



Addison County
Solid Waste Management District

2025

Annual Report

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DISTRICT MISSION STATEMENT

The Addison County Solid Waste Management District is a union municipality that exists to cooperatively and comprehensively address the solid waste management interests of its member municipalities. The mission of the District is to:

- promote waste reduction and pollution prevention;
- maximize diversion of wastes through reuse, recycling, and composting;
- provide for the disposal of remaining wastes; and
- seek environmentally sound and cost-effective solutions in all of its programs, services and facilities.

DISTRICT STAFF

District Manager.....Donald Maglienti
Business Manager.....Drew Pettis
Program Manager.....Ben Eglash
Facilities Manager.....Gary Hobbs
Public Outreach Coordinator.....Emily Johnston
Administrative Assistant.....Shelly Edson
Transfer Station Operators.....Chad Kimball
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Brian Sherwin
Kelsey Many
Transfer Station Attendants (P/T).....Wes Kimball
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Transfer Station Hours: Mon-Fri, 7 AM - 3 PM
Sat, 8 AM - 1 PM

HazWaste Center Hours: Mon-Fri, 8 AM - 2 PM
Sat, 8 AM - 1 PM

District Office Hours: Mon-Fri, 8 AM - 4 PM

DISTRICT RESIDENTIAL DROP-OFF

Location: 100 Kings Way (off Campground Road), New Haven, VT
Hours: Fri, 8 AM - Noon



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October 28, 2025

TO: Select Boards, Aldermen, Town & City Managers, and Interested Citizens of
Addison County Solid Waste Management District Member Municipalities

We are pleased to present the 2025 Annual Report of the Addison County Solid Waste Management District. The attached Report highlights the District's activities over the past calendar year. It also includes the proposed Annual Budget for Calendar Year 2026, along with the results of an independent audit of the District's financial statements for the calendar year ending December 31, 2024.

The District continues to fulfill its mission of promoting waste reduction and maximizing diversion of waste through reduction, reuse, recycling, and composting. The District serves as an important resource for its member municipalities in providing responsible planning and management of solid waste, in conformance with Vermont's Universal Recycling Law. In addition to owning and operating a full-service, award-winning Transfer Station in Middlebury, the District provides its residents and businesses with high quality services and options such as: hazardous waste management; waste audits and advice on waste diversion for businesses; community composting and recycling classes; public outreach; and school programs on waste diversion. The District will continue to plan for environmentally sustainable solid waste services, limit future liabilities, foster competition, and minimize costs to its member municipalities.

The District's website, AddisonCountyRecycles.org, serves as a resource for news and information on managing waste in Addison County. We also encourage you to find us on Facebook by searching "Addison County Solid Waste Management District."

Please take a few moments to review the 2025 Annual Report and the proposed CY2026 Annual Budget. We welcome your comments and suggestions. **A public hearing on the proposed budget will be held at the District Office, 1223 Rt. 7 South, Middlebury and via Zoom on Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 7:10 PM.** To access the Zoom meeting, please use the link at the top of the agenda to be posted on the District's website. The District Board of Supervisors will consider any comments at the public hearing and adopt a final budget on or before December 31, 2025.

We look forward to your participation in the public hearing!

Sincerely,

Donald Maglienti
District Manager

cc: ACSWMD Board of Supervisors

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"Efficient and nice people"

*"I have never encountered such beauty
at a Transfer Station"*

*"I appreciate your posts to Front Porch Forum... it's always
helpful to know more about recycling."*

"Thanks for all you do!"

"This information is really helpful"

*"Thank you all so very much for being
amazing community members."*



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2025 Annual Report

HISTORY OF THE DISTRICT

The Addison County Solid Waste Management District is a union municipal district formed in November 1988 to cooperatively and comprehensively address the solid waste management interests of its 21 member municipalities:

Addison, Bridport, Bristol, Cornwall, Ferrisburgh, Goshen, Leicester, Lincoln, Middlebury, Monkton, New Haven, Orwell, Panton, Ripton, Salisbury, Shoreham, Starksboro, Vergennes, Waltham, Weybridge, and Whiting.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The Addison County Solid Waste Management District is governed by a Board of Supervisors comprised of one representative and one alternate from each of the 21 member municipalities. Each member municipality appoints its representative and alternate every year after Town Meeting Day and before the Board's Annual Organizational Meeting held on the second Thursday in April. Anyone interested in serving on the Board of Supervisors is encouraged to contact their selectboard or city council to express interest in the position. There is no limit to the number of successive terms. The Board regularly meets on the third Thursday of the month at 7 PM. Agendas and information for the Board meetings are posted on the District's website.

