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Brent Hildebrand Named to Board of Recycling Group

COMMERCE CITY, Colo. (Jan 11, 2010) – Brent Hildebrand, vice president-recycling for Alpine Waste & Recycling, has been elected to the board of directors of the Colorado Association for Recycling.

“Alpine’s support of my involvement with the CAFR is further indication of the company’s commitment to recycling and the community in general,” Hildebrand said. “I am proud to represent Alpine on this important board, and I thank the CAFR for the opportunity.”

Board members of the CAFR serve for a three-year term on an unpaid basis, contributing toward fund-raising, special projects, organization of the CAFR’s annual summit, and other activities critical to the association’s function.

“We are pleased to have Brent join our group, and we anticipate that his expertise in the field of commercial recycling will serve as an ongoing asset to the CAFR,” said Board President Bob Edmiston.

At Alpine, Hildebrand is responsible for developing all aspects of the vertically integrated recycling business. He acquires new recycling business and builds operational infrastructure to support that business.

He is also a member of the Colorado Pollution Prevention Advisory Board Assistance Committee, a panel designed to advise the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment on the administration of almost \$3 million in grants to industry

and academia for environmental pollution prevention efforts such as waste diversion and recycling.

He received the 2009 "Sustainability Champion" award from the Colorado Environmental Partnership and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment for his leadership spearheading Alpine's wide-ranging efforts to promote recycling in Colorado.

About Alpine Waste & Recycling

Alpine Waste & Recycling is the largest privately held commercial waste and recycling collection company in the Denver area. Founded in 1999 as a single-truck operation called Alpine Disposal, the company has parlayed a customer-service focus into a compound annual revenue growth rate of greater than 50 percent. With more than 40 trucks and more than 150 employees, Alpine hauls more than 120,000 tons of waste and recycle products per year. Featuring "Altogether Recycling™", Alpine is the first company in Colorado to process recycling material competitively on a single-stream basis. In early 2009, the Colorado Association for Recycling named Alpine the **state's** most outstanding business for its recycling/diversion program. Alpine was named Colorado's 2008 Top Company in the service category by *ColoradoBiz Magazine*; and Alpine has been named to the *Inc. 5,000* list of the nation's fastest growing companies for two consecutive years.