

# Resource Recycling 2013 Sponsors

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## Platinum

**American Chemistry Council**  
**Arlington, Virginia**  
**Ph: 703-741-6050**  
**Website: [www.americanchemistry.com](http://www.americanchemistry.com)**



The American Chemistry Council (ACC) Plastics Division represents the leading plastics resin manufacturers in the U.S. ACC conducts research and recycling studies for plastics packaging and plastic bags and film, LCI's on the major virgin and recycled resins, and provides technical, educational and marketing assistance to state and local officials, businesses and customer groups. The Plastics Division sponsors programs that increase plastics recycling through implementation of sustainable and efficient recycling programs. The association's plastics websites include [www.americanchemistry.com/plastics](http://www.americanchemistry.com/plastics), [www.plasticbagrecycling.org](http://www.plasticbagrecycling.org) and [www.allplasticbottles.org](http://www.allplasticbottles.org).

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**Keep America Beautiful**  
**Washington, D.C.**  
**Ph: 202-688-0600**  
**Website: [www.kab.org](http://www.kab.org)**



Keep America Beautiful is the nation's leading nonprofit that executes actionable strategies in recycling education and behavior change. KAB's national "I Want To Be Recycled" PSA campaign with The Ad Council is designed to inspire individuals to give material a "new life" by recycling. The campaign complements KAB's portfolio of national programs, including America Recycles Day, Recycle-Bowl, and Recycling at Work as well as partnerships with RecycleMania and Give and Go, a recent pilot with Goodwill to recover household goods from college students at the end of the school year. [www.kab.org](http://www.kab.org)

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**Resource Recycling, Inc.**  
**Portland, Oregon**  
**Ph: 503-233-1305**  
**Website: [www.resource-recycling.com](http://www.resource-recycling.com)**



Resource Recycling, Inc. is the publisher of *Resource Recycling*, *E-Scrap News* and *Plastics Recycling Update*, and is the primary sponsor of the Resource Recycling Conference, the E-Scrap Conference and the Plastics Recycling Conference.

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**Waste Management, Inc.**  
**Houston, Texas**  
**Ph: 713-512-6200**  
**Website: [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com)**



Waste Management, Inc., based in Houston, is the leading provider of comprehensive environmental solutions in North America. Through its subsidiaries, the company provides collection, transfer, recycling and resource recovery and disposal services. It is one of the largest residential recyclers and also a leading developer, operator and owner of waste-to-energy and landfill gas-to-energy facilities in the U.S. The company's customers include residential, commercial, industrial, and municipal customers throughout North America. To learn more information about Waste Management visit [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com) or [www.thinkgreen.com](http://www.thinkgreen.com).

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## **GOLD**

**Product Stewardship Institute**  
**Boston, Massachusetts**  
**Ph: 617-236-4855**  
**Website: [www.productstewardship.us](http://www.productstewardship.us)**



The Product Stewardship Institute (PSI) is a national nonprofit organization dedicated to reducing the health and environmental impacts of consumer products at the end of their useful lives. PSI brings together key stakeholders with conflicting interests to develop product end-of-life solutions in a collaborative manner, with a focus on having manufacturers assume primary financial and managerial responsibility. With a robust membership base of 47 state governments and over 200 local governments, as well as partnerships with more than 90 companies, organizations, universities, and non-U.S. governments, PSI advances both voluntary programs and legislation to promote industry-led product stewardship initiatives.

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**Re-TRAC Connect**  
**Winnipeg, Manitoba**  
**Ph: 888-600-3907**  
**Website: [www.re-trac.com](http://www.re-trac.com)**



Visit the Re-TRAC booth and find out how a Re-TRAC Connect free account can help you manage your material data, promote your recycling programs to the public, access professional resources, participate in national programs and much more. Re-TRAC Connect, the leading waste reduction measurement system for governments and organizations, is an easy-to-use, proven and efficient solution for all waste reduction data tracking and reporting needs. Join your peers and create a free account today.

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**Verallia/Saint-Gobain Containers, Inc.**  
**Muncie, Indiana**  
**Ph: 765-741-7000**  
**Website: [www.us.verallia.com](http://www.us.verallia.com) /[www.sgcontainers.com](http://www.sgcontainers.com)**



Verallia North America (VNA) is a leading glass container manufacturer producing over 9 billion endlessly recyclable bottles and jars annually. For each of our 13 U.S. manufacturing facilities, Verallia purchases all the high-quality crushed recycled glass (cullet) it can to produce glass food, beverage, spirits and wine containers that satisfy the highest standards in consumer taste and purity preferences. Improving cullet supply by increasing recycling recovery rates for glass and other valuable feedstock commodities is a key element in building a sustainable future by reducing energy consumption, air emissions, the need for landfill space and highway/waterway litter. Glass recycling works!

