

KDHE SFY2014 Waste Tire Grant Program
Tire-derived Product Application for Manufacturers
and Instructions for Sales/Distributors

August 2, 2013

The State of Kansas Bureau of Waste Management is offering a waste tire grant for purchasing tire-derived products. This program is offered under the authority granted to KDHE by K.S.A. 65-3424g. Thank you for your continued efforts to recycle waste tires!

Products must be registered by the manufacturer. A list of approved products and distributors/sales is published prior to the grant application period. Both the products and distributors must be pre-approved by the BWM grant manager.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **If a product was listed in the last three years, the manufacturer is required to confirm the information on the product registration prior to October 31, 2013 to remain on the list.** (See the KDHE scan of product registrations here: www.kdheks.gov/waste/grants/registrationscans081213.pdf.) **If any information has changed, please submit an updated registration. If there are no changes, email the SUBMIT FORM *found on the web page* to KHicks@kdheks.gov prior to OCTOBER 31, 2013.**
- **If the product was not registered in the last 3 years, the manufacturer or original supplier must submit a registration form, plus a *sample*; specifications, certifications and warranties for each product; and a copy of the ASTM 1591 (ADA) and if used on playgrounds the ASTM 1292 test report for fall height criteria prior to October 31, 2013 to be placed on the KDHE list.**
- Products made from **Kansas tires will receive priority consideration if a summary of Kansas tires received at the manufacturing facility in the last two years is provided to KDHE. Reports must include 1. quantity of tires received by year, 2. who they came from, and 3. a short statement of how these tires are used in the product.** Note: The State of Kansas does require a license for tire haulers. **Submit to KDHE prior to October 31, 2013.**
- ***Distributors/Sales - either self- identified or contacted by the manufacturer- who wish to be listed on the KDHE list must send an email with their name, company, address, phone, fax and email and each individual product you represent - by name - listed by manufacturer - to KHicks@kdheks.gov prior to November 15, 2013. Only products that are properly registered by October 31, 2013 will be published as eligible for reimbursement by grant funds.***

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. *The KDHE Bureau of Waste Management will offer successful applicants a reimbursement of 50% of the cost to purchase tire-derived products.*

2. This program will encourage the purchase of playground cover material and other waste tire-derived products produced from waste tires. *Tire-derived products means: athletic field surfacing, playground cover, horticulture products, and molded or extruded products made from recycled waste tires.*
3. *The Governor's Advisory Committee for Waste Tire Management Grants has given **priority to projects from first time applicants using products made from Kansas generated waste tires, and to projects that include accessibility in their design.** These priorities are communicated to the applicants; however, you should understand that the funding of an application with grant money is not guaranteed. Each grantee must enter into a contract with KDHE. Reimbursement is based upon availability of program funding and may be terminate at any time with 60 days notice. In addition, please do not sell the listed products to a grantee before the start date of their contract with KDHE or the purchase will not be eligible for reimbursement with grant money. *Products must not be purchased before the start of the contract (Likely July 1, 2014.)**
4. **Products for playground surfaces must be tested** to ASTM 1292-04 (Head Impact - critical fall height). The manufacturer or original supplier must submit a copy of the most recent ASTM 1292 test results along with a product sample that matches the product tested.
5. **In order to claim ADA accessibility and gain preferred status**, playground surface products must also be tested to ASTM F1951 (Standard Specification for Determination of Accessibility to Surface Systems under and Around Playground Equipment.) – **THEY DO NOT HAVE TO PASS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A GRANT.** Products for playground surfaces that meet the ADA recommendations and projects designed for accessibility will be given preference over products/projects that do not.
6. Materials and Installation of Playground Surfacing should conform to Consumer Product Safety Commission guidelines for Public Playground Safety (Publication 325). Note: The CPSC **currently recommends a minimum of 6” of compacted crumb rubber** for a ten foot fall height.
7. **Coating and/or coloring is required on playground surfacing.** Additionally, installations of all-black playground surfacing material will be required to have signage to warn users of the temperature hazards in Kansas.
8. The product supplier will be responsible for any installation training or guidance.
9. **IMPORTANT**** A signed **final certification of installation statement** will be required for **all playground surface material** before final payment of grant funds. The statement certifies that the product: 1. is the same as the named product on the approved list, 2. that it was installed according to manufacturer's guidelines and 3. it passes fall height standards. The grant applicant will be asked to include a name of a person on the application that meets the qualifications and to make this statement. *This person may be a representative of the manufacturer of the product, or may have been “trained” by the distributor, or be a licensed engineer, architect, or playground safety inspector.* Supplying a product that was not on the pre-approved list and of an inferior grade will result in being removed from the approved listing in future grant years.
10. KDHE SFY 2014 Waste Tire Management Grants will not pay for **grant management, design, planning, salaries, base preparation, drainage, or labor to install loose fill, or other surfacing such as synthetic grass not made from waste tires**; only the waste tire portion of a surface system, such as crumb rubber under artificial turf, may be eligible for this grant.
11. **Quotes:** All applications for a grant must be accompanied by a legitimate quote. If you want the grant applicant to succeed, **please send a written quote to the potential grantee.** Use an “official” form or letterhead; include specific product information with the **name, price, weight or number, and coverage.** (Sq. ft. @ _xx_depth)

12. **Invoices:** For recycling reporting, all invoices must include the **weight of recycled tire product sold** to the grantee.

Send vendor documentation attn: Kris Hicks, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 320,
Topeka, KS 66612. Khicks@kdheks.gov (785) 296-1026 (ph) (785) 296-1592 (fx)

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NEW Product Registration FORM (Page One)

***This form is to be completed by the manufacturer or authorized representative, NOT the distributor or seller.
If you are distributor/sales then, see the instructions in the bullets above.

Due to the difficulty in evaluating larger or complex projects, please provide as much information about your product as possible for our files. The committee must be able to quickly evaluate the environmental or health benefits of such projects.

Product Manufacturer: _____

 Contact name Phone number Fax Number

 Address City State/ZIP

 Email Web address

-----Product info – For additional space, Use last page of this form. -----

Product name:	(Please use one sheet per product)	Product Warranties:	Yes	NO	Number of years
>>		UV Coating?			
% of waste tires? Must be the predominant material.	%	Other?			
Product size: Mat of crumb size (mesh, sq. ft. etc.)		Color Warranty?			
>>		Functionality Warrantee?			
For Athletic field/Playground/Other Surfacing:		Installation provided?			xxxxxx
Date tested for ASTM 1292		>>>> If so, is Installation guaranteed?			
Date tested for ASTM 1951		>>>> Is Installation training provided?			
99.9% wire-free?	yes/no	Are Installation materials provided to the customer?			

Packaging type/ size:	Weight	Cu. Ft. Volume	Number of tires
Supersac			
Bag			
Other			

I certify that these specifications, guarantees and warranties apply to this product and are applicable until officially updated with the Kansas waste tire grant program.

 Print Name of Authorized Representative Title

 Signature of Authorized Representative Date

