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Casella Waste Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("<u>Casella</u>" or the "<u>Company</u>"), is filing materials contained in this Schedule 14A with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("<u>SEC</u>") in connection with the solicitation of proxies from its stockholders in connection with its 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held on Friday, November 6, 2015 and at any and all adjournments or postponements thereof (the "<u>2015 Annual Meeting</u>"). Casella has not yet filed a preliminary or definitive proxy statement with the SEC in connection with its solicitation of proxies to be used at the 2015 Annual Meeting.

Slide Presentation First Used On August 11, 2015

Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a copy of the slide presentation to be presented and distributed by Casella in connection with investor meetings and presentations at the Jefferies 2015 Industrials Conference to be held on Tuesday, August 11, 2015 at the Grand Hyatt hotel in New York, New York. This slide presentation may also be used from time to time after August 11, 2015 in presentations or meetings with current and potential investors. This presentation is being filed herewith because it may be deemed to be solicitation material in respect of the potential solicitation of proxies to be used at the 2015 Annual Meeting.

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and other targets; landfill operations and permit status may be affected by factors outside our control; we may be required to incur capital expenditures in excess of our estimates; fluctuations in energy pricing or the commodity pricing of our recyclables may make it more difficult for us to predict our results of operations or meet our estimates; actions of activist investors and the cost and disruption of responding to those actions; and we may incur environmental charges or asset impairments in the future. There are a number of other important risks and uncertainties that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those indicated by such forward-looking statements. These additional risks and uncertainties include, without limitation, those detailed in Item 1A, "Risk Factors" in our Form 10-KT for the transition period ended December 31, 2014 and in our Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2015.

We undertake no obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by the federal securities laws.



Casella Waste Systems - Overview

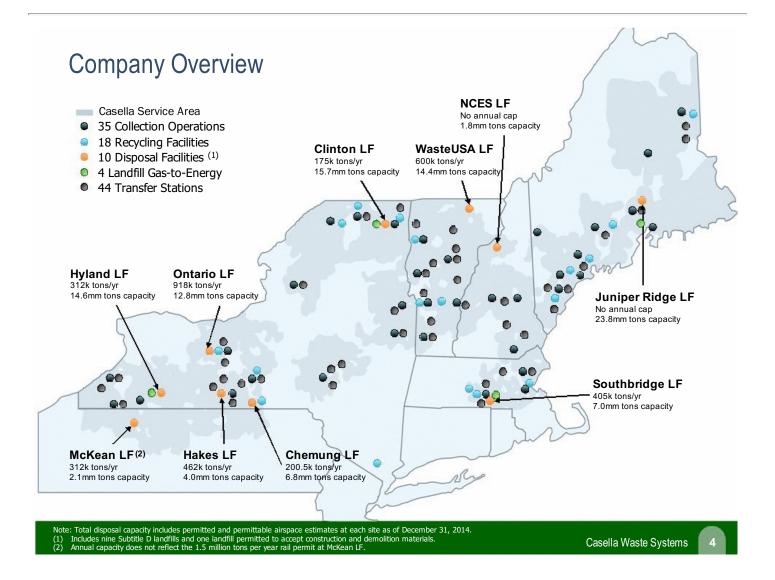
Casella provides integrated solid waste, recycling and resource services.

- \$535.8 mm of revenues for LTM ended 6/30/15.
- Integrated operations located in six northeast states.

Focused on providing customers with waste and resource solutions.

- Waste and resource assets are well positioned in the northeast.
- Robust transfer network allows us to effectively move waste and recyclables to our disposal & processing facilities.
- Provide customers with value-added resource solutions through our Recycling, Organics, and Customer Solutions operations.