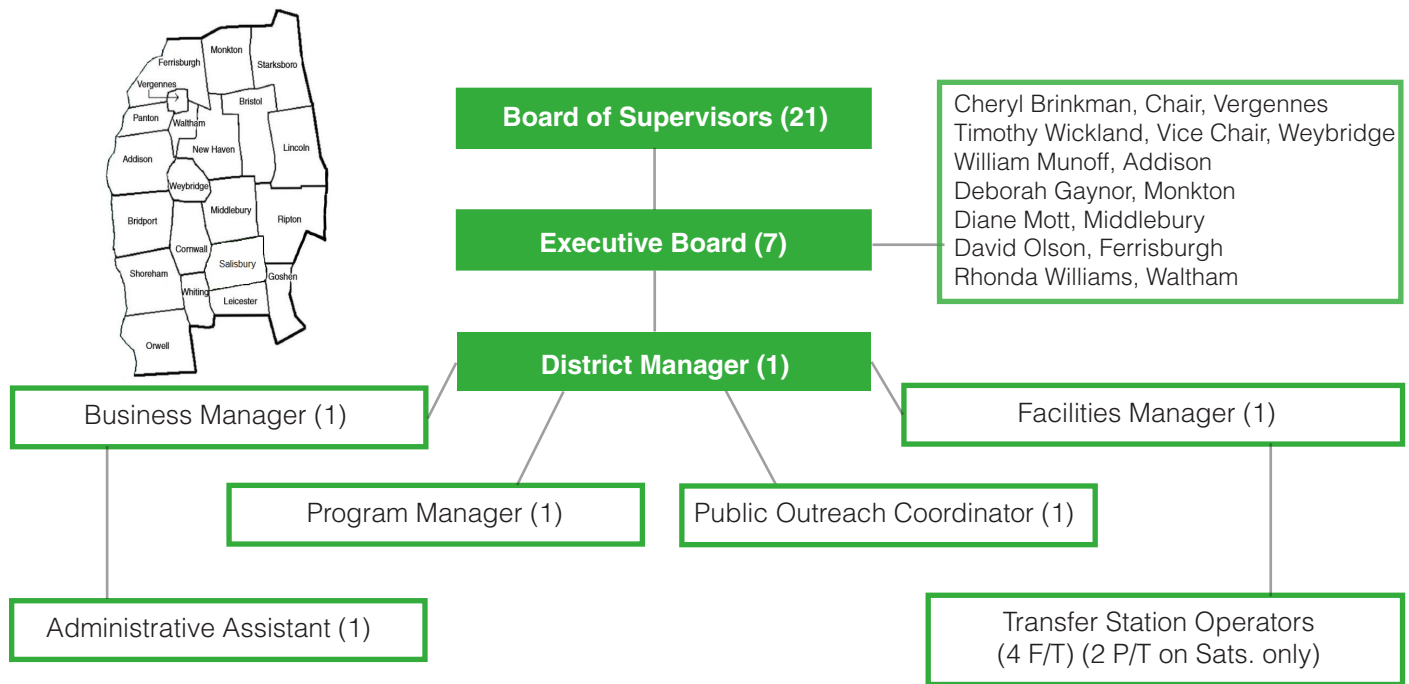
EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Executive Board, a subgroup of the Board of Supervisors, meets on a monthly basis, eight days prior to the monthly Board meetings (usually on the second Wednesday), at 4:30 PM. The Board of Supervisors delegates specific roles to the Executive Board such as financial and personnel functions, and acting as an appeal board for ordinance enforcement decisions of the District Manager.

Board and Executive Board meeting dates are subject to change, so be sure to call the District office at (802) 388-2333, or check the schedule posted on the calendar at the District's website: www.AddisonCountyRecycles.org.

Meetings of the Board of Supervisors and Executive Board are hybrid and open to the public, and a public comment period is offered at each meeting.

District Organizational Chart



District Facilities

The District Transfer Station is a regional solid waste management facility owned and operated by the District. Located at 1223 Rt. 7 South in Middlebury, the Facility accepts Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) and Construction & Demolition Debris (C&D) and transfers it to out-of-District disposal sites.

