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## **Governor Reappoints Alpine Waste & Recycling Exec**

*Orloff to serve another three years on Solid and Hazardous Waste Commission*

COMMERCE CITY, Colo. (Nov. 10, 2011) — Alek M. Orloff, chief financial officer of [Alpine Waste & Recycling](#), has been reappointed by Governor John Hickenlooper to serve another three-year term on Colorado's Solid and Hazardous Waste Commission.

Established in 1992, the panel ensures that the state's hazardous waste rules are consistent with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's requirements, preserving Colorado's authorization and federal funds, and that the rules governing solid waste disposal sites are protective of human health and the environment. It is a branch of the [Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment](#).

"My participation on this commission allows me to serve the State of Colorado and complements Alpine Waste & Recycling's commitment to environmental stewardship," Orloff said. "It is a rewarding assignment, and I am grateful to Gov. Hickenlooper for the continued opportunity."

The [Solid and Hazardous Waste Commission](#) is comprised of nine gubernatorial appointees: three members from industry; three members from the public at large; and three members from government or academia. The commission adopts rules pertaining to solid and hazardous waste and hears appeals on administrative penalties for hazardous waste matters.

### 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, the company has parlayed a customer-service focus into a compound annual revenue growth rate of greater than 40 percent. With more than 50 trucks and more than 170 employees, Alpine handles more than 300,000 tons of waste and recycle products per year. In early 2009, the Colorado Association for Recycling named Alpine as the state's most outstanding business for its recycling/diversion program. That division of Alpine is called Altogether

Recycling.™ *ColoradoBiz Magazine* in 2008 named Alpine as the state's Top Company (Service Category); and in 2010 named Alpine as a "Colorado Company to Watch." Commerce City named Alpine as its 2010 Small Business of the Year. Most recently, Alpine was named as a Finalist for the Metro Denver Chamber of Commerce Green Company of the Year Award. Information: 303-744-9881, or go to [www.alpinewaste.com](http://www.alpinewaste.com).