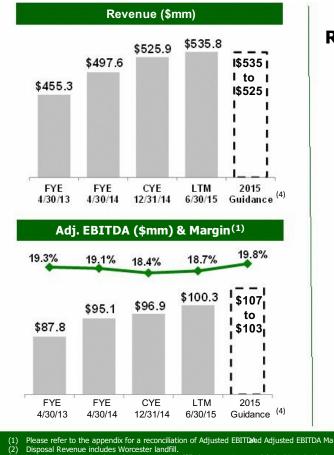


Strong execution of key strategies since Dec 2012

Strategic Focus since Dec 2012	Results								
#1 - Executing leadership changes	New President/COO and CFO in Dec 2012								
#2 - Sourcing incremental landfill volumes	 Annual Landfill volumes up +716k tons since FY 2013⁽¹⁾ Annual Disposal AEBITDA up +\$15.8mm since FY 2013⁽¹⁾ 								
#3 - Driving additional profitability of collection operations	 Pricing programs continue to drive value; with Residential & Commercial pricing up +4.3% in Q2 2015 Focused on operational efficiency programs 								
#4 - Executing Eastern Region strategy	 AEBITDA margins up from 15.0% LTM 10/31/12 to over 22% LTM 6/30/15 Repositioned assets and improved operations New municipal contracts; MSW permit at Juniper Ridge LF; expanded Southbridge LF; sold BioFuels; acquired BBI; sold Maine Energy 								
#5 - Reducing business risk	 Sold non-core, non-performing operations (Maine Energy, BioFuels, GreenFiber, CARES assets) Changed fiscal year end to better match business cycle Refinanced Revolver in Feb 2015 (new maturity 2020) 								

(1) Excludes low priced soils at the Worcester landfill closure project.

Results up significantly on strategic execution

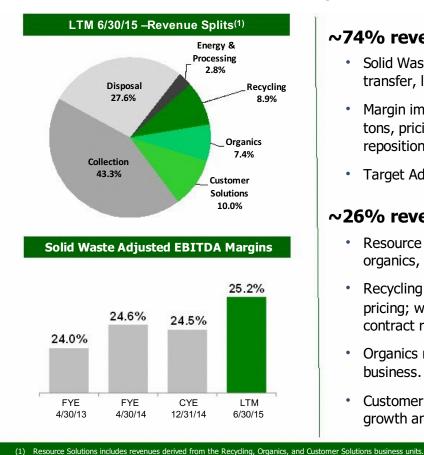


Results since FY 2013:

- Revenue growth +\$80.5mm (or +17.7%) mainly driven by Disposal (+\$39.7mm) ⁽²⁾, Collection (+\$23.6mm), and Customer Solutions (+\$18.2mm).
- Adj. EBITDA up +\$12.5mm (or +14.2%) mainly driven by higher landfill volumes and strategic execution.
- Landfill tons up +716k annually (or +20.1%), ٠ while increasing pricing by +2.5%. ⁽³⁾
- Residential and Commercial collection price • increases accelerating (up +4.3% in Q2 2015).

Please refer to the appendix for a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDAND Adjusted EBITDA Margin to the comparable GAAP numbers. osal Revenue includes Worcester landfill. udes low-priced soils at the Worcester landfill closure project. (4) CY 2015 Guidance as updated/reaffirmed on 7/29/15

Solid Waste operations driving improving margins



~74% revenues in Solid Waste.

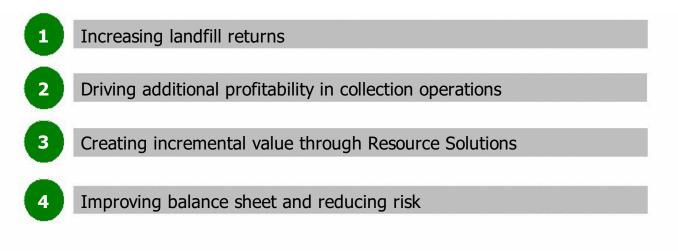
- Solid Waste consists of integrated collection, transfer, landfill, energy, and processing.
- Margin improvement driven by higher landfill tons, pricing, cost efficiencies, and asset repositioning.
- Target Adj. EBITDA margins > 27% in 2018.

~26% revenues in Resource Solutions.⁽¹⁾

- Resource Solutions consists of recycling, organics, and Customer Solutions operations.
- Recycling margins down on lower commodity pricing; working to improve with SRA Fee, contract resets, and operating efficiencies.
- Organics margins flat; low margin, high return business.
- Customer Solution margins up on Industrials growth and higher G&A leverage.