Other waste materials are accepted at the Transfer Station for diversion from landfill disposal, including appliances, scrap metal, books, clean wood, household hazardous waste, yard waste, maple sap tubing, mattresses, textiles, and tires. The Transfer Station is also a registered Collector of Vermont-generated Electronic Waste (E-Waste), Mercury-Containing Devices, Paint (member municipalities only), and Household Batteries under the State's Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) programs.

The District's Regional Residential Drop-Off opened on August 16, 2024. Located at 100 Kings Way (off Campground Rd.) in New Haven, this facility accepts household waste such as bagged trash, household recycling, leaf and yard debris, and food waste, and is open on Fridays from 8 AM to noon.

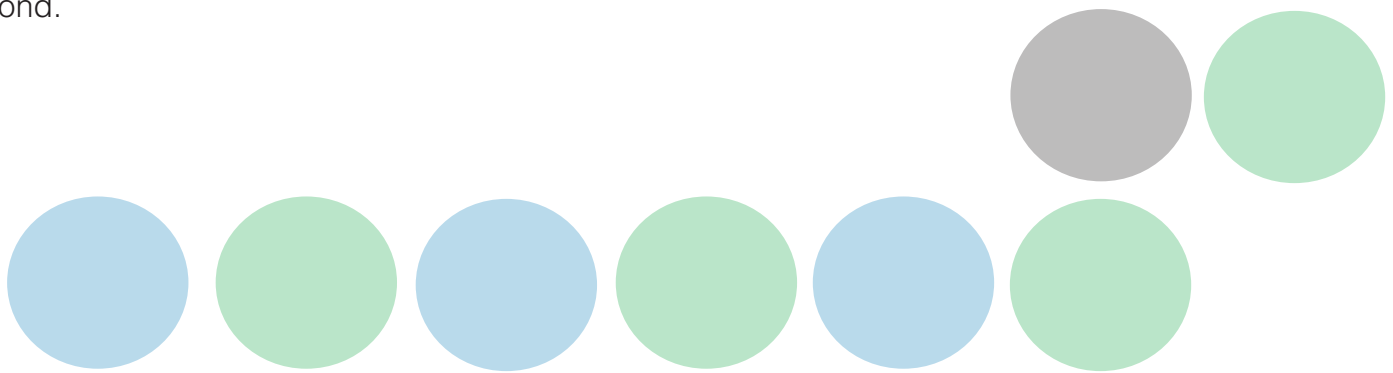


District Manager's Report

Regional Residential Transfer Station

The ACSWMD continues operating its Regional Residential Solid Waste Transfer Station at 100 Kings Way off Campground Road in New Haven, Addison County, VT. This regional facility currently serves residents from all 21 member towns of the District and was created after years of community engagement clarified the need for greater resiliency in the District's residential trash and recycling drop-off system. Our member town drop-offs have experienced staff shortages and reduced local hauling options in recent years, and although most towns have been able to maintain their local drop-off despite these challenges, it remains evident that the self-haul system in Addison County remains fragile. The District's New Haven location provides an extra weekday option to supplement area drop-offs that have limited days and hours of operation. As part of its mission, the District is committed to ensuring that residents always have reliable, convenient, and economical disposal options.

Our facility in New Haven accepts residential bagged trash, household recycling, food scraps, and leaf and yard waste year-round, every Friday from 8:00 AM until noon. We will continue to carefully track participation rates and gauge the evolving level of need for additional services to be provided at the drop-off, which may necessitate the completion of an already designed and permitted expansion of the facility. This expansion would allow for the collection of other materials such as electronic waste, books, scrap metal, and tires, and would likely require financing through a general obligation bond.



New Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

The District is in the final stages of design and permitting for the construction of a new household hazardous waste collection facility. Our current facility, the HazWaste Center, began operating in 2005 within a relatively small area of the District's Middlebury Transfer Station. It currently manages close to 160,000 pounds per year of a combination of leftover paint and other products that are flammable, toxic, corrosive, or reactive. The HazWaste Center receives these hazardous wastes year-round, six days per week, from close to 3,000 households and more than 100 local businesses in Addison County each year. When improperly disposed of in the trash and sent to Vermont's remaining landfill, these wastes pose a direct hazard to waste haulers, transfer station staff, and the environment. For the past 20 years, we've been managing these wastes outdoors in all weather conditions, within the limited space available at the Middlebury Transfer Station. This planned new hazardous waste collection facility will offer additional temperature-controlled waste storage capacity as well as improvements to operational efficiency, employee safety, and overall environmental protection for the next 20 years and beyond. District staff are currently examining a variety of funding options for its construction on an already purchased parcel of land adjacent to the Regional Transfer Station in New Haven.