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## **SILVER**

**American Forest & Paper Association**  
**Washington, D.C.**  
**Ph: 202-463-2700**  
**Website: [www.afandpa.org](http://www.afandpa.org)**



The American Forest & Paper Association (AF&PA) is the national trade association of the forest products industry and advances public policies that promote a strong and sustainable U.S. forest products industry in the global marketplace. AF&PA's comprehensive set of quantifiable sustainability goals, Better Practices, Better Planet 2020: Continuing AF&PA's Commitment to Sustainability, is one of the most extensive to date for a major U.S. manufacturing industry and includes a goal to increase paper recovery for recycling to exceed 70 percent by 2020.

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**AMUT Ecotech S.r.l.**  
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AMUT is one of the world's leading machinery manufacturing companies, focusing on thermoplastic recycling technologies. Founded in 1958, AMUT's patented recycling technology received the global Plastic Environmental – Enabling Technology award in 2006 from the SPE. With its AMUT ECOTECH division, AMUT supplies complete handling and sorting plants for Municipal Recycling Facilities and Plastics Recovery Facilities.

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**Buhler Sortex, Inc.**  
**Stockton, California**  
**Ph: 209-983-8400**  
**Website: [www.buhlergroup.com/optical-sorting](http://www.buhlergroup.com/optical-sorting)**



Buhler is a technology group and global market leader in food processing, chemical process engineering and die casting. Buhler supplies the plastics industry with customer-orientated continuous-operation systems for heating, cooling, crystallization, drying, solid-state polycondensation (SSP) and optical sorting. Please visit Buhler's booth to learn how they can add value to your plastics products.

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**Cumberland Recycling**  
**New Berlin, Wisconsin**  
**Ph: 262-641-8600**  
**Website: [www.cumberland-plastics.com](http://www.cumberland-plastics.com)**



Since its founding 70 years ago, Cumberland Recycling & Colortronic North America has adhered to a design philosophy that requires mass, durability and longevity. The company has earned the trust of its valued clients and has taken all measures needed to set themselves apart from others in the industry. Over the years, Cumberland Recycling & Colortronic has become widely recognized as industry and design leaders in the size reduction industry. They provide quality products, engineered solutions and unparalleled aftermarket support.

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**Herbold USA**  
**North Smithfield, Rhode Island**  
**Ph: 401-597-5500**  
**Website: [www.herboldusa.com](http://www.herboldusa.com)**



Herbold Meckesheim USA is a world leader in the manufacture and installation of a wide range of size-reduction equipment for the plastics and recycling industries. The products are used in a variety of applications ranging from traditional to innovative and include: Granulators, shredders, pulverizers, plastcompactors and fully-integrated wash-line systems.

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**Machinex Technologies, Inc.**  
**High Point, North Carolina**  
**Ph: 877-362-3281**  
**Website: [www.machinextechnologies.com](http://www.machinextechnologies.com)**



Machinex uses innovative solutions to design and produce custom-made sorting and recycling technologies for materials recycling facilities, municipal solid waste and construction and demolition debris. Machinex provides customers with the system they need – dependable, durable, high-performance equipment tailored to your specific requirements. Machinex also offers a full range of high-quality recycling equipment such as disc screen separators, ballistic separator, optical sorters, trommels, magnets, conveyors, balers, compactors and more.

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**Republic Machine**  
**Louisville, Kentucky**  
**Ph: 816-868-5111**  
**Website: [www.republicmachine.com](http://www.republicmachine.com)**



Republic Machine's success is based on 100 years of innovation and sound engineering. Keeping productivity, reliability and maintainability in the forefront, the company has rapidly introduced cutting, product feed, power train and control system innovations to the industrial shredder market. Republic manufactures its equipment in Louisville, Kentucky.

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**S+S Inspection, Inc.**  
**Bartlett, Illinois**



**Ph: 224-208-1900**  
**Website: [www.sesotec.us](http://www.sesotec.us)**

S+S Inspection provides engineered sorting solutions for the plastics and recycling industries. The company designs and manufactures the widest variety of metal detectors and optical sorting technology on the market. S+S specializes in providing custom solutions to solve your most demanding needs.

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**Trex Company, Inc.**  
**Winchester, Virginia**  
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**Website: [www.trex.com](http://www.trex.com)**



Trex Company turns millions of pounds of recycled and reclaimed plastic and waste wood into Trex decking and outdoor living products. Most of these raw materials come from recovered plastic grocery bags, plastic film and waste wood fiber. Trex Company purchases approximately 200 million pounds of used polyethylene and an equal amount of hardwood sawdust each year, materials that would normally end up in a landfill.