Strategic plan expected to drive significant shareholder value

Management focused in key areas to increase free cash flow and to reduce debt leverage:



Strategic plan expected to drive significant shareholder value

Plan focused on improving Free Cash Flow and reducing debt leverage:

	CY 2015 Guidance Range ⁽¹⁾	CY 2018 Financial Targets
Revenues	\$525mm to \$535mm	CAGR 1.7% to 2.6%
Adjusted EBITDA (2)	\$103mm to \$107mm	\$122mm to \$132mm
Free Cash Flow ⁽²⁾	\$15mm to \$19mm	\$30mm to \$40mm
Total Debt-to-EBITDA (3)	N/A	3.25x to 3.75x
Capital Expenditures	\$45mm to \$48mm (8.6% to 9.0% of revenues)	8.7% to 9.5% of revenues

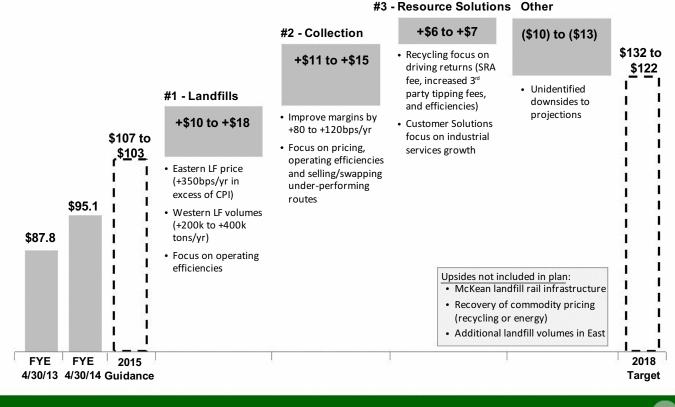
(1) CY 2015 Guidance as updated/reaffirmed on 7/29/15.

(2) Adjusted EBITDA and Free Cash Flow as defined in the appendix reconciliation.

(3) Total Debt-to-EBITDA asdefined as "ConsolidatedLeverage Ratio" in the Company's Loan & Security Agreementdated as of 2/27/15 ("ABL Revolver").

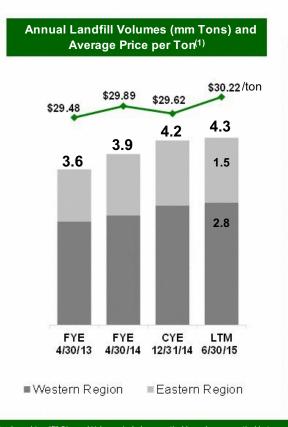
Strategic initiatives expected to drive profitable growth

Adjusted EBITDA Bridge (\$mm)





Increasing landfill returns



Landfill Highlights:

- Casella controls 10 landfills in strategic locations across the Northeast.
- Total disposal capacity ~103 mm tons. ⁽²⁾
- Total annual landfill volumes up +716k tons (or +20.1%) since FY 2013.
- Roughly 0.5mm tons of excess annual permitted capacity at 6/30/15.
- Average price per ton up +4.9% in Q2 2015, with strong pricing in Eastern Region (+6.2%).

Annual Landfill Disposal Volumes includes amortizable and non-amortizable tons, excludes low-priced soils at the Worcester landfill closure project.
 Includes both permitted and permittableirspace at landfills.

