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# Millions Recycled at Drop-Off Boxes

## Program Recognized as Rumpke Recycler of the Month

CIRCLEVILLE, Ohio – Feb. 19, 2008 – Rumpke recently recognized the Ross-Pickaway-Highland-Fayette Solid Waste Management District (RPHF SWMD) as the Rumpke Recycler of the Month.

Rumpke chose to honor the RPHF SWMD for the district's successful drop-off box recycling program in the four counties. Since 2005, residents recycled more than 4.2 million pounds of materials, including 2.2 million pounds last year.

"Rumpke is very proud to partner with the RPHF Solid Waste Management District," said Jack Kerr, Rumpke sales manager. "The communities have demonstrated a clear commitment to preserving our environment through recycling."

Rumpke and the RPHF SWMD together provide nearly 30 drop-off box recycling locations for residents to use at no cost. Acceptable materials include paper, newspaper, cardboard, magazines, plastic bottles, glass bottles and jars, aluminum cans and steel cans. Rumpke collects the materials weekly.

Rumpke recognizes organizations for their recycling efforts with the Rumpke Recycler of the Month honor. The organization receives special recognition during a Columbus Blue Jackets game, as part of the distinction. The Blue Jackets acknowledged the RPHF SWMD during the game on Feb. 10. Past award recipients include Kenworth Truck Company, Riverside Hospital and Union Recyclers, Inc.

Rumpke Consolidated Companies, Inc. is one of the nation's largest privately owned, residential and commercial waste and recycling firms. Rumpke provides service to areas of Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and Indiana. Other Rumpke divisions include Rumpke Recycling, Rumpke Portable Restrooms, The William-Thomas Group, Rumpke Hydraulics & Machining and Rumpke Ballpark. The Rumpke business began in 1932, and its regional facilities are located in Columbus and Circleville.

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