New Mattress Recycling Program

The disposal of mattresses has been a challenge to the waste industry for many years. Not only do they take up valuable space in Vermont's one remaining landfill, but their lightweight composition makes them difficult to bury, and the metal coils often tangle in equipment. It's estimated that up to 80 percent of the material in a mattress or boxspring is recyclable in some way. Recycling markets exist for the wood, metal, textiles, and foam that comprise most of the materials in a standard mattress. This year, the District was informed that the landfill in Coventry would begin assessing an extra \$45 fee, in addition to the landfill tip fee, for each mattress or boxspring received. Although mattresses are still not banned from landfill disposal in Vermont, the District decided to create a recycling program to provide residents and businesses with an affordable recycling option to counter the disposal cost increase. We began recycling mattresses and boxsprings in August this year and expect a significant increase in the District's overall waste diversion percentage as a result of this exciting new program.



Solid Waste Management Plan Revision

Last year, the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources (ANR) adopted its new Materials Management Plan (MMP), which outlines strategies for waste management and diversion in Vermont for the next five years, and includes specific objectives and deliverables for solid waste districts to incorporate into their own planning. This year, the District revised its Solid Waste Implementation Plan (SWIP) to address these new objectives and completed its required public participation process for final SWIP approval. The Board of Supervisors adopted the draft SWIP on October 16, and the District received a letter of final approval from the ANR on October 22.

The new SWIP includes revised guidelines for educating the public on the reduction and diversion of recyclables, leaf & yard debris, food scraps, clean wood, hazardous waste, textiles, construction & demolition debris, and more. It also directs the District to work more closely with member town offices, libraries, schools, and local businesses to improve their waste diversion programs. Among the changes from the earlier SWIP, this new plan contains enhanced requirements for website maintenance, digital and print outreach, disaster debris planning, textile recycling, and residuals management. The new SWIP includes outreach requirements that are similar to the previous plan, and which dictate the types of waste reduction and diversion topics that must be included with all successful outreach activities. The District will continue to follow mandates on ensuring variable rate disposal pricing, household hazardous waste collection, and the collection of landfill-banned materials such as batteries, mercury-containing products, gas cylinders, electronics, paint, tires, used oil, appliances, yard waste, and clean wood.

Copies of the approved 2025 SWIP are available at the District Office at 1223 Rte. 7 South, or by contacting the ACSWMD by phone at (802) 388-2333 or by email at acswmd@acswmd.org.

Extended Producer Responsibility

Extended producer responsibility (EPR) programs shift financial and management responsibility for difficult-to-manage products away from local governments and back to the manufacturers. Vermont's first-in-the-nation Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) EPR Law, enacted in 2023, is still in the process of being implemented. H.67 requires producers of hazardous household products to safely collect and dispose of them, but creating this new management system has proven to be complicated. As Vermont's state and local officials negotiate and secure new commitments from producers of dangerous chemical products, other states are watching carefully to see how we will manage an HHW EPR program. Comparable successful programs have existed in Canada for many years, but this is the first time that producers in the United States will have to work together to create and help fund a sustainable collection program in concert with existing municipal programs. This year, Vermont passed Act 59, which amended the HHW EPR law to allow producers additional time to develop a stewardship plan but added the contingencies that if an approvable plan is not submitted within the allotted time, the Agency of Natural Resources will issue its own plan and charge producers for the full cost of implementation plus a penalty.

Act 59 also includes two additional provisions that will benefit Vermont's solid waste districts. The first is an increase in the annual pesticide registration fee that manufacturers are required to pay for all pesticides sold within the state. This increased revenue will be allocated to collection programs that solid waste districts already manage at a significant loss. The Act also requires the Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets to study options for sustainable funding sources to reimburse solid waste districts for all costs to manage unwanted leftover pesticide products going forward. The second provision within ACT 59, which will benefit Districts, is the expansion of Vermont's paint product stewardship law to include additional types of coatings, such as aerosols, coating-related products, and additional types of nonindustrial coatings. This expansion is being managed by Paint Care, which is the producer responsibility organization for architectural coatings, and is currently in the initial planning phase. Once implemented sometime in 2027, this program change should significantly reduce the disposal costs to the District for a large portion of the HHW waste it receives.



