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Recycling Compliance Report

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- I took Kevin and Eva to visit Hardenburgh, Denning, and Ulster transfer stations. We now have had the opportunity to visit most of these stations throughout the county. We had the opportunity to see how unique each station is and how none of them operate the same. These visits are important to build relationships with the operators, bring educational material, and collaborate to make these stations more efficient. The more resources we can invest in these stations will lead to less contamination coming into our facilities.
- I gathered all the information needed from the haulers to process 15 hauler applications. I have received all the applications from except for Bulls Eye Hauling and Rieber Carting. I have a few applications I am awaiting missing documentation in order to process.
- American Waste is a company operating in Orange County. They have accounts in Ulster County (Plattekill). I helped get their 2026 Hauler Application complete and they are a new approved Ulster County hauler.
- Met with Rieber carting to discuss their 2026 Hauler application. They are a company operating in Sullivan County. They currently have one trash compactor in Ulster County,

but plan on expanding into residential pick up. I am working with them on establishing a recycling plan.

- Emerald Waste is a company operating in Greene County. It was discovered through Facebook that they were servicing a couple accounts in the Saugerties area. I was able to connect with them and get them all the information they needed to become an approved hauler. After several phone calls and back and forth questions about the application they opted to not operate in Ulster County.
- I had a meeting with Thompson Sanitation to discuss their Annual Recycling Report they are required to complete. They reached out for assistance filling it out.
- I have a resident from the Rosendale area that has sent me Video evidence of SWDS not source separating. I met with SWDS to discuss the continuous violations and educate them on the importance of recycling properly. I will continue to document violations until we have an administrative hearing officer in place.
- I sent out letters to the following properties
 - 12 Ulster Ave
 - 34 Ulster Ave
 - 73 North Rd
 - 687-695 Hoagergurgh Rd
 - 812 South St
- I continue to monitor and document evidence of haulers not complying with the Flow Control Law and the Mandatory Source Separation Law. I will be working with Marc and Nancy to create an inspection sheet for me to fill out while conducting inspections at

the UCRRRA transfer stations. I want to create a carbon copy inspection form that will allow me to hand the driver of the garbage truck a copy of the contamination report, send the hauler a copy, and then have a copy for the administrative hearing officer when we issue citations. I am hoping this process will force the haulers to hold the drivers more accountable for what they are picking up.

