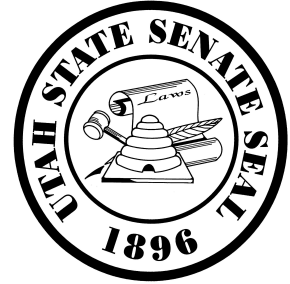




Performance Note
HB0476 - Paint Stewardship Act
Sponsor: Rep. Ipson, Don L.



Performance Note Report

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Agency: Department of Environmental Quality

Funding For:

Public Benefit:

Purpose: The purposes and duties of the new program are to create a statewide paint stewardship program that promotes the reduction of used consumer paint generation and the reuse and recycling of used consumer paint. A fee will be assessed to cover the costs of the program.

Services: The services provided by the funding increase are convenient collection of used consumer paint, promotion of reduced generation of used consumer paint, and the reuse and recycling of used consumer paint. The paint stewardship program will also provide consumers with information regarding end of life management options for consumer paint, information about waste prevention, reuse and recycling.

Expected Outcome: The expected outcome of the new program is increased public awareness about used paint recycling and increased recycling of used paint.

Implementations and Resources: Some components of the bill will be implemented by a paint stewardship organization. The Department of Environmental Quality will also have some regulatory responsibilities in the program.

How: The proposed fee to be attached to the purchase of consumer paint supports the program. The paint stewardship organization is then responsible for carrying out certain components of the program. The Division of Waste Management and Radiation Control will review and approve the stewardship organization's plan, maintain a website with relevant information and ensure participation in the program by producers, distributors and retailers. The Division will also ensure that the paint stewardship fee will be sufficient to recover, but not exceed the costs of the program.

Performance Measures

Goal

Title: Amount of consumer paint recycled

Description: Volume and type of consumer paint collected & recycled in Utah

Collection Method: The performance information will be collected by the paint stewardship organization and reported to the Division, who will ensure reliability by reviewing records and auditing the data and controls of the paint stewardship organization

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