Notes



Outreach Summary

The District promotes its mission of waste reduction through recycling, reuse, and diversion of organics primarily through outreach to Addison County. Outreach broadly includes presentations, workshops, and tabling for and at schools, businesses, community groups, and events. In 2025, ACSWMD held free workshops, a Repair Fair, published two News to Re-use newsletters, partnered with local organizations, and extended our presence on Front Porch Forum, Facebook, and Instagram. The District also had a presence in area newspapers through ads and periodic features in the "By the Way" Column in the Addison Independent.

The District continues to promote and sell blue-bin recycling containers, food scrap buckets, kitchen collectors, compost bins, and Green Cone Solar Digesters. All waste receptacles were sold at cost, between \$5-\$138. With this pricing, we sold 44 blue bins, 75 five-gallon green buckets, 22 compost bins, 3 green cones, and 83 kitchen collectors between January 2025 and October 2025. Strong sales seen at the end of the summer were helped by the District's presence at the Addison County Fair & Field Days, Vergennes Day, and the Bristol Harvest Festival. With the purchase of a waste receptacle, customers often receive literature on the intended use of the receptacle. Customers are encouraged to reach out to our staff at any time to talk about our products.

The District's website, www.AddisonCountyRecycles.org, continues to be a comprehensive resource for residents and businesses to learn about recycling, organics management, identifying and handling hazardous waste, waste reduction, and reuse options. The website offers up-to-date news on the District and features an A-Z Disposal Guide, an alphabetical searchable guide containing hundreds of disposal and recycling options for everyday items.



2025 School Outreach

In 2025, the District worked with many schools to provide educational resources, help create posters, meet with principals and champion staff members, help with student projects, and answer all waste-related questions. The District continued supplying recycling bins, 5-gallon buckets, and other supplies, as well as providing a service for hazardous waste disposal. As of September 2025, the District worked with the Salisbury Community School, Shoreham Elementary School, Middlebury Union Middle School, Middlebury Union High School, Mary Hogan Elementary School, and the North Branch School, with plans to work more with schools in the future.



2025 Business Outreach

Businesses worked with the District for special recycling and hazardous waste drop-off. Information was provided to county businesses on recycling, donation, EPR programs, composting, reuse, and proper hazardous waste management. District Staff conducted waste audits, answered questions, gave out flyers, mailed letters, and telephoned businesses to discuss waste management in 2025. Notable visits include working with Tata Harper to discuss sustainability efforts, waste reduction, and green business, and to minimize contamination in their compost and recycling at the company farm. The District also joined with other SWMEs, the CSWD, and NWSWD to teach a continuing education course through the Northwest Vermont Realtors Association, which works throughout the three waste regions.



2025 Community Outreach

District staff offered several in-person workshops this year, partnering with local libraries to host workshops on recycling and a clothing Swap Shop. Staff visited several community groups, such as senior groups or clubs, to discuss composting and recycling. The District also hosted a Repair Fair at the American Legion on April 5, 2025, which saw 125 items, with a repair rate of 79 percent. Over 31 volunteers signed up to help.

