

**Introduction of waste management and recycling systems in small towns of Ukraine  
(UKR/SGP/OP5/Y4/STAR/CH/14/47)**



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| <b>Implementing NGO</b>      | NGO “Ecological technologies”   |
| <b>GEF Focal area</b>        | Chemicals   |
| <b>GEF Operational phase</b> | OP5 Y4  |
| <b>Grant amount</b>          | 49 900 USD  |
| <b>Type of the project</b>   | Demonstration, Information Dissemination, Networking and Policy Dialogue  |
| <b>Project partners</b>      | Malyn, Korostyshiv, Radomyshl and Zhytomyr districts, NGO “Eco-development”, NGO “Development and Environment”                            |
| <b>Cofinancing</b>           | NGO “Eco-development”, PE Danylenko M.I., in-kind contribution from villages in Malyn, Korostyshiv, Radomyshl and Zhytomyr districts      |
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### Project objectives:

- The main objective of the project is to attract attention of the local communities to the global problems of plastic and paper waste through development and implementation of waste recycling practices. NGO helps local authorities and communities to raise awareness on waste management, establish local partnerships and implement innovative solutions in the process of further work in this area. The project achieves its objective by promoting waste recycling and organizing demonstrational points for separate collection of secondary raw materials in the villages of Korostyshiv, Zhytomyr and Malyn districts for further processing on local level.

### Project results:

- The project working group conducted open public hearings in Korostyshiv, Zhytomyr and Malyn districts where they presented the project and discussed all details of the project including technical equipment, places for collection points location, resources and routs of raw materials delivery, etc.
- Till November 2014 the project rented the storage, cleaned the building for demonstrational collection point, equipped with baling press machine and loading machine, installed equipment.
- NGO conducted informational campaign to present the point for separate collection of secondary raw materials through local authorities, partner organizations, Internet resources. Conducted presentation to the SGP mission from Moldova.
- Currently the project working group formed the list/database of potential places to collect raw materials, determined appropriate routes of transportation and fully organized the work of collection point in Zhytomyr. Collection point receives around 80 t of paper and cardboard, 4 t of plastic bottles and 15 t of other plastic items a month.
- 5 working places were created for local people.
- It is planned to broaden the capacities of acting collection point and continue to disseminate information about it in media and through networking.