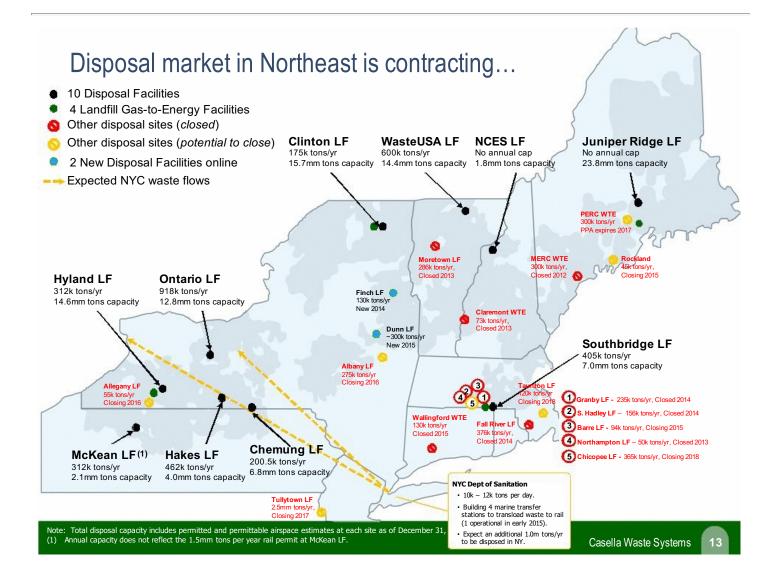


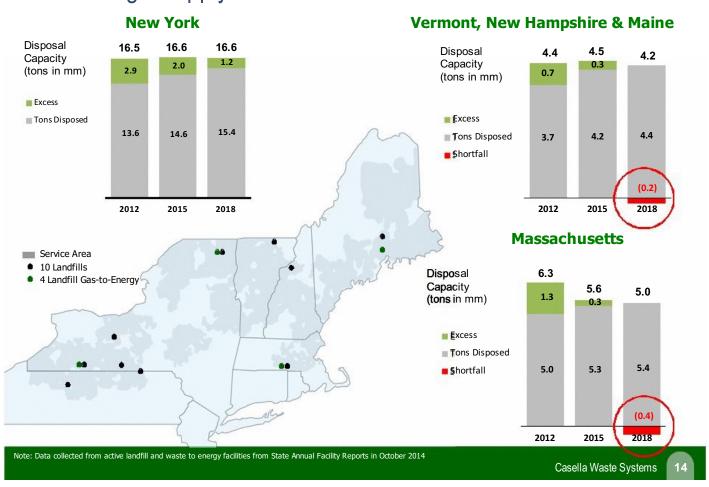
Strategy capitalizes on improving market and asset positioning to further improve landfill returns.

- Eastern Region focus on pricing; capacity constraints provide tailwind. Goal to increase pricing +350bps/yr in excess of inflation.
- Western Region focus on maximizing capacity utilization; high margin incremental tons. Goal to increase annual tons by +200k to +400k tons/yr.

Market dynamics are improving across our footprint area.

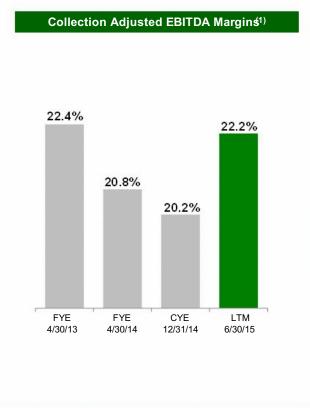
- Disposal site closures (and expected closures) are creating a supply-demand imbalance.
- Within our footprint, roughly 1.5mm tons/yr of disposal capacity has closed since Dec 2012, and an additional 1.3mm tons/yr is expected to permanently close in the next couple years, offset by 0.4mm tons/yr of new disposal capacity (= net closure of 2.4mm tons/yr).
- NYC Dept of Sanitation contracts expected to shift roughly +1.0mm tons/yr of additional waste to competitor landfills in upstate NY (reducing excess capacity in market).
- Tullytown closure in Eastern PA expected to remove over 2.5mm tons/yr of landfill capacity.





... creating a supply-demand imbalance

Driving additional profitability in collection operations



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Strategies to improve Collection margins by +80 to 120bps/yr:

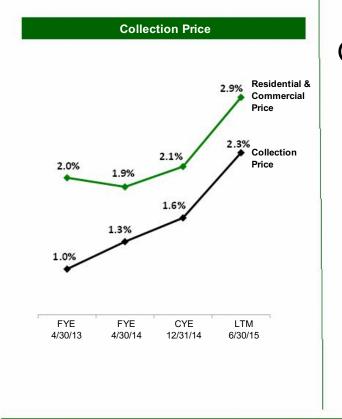
- 1) Pricing over inflation;
- 2) Operating efficiencies; and
- 3) Selling or swapping under-performing routes or operations.

(1) Collection Adjusted EBITDA margins on a last 12 months basis.

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Driving additional profitability in collection operations - continued



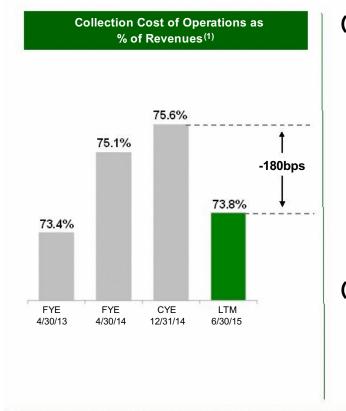
(1) Focus on pricing discipline.

