In accordance with <u>Section 22a-630(d)-1(c) of the Regulations of the Connecticut State Agencies</u>, the DEEP is required to post the annual budget for the administration of the electronic waste recycling law, Chapter 446n of Connecticut General Statutes.

State Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Budget for Administration of Connecticut DEEP's Electronics Recycling Program

Costs		Budget Amount
Personnel ¹ Licensing, Inspections, Enforcement, Legal, Program Development and Support, Public Education and Outreach, Reporting, Database Maintenance, etc.		\$335,686
Membership & e-Cycling Registration Fees - Electronics Recycling Coordination Clearinghouse (ERCC) - Membership Fees		\$7,250
Contractual Services - NERC/ERCC Manufacturer Market Share Data (\$22,550) ⁵ - Electronic Metrics Tracking System Development (\$20,000)		\$22,550 \$20,000
Subtotal		\$385,486
Adjustments		
Credit(s)/Deduction(s): - Personnel (labor) ⁶ - 2024-2025 Revenue Collected ⁷ - Electronic Metrics Tracking System Development ⁸ Total Cost Adjustment	-\$76,405 +\$24,350 -\$20,000	-\$72,055
Total		\$313,431 ⁹

¹Projected labor costs include fringe, indirect, and union contractual costs.

 $^{^{2}}$ ERCC membership fee will be \$4,000 increase by 14.28% (\$500) from SFY 2024-25 budget.

³ Participation in E-Scrap conference cost will be \$1,250 (changed to biannual) decrease by 50% (\$1,250) from SFY 2024-25 budget.

⁴ New rate for states over 3 million population, increase by 100% (\$1,000) from SFY 2024-25 budget

⁵ Cost of market share increased by 8.49% (\$1,765) from 2024-2025 fiscal year due to one state decreased for participating to share the prices.

⁶ Credit applied (i.e. reduction in projected budget) based on difference between projected and actual labor costs in FY 2024-25.

⁷ Administrative fees collected in SFY 2024-25 (\$306,208) less than the projected budget (\$330,558) by \$24,350. Fees collected by DEEP derived from initial and annual registration, and delinquent fees that were paid by manufacturers.

⁸ Spent \$0 of \$20,000 for Electronic Metrics Tracking System Development in 2024-25.

⁹ Overall budget projected to decrease by 5.18% (\$17,127) from SFY 2024-25 budget.