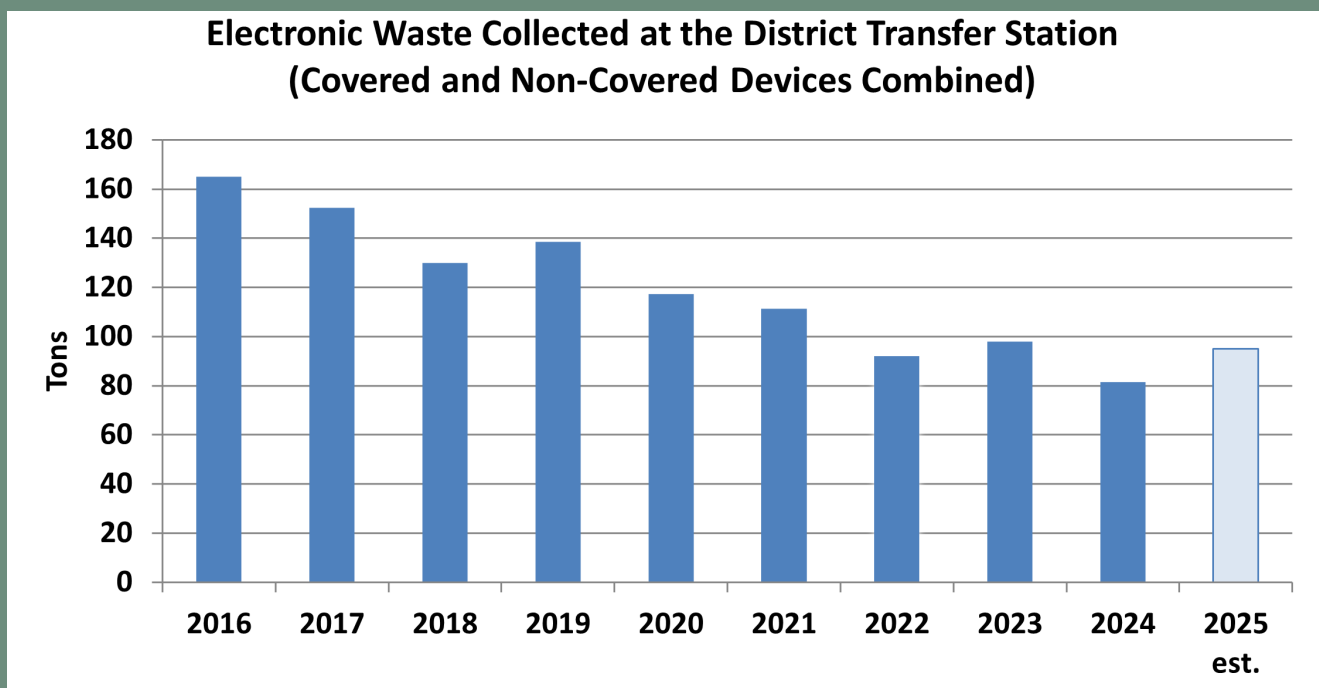
The District tabled at 5 public events beginning in May with the Mary Hogan Elementary Green Up and Garden Celebration and ending in October with Dead Creek Wildlife Day. Eleven public events used the X-Frame Loan Program, which lends easy-to-use trash, recycling, and compost containers of various sizes for free to events. All loaned receptacles come with signage for proper sorting. Events included: Middlebury Festival on the Green, Addison County Fair and Field Days, Champlain Valley Horse Show, Foodaroo. Pocock Rocks, Vergennes Day, Monkton Mud Bog, Champlain Valley Horse Show, Vergennes Energy Fair, Family Movie Night, and the Tam Trek. This loan program is offered year-round to any event holder. Notably, we deployed 80 x-frames throughout the fairgrounds at Fair and Field Days and provided vendors with 24 food scrap collection containers. The District continued its Waste Warrior program this year.