- Residential and commercial pricing up +4.3% YOY in Q2 2015.
- Decentralized sales model focused on pricing and quality of revenues.
- Launched an SRA fee in Q2 2015 to offset lower recycling commodity values.
- The roll-off market has shown early signs of rebounding, with growth in select markets.

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Driving additional profitability in collection operations - continued



(2) Focus on operating efficiencies.

- Cost of Operations as a % of revenues down -350bps YOY in Q2 2015.
- Route profitability improving routing efficiency with new routing tools, marketing improving density, equipment choice.
- Fleet optimization implementing fleet plan to standardize fleet selection, reduce maintenance costs, reduce spare ratios, and solve lingering fleet issues.
- Reducing volatility by locking in roughly 45% of fuel at fixed forward prices.

(3) Focus on selling or swapping under-performing routes.

- Sold low-margin hauling routes for \$0.9mm in total proceeds during Q2 2015.
- Completing review for additional opportunities.

(1) Collection Cost of Operations as a % of Collection Revenues on a last 12 months basis.

Creating incremental value through Resource Solutions

Zero-Sort[®] Recycling

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- Casella operates 6 Zero-Sort MRFs in our integrated footprint.
- Mature facilities operating at ~95% of capacity; new Lewiston, ME MRF online in Q2 2015.
- Recycling volumes up +10.8% YOY for LTM ended 6/30/15. (1)
- Reshaping business to reduce commodity risk and improve returns through: higher tipping fees, SRA fee (+\$4.9mm when fully implemented in Q1 2016), operating efficiencies, and contract resets (expect to complete ~50% in next 12 months).

Customer Solutions

- Resource solutions for Industrial, Municipal, Institutional, and multi-location Retail customers.
- Growth opportunities in the Industrial segment (lower margins with high FCF).
- CS revenues up +16.3% YOY for LTM ended 6/30/15.

Casella Organics

- Business model is primarily focused on transforming Biosolids into renewable products for fertilization and landscaping.
- Working with partners to transform source separated organics into energy or compost.

(1) Shipped tons from MRFs on a "same store basis" .

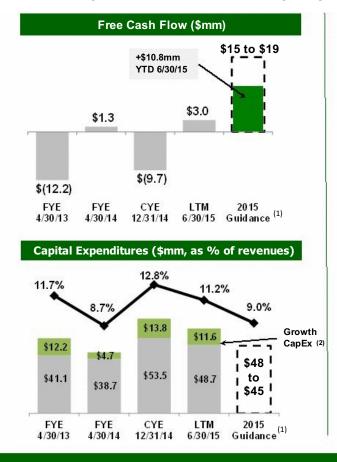


Focused over last 2 ¹/₂ years on reducing risk, improving the balance sheet, and increasing cash flows:

- Dec 2012 sold Maine Energy for \$6.7mm; eliminated negative cash flow operation. ⁽¹⁾
- July 2013 sold BioFuels for \$2.0mm; eliminated negative cash flow operation.
- Dec 2013 sold 50% stake in US GreenFiber resulting in \$3.4mm net cash proceeds; eliminated non-integrated, negative cash flow operation. ⁽²⁾
- Dec 2014 completed environmental remediation and closure at three sites.
- Feb 2015 refinanced Senior Secured Revolver with new ABL Revolver (LIBOR +225bps); moved out maturities 5-yrs and increased financial flexibility.
- Mar 2015 sold CARES assets and wholly-owned assets/real estate for \$3.1mm net cash proceeds; eliminated non-integrated, negative cash flow operation.
- Jun 2015 sold low-margin hauling routes for \$0.9mm in total proceeds.

Maine Energy sold for \$6.7mm to the City of Biddeford, ME, with the purchase price to be paid in equal annual payments over 20 years. As part of the transaction, Casella dismantled the facility and remediated the site.
 US GreenFiber sold for \$18.0mm gross proceeds, with \$3.4mm net proceeds for Casella's 50% equity interest.

