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## Computer Technician Recognized as Rookie Recycler of the Year at NRRRA Conference

EPSOM, NH – New Hampshire the Beautiful, Northeast Resource Recovery Association (NRRRA) and NRRRA’s School Recycling CLUB announced that Alex Kittridge, Computer Technician for the White Mountain Regional School District #36, was named their Individual Rookie Recycler of the Year. While Alex could not attend the ceremony, his name and accolades were presented at the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual School Recycling Conference Awards Luncheon on May 21, 2019 at the DoubleTree by Hilton Manchester Downtown Hotel in Manchester, NH.

Alex was nominated by Tim Phillips of the WMRSD. According to Tim, Alex Kittridge has been employed as a Computer Technician for the District for 1 ½ years. When upgrades resulted in 650 outdated laptops, Alex found a way to keep them out of the landfill by recycling them. Each laptop had to be packed in individual boxes, wrapped in plastic and stacked on pallets. The resulting 10 pallets were shipped for recycling and resulted in a small profit for the School District!

“Electronics recycling is always a challenge for our schools,” said Michael Durfor, NRRRA Executive Director. “We applaud the outstanding initiative Alex showed in keeping hundreds of laptops out of the landfill, while generating revenue for his school district.”

A total of nine awards were given out. For nomination details on each recipient, visit The School Recycling CLUB website [www.schoolrecycling.net](http://www.schoolrecycling.net) and click on the [2019 Conference Awards](#) tab, or visit our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/school.recycling>

### About NRRRA’s School Recycling CLUB

The School Recycling CLUB (The CLUB) is a non-profit group that assists K-12 schools in implementing, maintaining and improving recycling programs. The CLUB is managed by NRRRA. CLUB membership offers school groups a chance to join a program that will help them promote or advance their efforts, network with other school groups, and stimulate school recycling, reducing waste and saving energy. To learn more, visit [www.schoolrecycling.net](http://www.schoolrecycling.net)

### About New Hampshire the Beautiful

New Hampshire the Beautiful (NHtB) is a non-profit 501 (c)(3) Charitable Trust supported by members of the NH Soft Drink Association, the Beverage Distributors of New Hampshire Association and the New Hampshire Grocers Association. This collaborative effort by food and beverage companies has developed comprehensive programs to address, litter issues, recycling challenges, environmental awareness and education. To learn more, visit [www.nhthebeautiful.org](http://www.nhthebeautiful.org)

### About Northeast Resource Recovery Association (NRRRA)

Since 1981, NRRRA has acted a clearinghouse for current, up-to-date information and a source of technical and marketing assistance in the general areas of waste reduction and recycling. NRRRA is a member driven organization made up of over 400 municipalities, individuals, and businesses in New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Southern Maine. NRRRA is a non-profit 501(c) organization.