

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION 2016-07**

BILL NO. 2016-08

Title of Bill: Disposal Fees - Central Landfill

Synopsis: A Bill to establish fees and rates for the Cecil County Solid Waste Management System (Central Landfill), on and after the effective date of this bill.

Introduced by: Council President at the request of the County Executive

Introduced and order posted on: April 5, 2016

Public hearing scheduled on: May 26, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Consideration scheduled on: June 7, 2016

By: _____
Council Manager

PUBLIC HEARING

Notice of time and place of public hearing and title of Bill having been posted by ___ at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton, and having been published according to the Charter on _____, a public hearing was held on ___ and concluded on _____.

By: _____
Council Manager

Explanation: CAPITALS INDICATE LANGUAGE ADDED.
~~Strike Through~~ indicates language deleted.
Underlining indicates language added by amendment.
~~Double Strike Through~~ indicates language deleted by amendment.

1 **WHEREAS**, Cecil County has a landfill enterprise fund and, as such, must operate as a business and
2 set fees and rates to cover all expenses; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Section 285 of the Cecil County Code authorizes the County to charge licensing and
4 service fees and penalties related to the proper disposal of solid waste for the maintenance of the
5 solid waste management system and landfills.

6 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND,**

- 7 1. That the attached Solid Waste Management Division Fee Schedule (Scales in Service) as
8 Appendix A and, the attached Solid Waste Management Division Fee Schedule (Scales not
9 in Service) as Appendix B are hereby adopted effective July 1, 2016 to cover the expenses
10 of the Cecil County Solid Waste Management System; and,
11 2. That the County Executive, the Director of Public Works, and the Director of Finance will
12 cause the fees, rates and penalties to be collected in the manner provided by law.

13 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND,** that
14 the fees, rates, and penalties shall be effective July 1, 2016 and shall continue in effect until
15 changed under the laws of the State of Maryland and/or Cecil County.

CERTIFICATION

I, HEREBY CERTIFY that the above Bill was posted for the public on the public bulletin board with the date, time and location of the public hearing meeting, copies were made available for the public, a copy was distributed to the press, and copy was made available on the Cecil County website.

BY Council Manager

**Cecil County Department of Public Works
Solid Waste Management Division Fee Schedule
(Scales in Service)
(Effective July 1, 2016)**

Item No.	Material Type/Charge	Tip Fee/Fee	Notes
1	Refuse	\$79.00 per ton	5
2	Household Refuse (Under 200 lbs) (100% Recyclables Separated)	\$7 per vehicle	
3	Household Refuse (Under 200 lbs)	\$14 per vehicle	
4	Single Stream Recyclables	Market Rate	1
5	Single Stream Recyclables (Under 200 lbs)	\$2 per vehicle	
6	Construction & Demolition Waste	\$79.00 per ton	4, 5
7	Sewage Sludge	\$79.00 per ton	2, 4, 5
8	Contaminated Soil	\$237.00 per ton	4, 5
9	Asbestos (Friable)	\$237.00 per ton	2, 4, 5
10	Tires (Less Than 12" Rim Size) (On or Off the Rim)	\$3.00 per tire	6
11	Tires (12 - 17" Rim Size) (On or Off the Rim)	\$5.00 per tire	6
12	Tires (18 - 24" Rim Size) (Off the Rim Only)	\$7.00 per tire	6
13	Tires (Over 24" Rim Size) (Cut in Quarters Only)	\$13.00 per tire	6
14	Tires (Bulk) (Per Ton)	\$180.00 per ton	5, 6
15	Wood Chips	\$15.00 per ton	5
16	Yard Waste	\$25 per ton	4, 5
17	Yard Waste (Under 400 lbs)	\$3 per vehicle	4
18	Christmas Trees	No Charge	7
19	Wood; Stumps; Logs (Over 3 Inches in Diameter)	\$79.00 per ton	5
20	Special Handling Wastes	\$237.00 per ton	2, 3, 5
21	Pallets (Unpainted and Untreated)	\$25.00 per ton	5
22	Electronics	No Charge	
23	Sharps	No Charge	
24	Textiles	No Charge	
25	Batteries	No Charge	
26	Antifreeze	No Charge	
27	Oil - Motor	No Charge	
28	Oil - Vegetable	No Charge	
29	White Goods	No Charge	
30	Scrap Metal	No Charge	
31	Fluorescent Lamps	No Charge	12
32	Printer Cartridges	No Charge	
33	Cork	No Charge	
34	Paint - Latex	No Charge	
35	Polystyrene	No Charge	
36	Vinyl Siding	No Charge	
37	Eyewear	No Charge	
38	Tire Recovery Charge	\$40.00 per tire	4
39	Mulch (For Sale) (Mulch in Containers or Bags)	\$2.00 per load	
40	Mulch (For Sale) (Per Pick-up or Single-Axle Trailer)	\$5 per load	
41	Mulch (For Sale) (Per Combo Load of Pickup & Trailer)	\$10.00 per load	
42	Mulch (For Sale) (Commercial Quantities) (As Available)	\$25.00 per ton	2
43	Public Scale Fee	\$10.00 per transaction	
44	Non-Resident Permit Application Fee	\$10.00 per application	8
45	Commercial Refuse Haulers License Application/ Renewal Fee	\$50.00 Application/ Renewal Fee plus \$25 per truck	
46	Late Fee	1% per month	9
47	Insufficient Funds Fee	\$25.00 per check	
48	Delinquent Account Closure Fee	\$25.00 per account per occurrence	10
49	Mixed Load Fee		11

