Implementation of the Paint Stewardship Program

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Establishing a Planning Process

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

Performance Goals

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

Other Key Questions

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

Establishing Baseline Data

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

For More Information

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