NEW SERVICE BEGINS JUNE 28, 2010 YOUR NEW SCHEDULED PICK UP WILL BE THE "A" WEEK PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR CALENDAR AND NEW PICK UP SCHEDULE

Dear Paine's Customer:

Paine's will be implementing a new residential automated curbside single stream recycling collection system. This program will make it easier and more convenient for you, our customers, to recycle. In an effort to make this a smooth transition, we have listed pertinent information below on how the new system will operate:

This is your new 95 gallon blue container which will become your new recycle barrel starting June 28, 2010.

Starting June 28, 2010, your recycle collection will be done every two weeks on the same day as your trash collection. Recycle collections will be done utilizing an "A" and "B" week schedule. Your recyclables will be collected during the "A" week. Please see the calendar on the reverse side for collection schedules. Trash collection will continue to be done weekly.

Trash and recycle routes begin at 6:00 am so please have your barrel(s) out early. We recommend putting them out the night before. Place the barrel(s) within two (2) feet of the curb with the arrows on the lid facing the street. The handle used to maneuver the barrel should be facing your home. Please place the barrel(s) at least two (2) feet apart and away from any obstacles like mailboxes and landscape structures.

You may keep your existing recycle bin and continue to use it inside your home for your recyclables. If you do not wish to keep your bin, you may drop it off at the Simsbury Bulky Waste Facility, 74 Wolcott Road, Simsbury, CT during normal hours of operation, Wednesdays and Saturdays from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm. Unwanted bins may also be dropped off at Paine's, 54 Floydville Road, East Granby, CT during normal business hours M-F 7:30 am to 4:00 pm. For our customers living in Avon, Canton and the Northwest corridor, we have scheduled Wednesday, July 21, 2010 for collection of unwanted recycle bins. You will need to call in by 4:00 pm on Monday, July 19, 2010 to have your name added to the list for collection. Have your bin out by 6:00 am on July 21 for removal. Do not dispose of unwanted bins in your blue recycling barrel or trash barrel. Keep in mind, once automated single stream recycle service starts, you will not be able to place this recycle bin by the curb for pick-up.

Remember, your new service does not begin until June 28, 2010, at which time all recyclables must be placed in your 95 gallon blue barrel for collection.

ITEMS ACCEPTED FOR AUTOMATED SINGLE-STREAM CURBSIDE RECYCLING:

-Paper (newspaper, junk mail, magazines,	-All plastic containers labeled #1 through #7 up								
catalogs, envelopes)	to 3 gallons. (<u>no</u> motor oil bottles or flower pots)								
-Office paper and school paper	-Shredded paper in paper bags								
-Clean corrugated cardboard	-Glass jars and bottles								
-Boxboard (cereal & tissue boxes)	-Aluminum cans and clean foil								
-Paper egg cartons	-Empty tin and steel aerosol cans								
-Paper bags	-Gable top milk and juice cartons (aseptic packaging)								

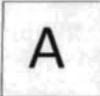
Thank you, The Paine Family

Please record your barrel number for future reference. You are on the **A** Recycle Week Collection

BARREL NUMBER #: ____

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PAINE'S, INC RECYCLE PICK-UP SCHEDULE 2010-2011 YOUR PICK-UPS WILL BE DONE ON THE NON-HIGHLIGHTED WEEKS

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Pick-Up Schedule

A Week Not Highlighted B Week Highlighted in Blue 2010 Holidays

Labor Day Thanksgiving September 6 – All pick-ups 1 day late November 25 – All pick-ups 1 day late

YOU ASKED FOR IT. YOU GOT IT. COMING THE SUMMER OF 2010

Automated Single-Stream RECYCLING

Paine's listened to our customers. They wanted to improve the environment while making recycling easier. Automated single-stream recycling is the answer.

RECYCLING MADE SIMPLE! Blue Barrel for Recycling Green Barrel for Trash

For more information on automated single stream recycling check out our web site at <u>www.painesinc.com</u> or call Paine's at (860) 844-3000.



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Recycling Facts:

- One study says Americans throw away 44 percent of the bulk mail unopened, yet still spend eights months per lifetime opening bulk mail.
- If we recycled every plastic bottle we used, we would keep two billion tons of plastic out of the trash
- New plastic is made from petroleum, so using recycled plastic products reduces our dependency on imported oil.
- The aluminum can is 100 percent recyclable and can be used to make new beverage cans indefinitely.
- Four pounds of bauxite are saved for every pound of aluminum recycled.
- Enough aluminum is thrown away to rebuild the entire fleet of commercial jet air liners four times every year.
- Last year, Americans recycled enough aluminum cans to conserve the energy equivalent of more than 15 million barrels of oil.
- Recycled glass generates 20 percent less air pollution and 50 percent less water pollution.
- Glass can be reused an infinite number of times; over 41 billion glass containers are made each year.
- Recycled paper saves 60 percent energy compared to the production of virgin paper.
- Recycling of each ton of paper saves 17 trees and 7000 gallons of water.
- When you shop, make sure you look for the "recycled" symbol on items you buy. Buying recycled products saves precious natural resources – buying recycled products is good for the environment.

These are just some of the reasons to recycle; maybe the question should be,

"How can I recycle more?"

What Can I Recycle through the new Automated Single Stream System? Paper (newspaper, junk mail, magazines, catalogs, envelopes) Clean cardboard and boxboard Paper egg cartons Office and school papers Aluminum cans and clean foll Empty tin and steel aerosol cans All plastic containers labeled #1 through #7 Aseptic packaging, (gable top milk and juice containers) Shredded paper in paper bags

What is NOT recyclable in this system? No garbage No plastic bags No food tainted items, (used paper plates or boxes, paper towels or paper napkins) No polystyrene or Styrofoam No motor oil bottles No hazardous chemical containers No electronics or batteries No foam egg cartons No light bulbs No pizza boxes No mirrors or window glass

Plastic bottles take 700 years to begin decomposing in landfills. <u>Earth911.org</u>



Who benefits from Automated Single Stream Recycling?

We all do. Every ton of disposables recycled is a ton of material that does not have to be disposed of as trash. Automated Single Stream recycling is helping to recover and re-use valuable materials. Many communities have increased their recycling volumes by as much as 30 percent within a year of beginning their automated single stream recycling programs. Working together, we can make a difference.