

July 13, 2009

Mr. Fred Gallasch
30575 Rosemond Drive
Franklin, MI 48025

Dear Fred,

With our merger now complete, I have time to reflect on our Corvette incentive promotion. As a waste services provider, our knowledge of the automotive industry was limited, which is a risky situation when the incentive involves the potential purchase of approximately 300 Corvettes. Your extensive understanding of the industry and broad network of contacts were instrumental to successfully implementing this program.

The unexpected bonus was your appreciation and creative insights for marketing the program within our organization. From tapping the Corvette family to suggesting an event at the museum, your ideas offered out-of-the-box opportunities for us to leverage this program within the organization to drive the desired business results.

I thank you for your time and profound efforts in support of this program and I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

James Zeumer
Senior Vice President, Public Affairs, Communications
and Investor Relations
Allied Waste Industries, Inc.