Notes:

- (1) Market Rate is the County's cost to transport and dispose of material at the County's contracted Material Recovery Facility as determined monthly by the Cecil County Department of Public Works.
- (2) Requires prior coordination with Solid Waste Management Division.
- (3) Includes but is not limited to such things as mobile homes, trailer campers, boats, trailers, etc.
- (4) As defined by Chapter 318 of the Code of Cecil County.
- (5) Minimum charge for scaled loads is \$14.00.
- (6) Maximum of five tires per year per customer accepted without a Tire Hauler License issued by the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE). Customers hauling more than five tires per year must obtain a Tire Hauler License from MDE.
- (7) Limit one tree per household per year; valid from 12/26 - 1/31 annually.
- (8) Waived for active duty military personnel with valid military identification.
- (9) Minimum late charge is \$5.00 per occurrence.
- (10) Assessed in the event a credit account is closed due to failure to pay the invoice within the specified time.
- (11) The tipping fee for any mixed load containing more than one category of waste shall be a fee equal to the highest tipping fee applicable to any category of waste contained in the load. The highest tipping fee will be applied to the entire load.
- (12) No charge for residential quantities. Commercial quantities cannot be accepted; contact SWMD for info regarding disposal options.

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Solid Waste Management Division Fee Schedule
(Scales NOT in Service)
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Appendix B

Commercial Vehicles

Item No.	Vehicle Type	Tip Fee (11)					Notes
		Refuse; Sewage Sludge (3)	Single Stream Recyclables	Construction & Demolition Waste (7)	Yard Waste; Wood Chips; Pallets	Other Waste Types (2)(3)(5)	
1	Any Vehicle with GVW 1 Ton or Less	\$110.00	\$7.00	\$110.00	\$40.00	\$330.00	1
2	Dump or Other Body Truck (GVW Over 1 Ton)(2 Axles)	\$220.00	\$35.00	\$220.00	\$80.00	\$660.00	1
3	Dump or Other Body Truck (GVW Over 1 Ton)(Tri-Axle or 10-Wheels)	\$275.00	\$70.00	\$275.00	\$110.00	\$825.00	1
4	Dump Trailer	\$330.00	\$80.00	\$330.00	\$135.00	\$990.00	1
5	13-20 Cubic Yard Compactor	\$275.00	\$70.00	\$275.00	\$110.00	\$825.00	1
6	21-25 Cubic Yard Compactor	\$330.00	\$80.00	\$330.00	\$135.00	\$990.00	1
7	26-30 Cubic Yard Compactor	\$390.00	\$90.00	\$390.00	\$160.00	\$1,170.00	1
8	Roll-Off	\$330.00	\$80.00	\$330.00	\$135.00	\$990.00	1

