

WASTECAP OF LINCOLN'S

RECYCLING



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WasteCap Awarded Two NDEQ Grants
WasteCap received nearly \$30,000 for two separate projects from the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality's Waste Reduction and Recycling Incentive Grants Program. Altogether, the state received 52 eligible applications requesting more than \$3.9 million for integrated solid waste management facilities and projects. Over \$2.3 million was awarded for 34 projects throughout Nebraska.

The first project funded by the grant is the much anticipated Lincoln computer collection. In addition to the collection, to be held this spring, WasteCap will develop a handout for local businesses regarding the issues surrounding the proper handling of used computer equipment and the available service options. This event will give WasteCap the opportunity to educate businesses in the Lincoln area about the growing concern of electronic disposal options while also providing a value-added, affordable alternative to the landfill disposal of computer equipment.

The second funded project includes two Talk & Tours. These activities will assist businesses in learning innovative strategies for waste reduction, recycling and pollution prevention. Each tour host will explain the processes used to reduce waste and strategies that his/her company has implemented for successful diversion and recycling in order for other businesses to utilize those same ideas at their facility. The first Talk & Tour will take place at UNL's Memorial Stadium in September.

BULLETIN

Light Cycle Pick-Up Dates

July:	August:
22nd & 23rd	12th & 13th
29th & 30th	19th & 20th
	26th & 27th

Markets Corner

	MAY	JUN	JUL
OCC	55	80	115
CPO	40	40	40
Mag	0	0	0
News	10	10	10
SOP	20	20	25

Reminder that INFORM Members are paid \$20 under the reported price for cardboard (OCC).

Material abbreviations:

OCC- Old Corrugated Cardboard

CPO- Computer Print Out

Mag- Old Magazines

News- Old Newspaper

SOP- Sorted Office Paper



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