
Pour it down the drain	0.5	1	0.4	1
Put can(s) of liquid paint in the trash	1.9	4	4.4	10
Dry out the paint and put it in the trash	22.1	46	20.5	47
Take it to a paint store	3.4	7	10.5	24
Take it to a household hazardous waste event or facility	39.4	82	35.4	81
Give it away to a family, friend or organization	17.3	36	14.0	32
I don't know	14.9	31	12.2	28
Other	0.5	1	2.6	6
5. Did you know that paint can be recycled?		*208*		*229*
Yes	38.5	80	37.6	86
No	61.5	128	62.4	143

6. Have you ever taken paint to be recycled/disposed? If yes, when?		*208*		*229*
No	70.2	146	78.6	180
Yes, at some point during the past year	6.7	14	3.9	9
Yes, more than one year ago	23.1	48	17.5	40

7. Do you know where to take unwanted paint?		*208*		*229*
No	67.3	140	75.5	173
Yes	32.7	68	24.5	56
If yes, where? (please specify)		45		32

Responses to "If yes, where?" for December 2015:

City/town cleanup event (2)
County disposal faciity
County Hazardous Waste
GreenSheen Paint
Habitat for Humanity
Hardware Store (2)
Have to look up the address
Hazardous waste drop off site
Hazardous waste Event
Hazardous waste facility (2)
Health Dept has an event
I would locate a place online
Local hazardous materials drop recycles
Mesa County Landfill
Paint disposal center
Paint store (6)
Place at the dump/landfill/waste facility
Recycle event held annually in the city or to a paint store.
Recycling center (3)
That one place by the county jail
The community offers certain dates & sites to bring it to
Waste disposal

8. How far is the closest paint store?		*208*		*229*
Less than 1 mile	22.6	47	18.8	43
1-5 miles	56.7	118	59.0	135
5-10 miles	8.7	18	13.5	31
10-20 miles	2.4	5	2.2	5
20-30 miles	3.4	7	0.9	2
Not sure	6.3	13	5.7	13

9. How far would you drive to recycle or dispose of unwanted paint?		*208*		*229*
20-30 miles	11.5	24	6.1	14
10-20 miles	14.4	30	19.2	44
5-10 miles	32.2	67	41.5	95
1-5 miles	25.5	53	22.3	51
Less than 1 mile	2.9	6	3.1	7
Not sure	13.5	28	7.9	18

10. What county do you live in?		*155*		*226*
Adams	3.2	5	5.3	12
Arapahoe	8.4	13	11.1	25
Boulder	10.3	16	6.6	15
Broomfield	2.6	4	2.2	5
Chaffee	2.6	4	0.4	1
Clear Creek	0.6	1	0.9	2
Custer	0.6	1	0.0	0
Delta	0.0	0	0.9	2
Denver	14.2	22	15.9	36
Douglas	7.1	11	5.8	13
Eagle	0.0	0	0.4	1
El Paso	11.0	17	0.4	1
Elbert	1.3	2	10.6	24
Garfield	0.0	0	0.4	1
Garfield	0.0	0	0.4	1

Jefferson	13.5	21	11.1	25
La Plata	1.3	2	1.3	3
Larimer	10.3	16	9.7	22
Las Animas	0.0	0	1.3	3
Logan	0.0	0	0.4	1
Mesa	1.3	2	2.2	5
Montrose	0.6	1	0.4	1
Ouray	0.6	1	0.0	0
Park	1.3	2	0.9	2
Pitkin	0.0	0	0.4	1
Prowers	0.6	1	0.0	0
Pueblo	3.2	5	3.5	8
Routt	0.6	1	0.0	0
Summit	1.3	2	0.9	2
Teller	0.0	0	0.4	1
Weld	3.2	5	5.8	13

Note: In 2014 we asked respondents to type in their county, rather than choose from a list; 54 people did not enter their county. Their responses are not used in the total for percentage calculations in order to have relative numbers for those who responded. The 33 counties with no responses either year are not listed.

11. How would you describe the place where you live?		*206*		*229*
Urban / Major City	21.4	44	24.0	55
Suburban	48.5	100	48.0	110
Small City or Town	17.5	36	16.6	38
Rural / Countryside	12.6	26	10.0	23
Other (please specify)	0.0	0	1.3	3

12. Where do you live?		*206*		*229*
Single-family house	72.8	150	71.2	163
Two or Three-family house	3.9	8	3.9	9
Condominium or apartment building with many units	20.4	42	21.8	50
Manufacturered or Mobile Home	1.9	4	1.3	3
Other (please specify)	1.0	2	1.7	4

13. Do you paint professionally?		*208*		*229*
Yes	0.5	1	1.1	4
No	99.5	207	62.0	225

14. What is your age?		*208*		*229*
Under 21	2.9	6	1.7	4
21-40	28.8	60	31.9	73
41-60	46.2	96	36.7	84
Over 60	22.1	46	26.6	61
Prefer not to say		NA	3.1	7

15. Gender		*208*		*229*
Male	47.6	99	43.2	99
Female	52.4	109	53.7	123
Prefer not to say		NA	3.1	7

16. Educational Level		*208*		*229*
Some High School	1.0	2	0.9	2
High School Graduate	6.7	14	5.2	12
Some College, Vocational, Trade, or Technical	30.3	63	28.4	65
4 year degree or higher	62.0	129	62.9	144
Prefer not to say	0.0	0	2.6	6

17. What is your household income?		*208*		*229*
Less than $50K	30.3	63	31.0	71
$50 – 100K	30.8	64	33.6	77
$100 – 150K	14.4	30	15.3	35
Over $150K	13.0	27	6.6	15
Prefer not to say	11.5	24	13.5	31