Strategic execution driving higher Free Cash Flows



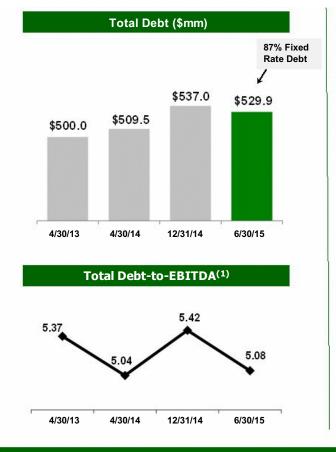
Focused on improving Free Cash Flow:

- Free Cash Flow +\$10.8mm YTD 6/30/15.
- Strategic actions taken since Dec 2012 have reduced risk and improved cash flows.
- Plan to use excess cash to repay high cost debt and for select tuck-in acquisitions/investments.
- Driving higher FCF through operating cash flows, lower interest costs, and maintaining strict capital discipline.
- Capital Expenditures at 9.0% of revenues for CY 2015 guidance, roughly industry average.
- Tax loss carryforwards will help to accelerate delevering (as of 12/31/14, \$89.5mm of Federal NOLs and tax credits). ⁽³⁾

(1) CY 2015 Guidance as updated/reaffirmed on 7/29/15.

- (2) Growth capital expenditures as defined in the Appendix.
- (3) Total tax carryforwards include \$83.1mm of Federal NOLs and \$6.4mm of Federal tax credits; total excludes \$100 4mm of State NOLs

Capital structure provides runway and flexibility to execute strategy



Paid down \$18.7mm of debt and reduced debt leverage by -0.35x in Q2 2015⁽¹⁾

- Borrowing Availability \$58.8mm on 6/30/15. ⁽³⁾
- Plan to further pay down debt and reduce leverage through the remainder of 2015.

Next major debt maturity is the 7.75% Senior Sub Notes due Feb 2019.

- New \$190mm ABL Revolver (due Feb 2020) creates additional financial flexibility.
- ABL Revolver allows prepayment of Senior Sub Notes with excess cash (enabling repayment of our highest cost debt, 7.75% interest rate).
- Continue to add tax-exempt SW Disposal Revenue bonds to capital structure to reduce cost of longterm debt (17% of debt after new FAME bonds). ⁽²⁾

 Total Debt-to-EBITDA as defined as "Consolidated Leverage Ratio" in the Company's Loan & Security Agreement dated as of 2/27/15 ("ABL Revolver"); as reconciled in the Appendix.

As of 6/30/15, \$77.0mm of SW Disposal Revenue bonds; expect to close \$15.0mm FAME bond on 8/27/15.
 As of 6/30/15, our Borrowing Availability under the ABL Facility was calculated as a borrowing base of \$150.4mm, less revolver borrowings of \$64.7mm, less outstanding irrevocable letters of credit totaling \$27.0mm, at which date no amount had been drawn.

Casella's value drivers...

Valuable integrated solid waste assets in disposal limited Northeast markets.

Management focused on increasing Free Cash Flow and reducing debt leverage.

Results demonstrate strong execution of plan.

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Near term focus of team:

- Improving landfill returns;
- Driving profitability of collection operations;
- Creating value through Resource Solutions;
- Improving balance sheet & reducing risk.

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Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA

Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to Net Loss

(\$ in thousands)		Fiscal Ye April	ded	12 montl Dec. 31		12 months ended June 30, 2015	6 months ender June 30, 2015	
		2013	2014	Dec. 31	, 2014	June 30, 2015	Jun	e 30, 2015
Revenue	\$	455,335	\$ 497,633	\$ 5	25,938	\$ 535,754	\$	260,292
Net loss	\$	(54,463)	\$ (27,404)	\$	(29,136)	\$ (12,169)	\$	(7,021)
Loss on disposal of discontinued operations, net		-	378		-	-		-
Loss (income) from discontinued operations, net		4,480	(284)		-	-		-
(Benefit) provision for income taxes		(2,526)	1,799		1,340	1,423		914
Other expense (income), net		23,501	(436)		1,849	2,348		510
Interest expense, net		41,429	37,863		38,082	39,148		20,065
Gain on settlement of acquisition related contingent consideration		-	(1,058)		(1,058)	-		-
Loss (gain) from divestiture, acquisition and financing costs		1,410	144		(529)	(553)		-
Severance and reorganization costs		3,709	586		426	(4)		-
Environmental remediation charge		-	400		950	950		-
Development project charge		-	1,394		1,394	-		-
Divestiture transactions		-	7,455		7,455	(5,611)		(5,611)
Depreciation and amortization		56,576	60,339		61,206	60,421		29,990
Fiscal year-end transition costs		-	-		538	538		-
Proxy contest costs		-	-		-	284		284
Tax settlement costs		679	-		-	-		-
Depletion of landfill operating lease obligations		9,372	9,948		10,725	10,046		4,359
Interest accretion on landfill and environmental remediation liabilities		3,675	3,985		3,606	3,484		1,704
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	87,842	\$ 95,108	\$	96,848	\$ 100,305	\$	45,194
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (%)		19.3%	19.1%		18.4%	18.7%		17.4%

