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Alpine Opens “Altogether” Recycling Plant

Denver Area Gets First Competitive Facility with New Technology

DENVER (Sept. 12, 2007) – Alpine Waste & Recycling today unveiled a new recycling plant with technology designed for greater customer convenience and lower costs for the entire industry within the Denver area.

The 31,000-square foot plant at 645 53rd Place in Denver is equipped with the most modern equipment that allows customers to combine their recyclable materials “all together” in a single stream. Hence the name Altogether Recycling™ that Alpine has given to the operations that it will make available to all competing waste haulers in the area.

Alpine’s plant offers the first opportunity for third-party waste haulers to get a competing price on service known in the industry as “single stream” recycling. Previously, one company has had a monopoly on this service. Today, any waste hauling company that wants to offer recycling service to its customers can add Altogether Recycling™ as an option.

“The Colorado Association for Recycling appreciates all steps the industry takes in making recycling an easier process for all consumers,” said Marjorie Griek, executive director for the CAFR. “Alpine’s new recycling plant could be a key component in the campaign to invigorate those efforts.”

The Alpine plant currently has capacity to process 10,000 tons of recyclables per month, with options for expansion. Those operations alone will save 93,000 trees and 38 million gallons of water that would otherwise have been used for the production of paper.

The plant can recycle glass, plastic, aluminum, steel and virtually any kind of paper, including cardboard.

“Prior to the opening of this plant, Alpine and its customers had been at the mercy of a single operator in the Denver area,” said John Griffith, president of Alpine Waste & Recycling. “Today, with Altogether Recycling™, we begin to enjoy the benefits of the American system of market competition.”

Tours of the Alpine plant are available by calling 303-744-9881 ext. 215.

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 earned the status as one of the top 25 fastest growing Colorado companies every year for three consecutive years. Alpine has parlayed a customer-service focus into a compound annual revenue growth rate of greater than 40 percent since the company's founding. With more than 30 trucks and more than 50 employees, Alpine processes more than 120,000 tons of waste and recyclable material per year. Featuring Altogether Recycling™, Alpine is the first company in Colorado to process recycling material competitively on a single-stream basis. For information go to www.alpinewaste.com or call 303-744-9881.