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ACE RECYCLING TO LOCATE OPERATIONS IN CHESTER

CHESTERFIELD COUNTY, VA — Art Warren, Chairman of the Chesterfield County Board of Supervisors, announced today that Ace Recycling plans to construct and operate an indoor materials recovery facility at The Sustainability Park on North Enon Church Road in Chester. The project is expected to create approximately 30 new jobs and represents an investment in Chesterfield County of more than \$6 million.

“We are delighted that Ace Recycling has chosen Chesterfield County as the site for this important recovery facility,” said Mr. Warren. “They will be providing an important service to the contractors and citizens in our region.”

Ken Mogul, president of Ace Recycling, said the company will be modifying an existing manufacturing building to achieve a gold rating from the U.S. Green Building Council. “To our knowledge,” he said, “it will be the first building of its type used for recycling in the commonwealth.”

Ace Recycling is a processor specializing in construction and demolition debris recycling, which commonly includes cardboard and paper, carpet, concrete, dirt, metal, plastics, wallboard and wood. Many of those materials can be reused and recycled.

The facility, located in two existing buildings at The Sustainability Park, will receive mixed construction and demolition debris and then process the material. All of the activities will be conducted indoors, including the receipt of material, sorting and

separating debris, secondary processing, and loading of outbound trucks. Mogul said the facility will, when completed, process 525 tons of construction and demolition debris per day.

Brenda Robinson, president of Environmental Solutions, Inc., and owner of The Sustainability Park, said, "When we created The Sustainability Park we wanted it to become a center for businesses that manufacture and market environmentally sustainable products- companies that are helping our environment and our community while creating new jobs and economic growth. Ace Recycling is a perfect fit for our objective, and we are extremely pleased that they've chosen The Sustainability Park and Chesterfield."

Ace Recycling will be permitting its operations through the Department of Environmental Quality, a requirement for new materials recovery facilities, and also will be working with Chesterfield County on its modifications to the existing building. Mogul said he is hoping to have the facility operational by summer 2008.

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