Reconciliation of Free Cash Flow and Capital Expenditure detail

Non-GAAP Reconciliation of Free Cash Flow (\$ in thousands)	Fiscal Ye April		ded					6 months ended	
	2013		2014	Dec. 31, 2014		Jun 30, 2015		Jun	30, 2015
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities	\$ 43,906	\$	49,642	\$	62,158	\$	63,601	\$	23,889
Capital expenditures Payments on landfill operating lease contracts	(53,281) (6,261)		(43,326) (6,505)		(67,252) (5,440)		(60,258) (5,339)		(16,311) (1,425)
Proceeds from divestiture transactions Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	- 883		- 1,524		- 815		5,335 626		5,335 259
Proceeds from property insurance settlement Contributions from (distribution to) noncontrolling interest holders	- 2,531		-		-		546 (1,495)		546 (1,495)
Free Cash Flow	\$ (12,222)	\$	1,335	\$	(9,719)	\$	3,016	\$	10,798

Capital Expenditure Detail

(\$ in thousands)	Fiscal Year ended April 30,						onths ended e 30, 2015	6 months ended	
	2013			Dec. 31, 2014		Jun	2 30, 2015	June 30, 2015	
Total Growth Capital Expenditures	\$ 12,192	\$	4,664	\$	13,789	\$	11,553	\$	2,449
Replacement Capital Expenditures:									
Landfill construction & equipment	29,617		24,019		23,216		19,506		5,618
Vehicles, machinery / equipment and containers	8,552		10,465		25,102		23,719		6,707
Facilities	2,254		3,170		3,605		3,318		503
Other	 666	100	1,008		1,540		2,161		1,034
Total Replacement Capital Expenditures	 41,089	-	38,662	3	53,463		48,704		13,862
Total Capital Expenditures	\$ 53,281	\$	43,326	\$	67,252	\$	60,257	\$	16,311

Reconciliation of Consolidated Leverage Ratio

Reconciliation of Consolidated EBITDA (as defined by ABL Revolver) to Net cash provided by operating activities

(\$ in millions)	Fiscal A	r en 30,	ded	12 months ended 1 Dec. 31, 2014			2 months ended June 30, 2015		
	2013			2014					une 30, 2013
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 43	9	\$	4	9.6	\$	62.2	\$	63.6
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of effects of acquisitions and divestitures Divestiture transactions	(0	.6) -			9.2 (7.5)		(2.2) (6.9)		(1.4) 6.2
Gain on sale of property and equipment	0	.4			0.8		0.5		0.2
Gain (loss) on sale of equity method investment		-			0.6		(0.2)		-
Loss on debt extinguishment	(15	.6)			-		-		(0.5)
Stock based compensation and related severance expense, net of excess tax benefit	(2	.4)		((2.4)		(2.3)		(2.5)
Development project charge		-		((1.4)		(1.4)		-
Impairment of investment		-			-		(2.3)		(2.3)
Loss on derivative instruments	(4				(0.3)		(0.6)		(0.3)
Interest expense, less discount on long-term debt	40	.9		3	37.9		38.2		39.2
Provision for income taxes, net of deferred taxes	1	.0			0.2		0.2		0.6
Gain on settlement of acquisition related contigent consideration		-			1.1		1.1		-
EBITDA adjustment as allowed by the ABL Facility agreement		.8			9.3		7.5		(2.9)
Other adjustments as allowed by the ABL Facility agreement	 27	.1	50.0		4.0		5.3		4.5
Minimum consolidated EBITDA	\$ 93.	0	\$	10	1.1	\$	99.1	\$	104.4
Total Debt Consolidated Leverage Ratio (Total Debt-to-EBITDA)	\$ 500. 5.3		\$)9.5 5.04	\$	537.0 5.42	\$	529.9 5.08