Non-Commercial Vehicles/Other

Item No.	Material Type/Charge	Tip Fee/Fee	Notes
9	Household Refuse (Under 200 lbs) (100% Recyclables Separated)	\$7 per vehicle	1
10	Household Refuse (Under 200 lbs)	\$14 per vehicle	1
11	Single Stream Recyclables (Under 200 lbs)	\$2 per vehicle	1
12	Tires (Less Than 12" Rim Size) (On or Off the Rim)	\$3.00 per tire	4
13	Tires (12 - 17" Rim Size) (On or Off the Rim)	\$5.00 per tire	4
14	Tires (18 - 24" Rim Size) (Off the Rim Only)	\$7.00 per tire	4
15	Tires (Over 24" Rim Size) (Cut in Quarters Only)	\$13.00 per tire	4
16	Yard Waste (Under 400 lbs)	\$3 per vehicle	1
17	Christmas Trees	No Charge	6
18	Electronics	No Charge	
19	Sharps	No Charge	
20	Textiles	No Charge	
21	Batteries	No Charge	
22	Antifreeze	No Charge	
23	Oil - Motor	No Charge	
24	Oil - Vegetable	No Charge	
25	White Goods	No Charge	
26	Scrap Metal	No Charge	
27	Fluorescent Lamps	No Charge	12
28	Printer Cartridges	No Charge	
29	Cork	No Charge	
30	Paint - Latex	No Charge	
31	Polystyrene	No Charge	
32	Vinyl Siding	No Charge	
33	Eyewear	No Charge	
34	Tire Recovery Charge	\$40.00 per tire	7
35	Mulch (For Sale) (Mulch in Containers or Bags)	\$2.00 per load	
36	Mulch (For Sale) (Per Pick-up or Single-Axle Trailer)	\$5 per load	
37	Mulch (For Sale) (Per Combo Load of Pickup & Trailer)	\$10.00 per load	
38	Mulch (For Sale) (Commercial Quantities) (As Available)	\$12.50 per cubic yard	3
39	Public Scale Fee	\$10.00 per transaction	
40	Non-Resident Permit Application Fee	\$10.00 per application	8
41	Commercial Refuse Haulers License Application/Renewal Fee	\$50.00 Application/ Renewal Fee plus \$25 per truck	
42	Late Fee	1% per month	9
43	Insufficient Funds Fee	\$25.00 per check	
44	Delinquent Account Closure Fee	\$25.00 per account per occurrence	10
45	Mixed Load Fee		11

Notes:

- (1) Flat fee.
- (2) Other Waste Types include Contaminated Soil; Asbestos (Friable); Commercial Tire Loads; Special Handling Wastes (such as Mobile Homes, Trailer Campers, and Boats); and Wood, Stumps, and Logs.
- (3) Commercial mulch sales and disposal of sewage sludge and Other Waste Types requires prior coordination with Solid Waste Management Division.
- (4) Maximum of five tires per year per customer accepted without a Tire Hauler License issued by the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE). Customers hauling more than five tires per year must obtain a Tire Hauler License from MDE.
- (5) Disposal of Commercial Tire Loads requires possession of a valid Scrap Tire Hauler License issued by MDE.
- (6) Limit one tree per household per year; valid from 12/26 - 1/31 annually.
- (7) As defined by Chapter 318 of the Code of Cecil County.
- (8) Waived for active duty military personnel with valid military identification.
- (9) Minimum late charge is \$5.00 per occurrence.
- (10) Assessed in the event a credit account is closed due to failure to pay the invoice within the specified time.
- (11) The tipping fee for any mixed load containing more than one category of waste shall be a fee equal to the highest tipping fee applicable to any category of waste contained in the load. The highest tipping fee will be applied to the entire load.
- (12) No charge for residential quantities. Commercial quantities cannot be accepted; contact SWMD for info regarding disposal options.

