



Upper Peninsula Recycling Coalition

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“U.P. Recycler of the Year Award”

The “Recycler of the Year Award” recognizes outstanding achievements in resource recovery in the Upper Peninsula. Nominate your own or other outstanding programs or individuals for this award!!

The UPRC wishes to recognize organizations, businesses, and individuals for innovative recycling, composting, and waste reduction programs throughout the U.P. The only way we can accomplish this is through your assistance in nominating individuals, businesses, and programs worthy of recognition. This award is open to both UPRC members and non-members.

Examples of the types of programs or activities that could be considered for the award include:

RECYCLING:	Public or private recycling activities resulting in significant or innovative diversion of materials from the waste system.
REDUCTION/REUSE:	Innovative programs of significant impact on preventing/eliminating wastes. Unique and/or revolutionary policy, product, or process development impacting resource recovery in the U.P.
EDUCATION/OUTREACH:	Effective and innovative education/promotion activity in a target area resulting in increased diversion of materials or awareness.
COMPOSTING:	Effective composting resulting in significant impact on organic diversion and/or yard waste reduction.

There will be an award for two categories: **INDIVIDUAL** and **ORGANIZATION**. The two awards will be presented at the UPRC Conference

Criteria considered when evaluating nomination: economic return of efficiency; environmental and social benefits of the program; use of innovative approaches; creative problem-solving and soundness of planning, management, and design.

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Nomination Form

To submit a nomination:

- complete and return the following nomination form
 - include three copies of a one-page summary, including history, measures of achievements, and distinguishing characteristics
 - include three copies of any support materials
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DATE: _____ CATEGORY: [] **Individual** [] **Organization**

NOMINEE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

EMAIL: _____ COMMUNITY SERVED: _____

NOMINATOR (if different): _____

ORGANIZATION: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

Send NOMINATION FORM plus three copies of summary and support materials to:

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