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Appendix C

Comparison of FY16 Versus FY17 Solid Waste Management Division Fee Schedules (Scales in Service)

Item No.	Material Type/Charge	Unit of Measure	Current Fees	Proposed Fees
			FY16	FY17
			7/1/2015	7/1/2016
1	Refuse	Per Ton	\$75.00	\$79.00
2	Household Refuse (Under 200 lbs) (100% Recyclables Separated)	Per Vehicle	\$7.00	\$7.00
3	Household Refuse (Under 200 lbs)	Per Vehicle	\$14.00	\$14.00
4	Single Stream Recyclables	Per Ton	Market Rate	Market Rate
5	Single Stream Recyclables (Under 200 lbs)	Per Vehicle	\$2.00	\$2.00
6	Construction & Demolition Waste	Per Ton	\$75.00	\$79.00
7	Sewage Sludge	Per Ton	\$75.00	\$79.00
8	Contaminated Soil	Per Ton	\$225.00	\$237.00
9	Asbestos (Friable)	Per Ton	\$225.00	\$237.00
10	Tires (Less Than 12" Rim Size) (On or Off the Rim)	Per Tire	\$3.00	\$3.00
11	Tires (12 - 17" Rim Size) (On or Off the Rim)	Per Tire	\$5.00	\$5.00
12	Tires (18 - 24" Rim Size) (Off the Rim Only)	Per Tire	\$7.00	\$7.00
13	Tires (Over 24" Rim Size) (Cut in Quarters Only)	Per Tire	\$13.00	\$13.00
14	Tires (Bulk) (Per Ton)	Per Ton	\$180.00	\$180.00
15	Wood Chips	Per Ton	\$15.00	\$15.00
16	Yard Waste	Per Ton	\$25.00	\$25.00
17	Yard Waste (Under 400 lbs)	Per Vehicle	\$3.00	\$3.00
18	Christmas Trees	Each	No Charge	No Charge
19	Wood; Stumps; Logs (Over 3 inches in Diameter)	Per Ton	\$75.00	\$79.00
20	Special Handling Wastes	Per Ton	\$225.00	\$237.00
21	Pallets (Unpainted and Untreated)	Per Ton	\$25.00	\$25.00
22	Electronics	NA	No Charge	No Charge
23	Sharps	NA	No Charge	No Charge
24	Textiles	NA	No Charge	No Charge
25	Batteries	NA	No Charge	No Charge
26	Antifreeze	NA	No Charge	No Charge
27	Oil - Motor	NA	No Charge	No Charge
28	Oil - Vegetable	NA	No Charge	No Charge
29	White Goods	NA	No Charge	No Charge
30	Scrap Metal	NA	No Charge	No Charge
31	Fluorescent Lamps	NA	No Charge	No Charge
32	Printer Cartridges	NA	No Charge	No Charge
33	Cork	NA	No Charge	No Charge
34	Paint - Latex	NA	No Charge	No Charge
35	Polystyrene	NA	No Charge	No Charge
36	Vinyl Siding	NA	No Charge	No Charge
37	Eyewear	NA	No Charge	No Charge
38	Tire Recovery Charge	Per Tire	\$40.00	\$40.00
39	Mulch (For Sale) (Mulch in Containers or Bags)	Per Load	\$2.00	\$2.00
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44	Non-Resident Permit Application Fee	Per Application	\$10.00	\$10.00
45	Commercial Refuse Haulers License Application/ Renewal Fee	Per Application /Truck	\$50.00/ \$25.00	\$50.00/ \$25.00
46	Late Fee	Per Month	1%	1%
47	Insufficient Funds Fee	Per Check	\$25.00	\$25.00
48	Delinquent Account Closure Fee	Per Occurrence	\$25.00	\$25.00

V1; 3/31/16

Denotes a change in the fee from one year to the next.