Program Summary

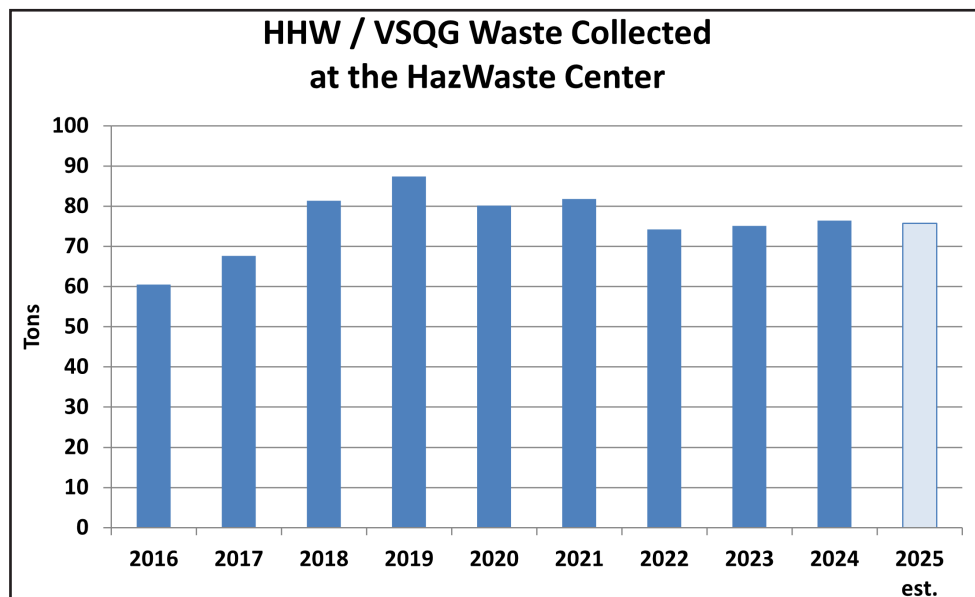
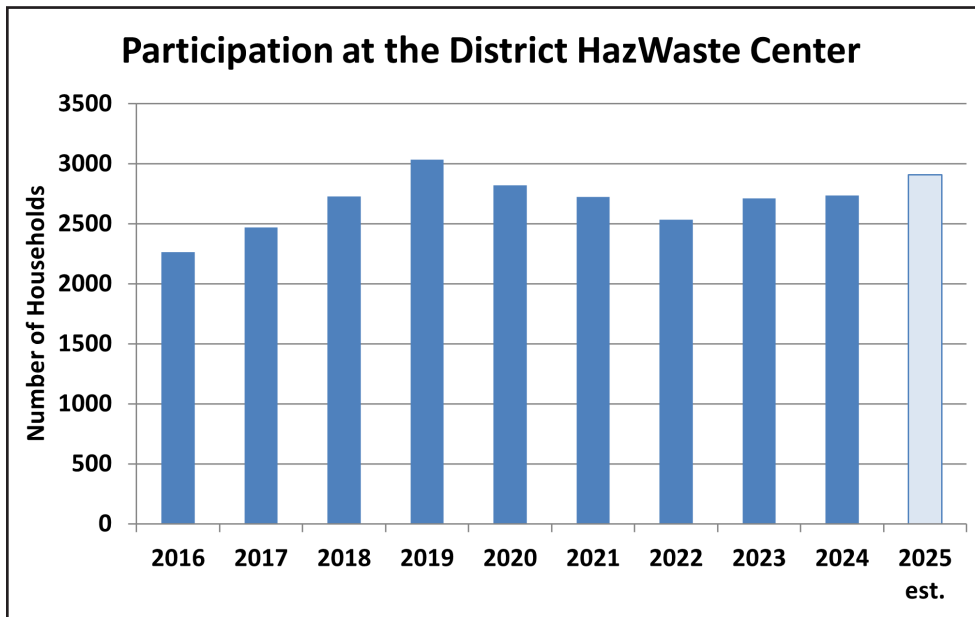
Electronic Waste

Electronic waste (E-Waste) refers to a broad category of waste products that typically contain various electrical components, circuit boards, batteries, and in many cases, a variety of heavy metals and other toxic materials. The District began collecting E-Waste for recycling 29 years ago. Vermont's E-Cycles Law, which took effect in 2011, categorizes two types of E-Waste: "covered" devices, and "non-covered" devices. Covered devices are those E-Wastes for which manufacturers must pay the cost of recycling and are therefore accepted at the District Transfer Station at no charge. Covered devices are TVs, computers, printers, and computer peripherals. Non-covered devices include items such as universal power supplies (UPS), fax machines, VCRs, DVD players, stereo systems, CD players, paper shredders, photocopiers, and small items such as telephones and electrical adaptors. The District charges a fee for non-covered items to cover the cost of recycling them. For a list of all fees, please refer to the inside back page of this Report or the District's website.

The chart below summarizes the annual amounts of E-Waste collected at the District Transfer Station from 2016 through 2025 (estimated). The decline in tonnage indicates an ongoing shift toward lighter electronic devices, as cathode ray tube screens are replaced by flat screens. The migration of music and video into digital format and the increasing use of digital streaming services has also led to a smaller and lighter electronic waste stream. This year, the District anticipates collecting about 95 tons of E-Waste for recycling. The recycler that receives all E-Waste from the District places a high priority on the reuse and repair of any working devices that still have functional life remaining, especially computers and televisions. Any devices or other E-waste that are not eligible for reuse or repair are disassembled, and the various parts and components are recycled.



Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) and Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG) Hazardous Waste Diversion



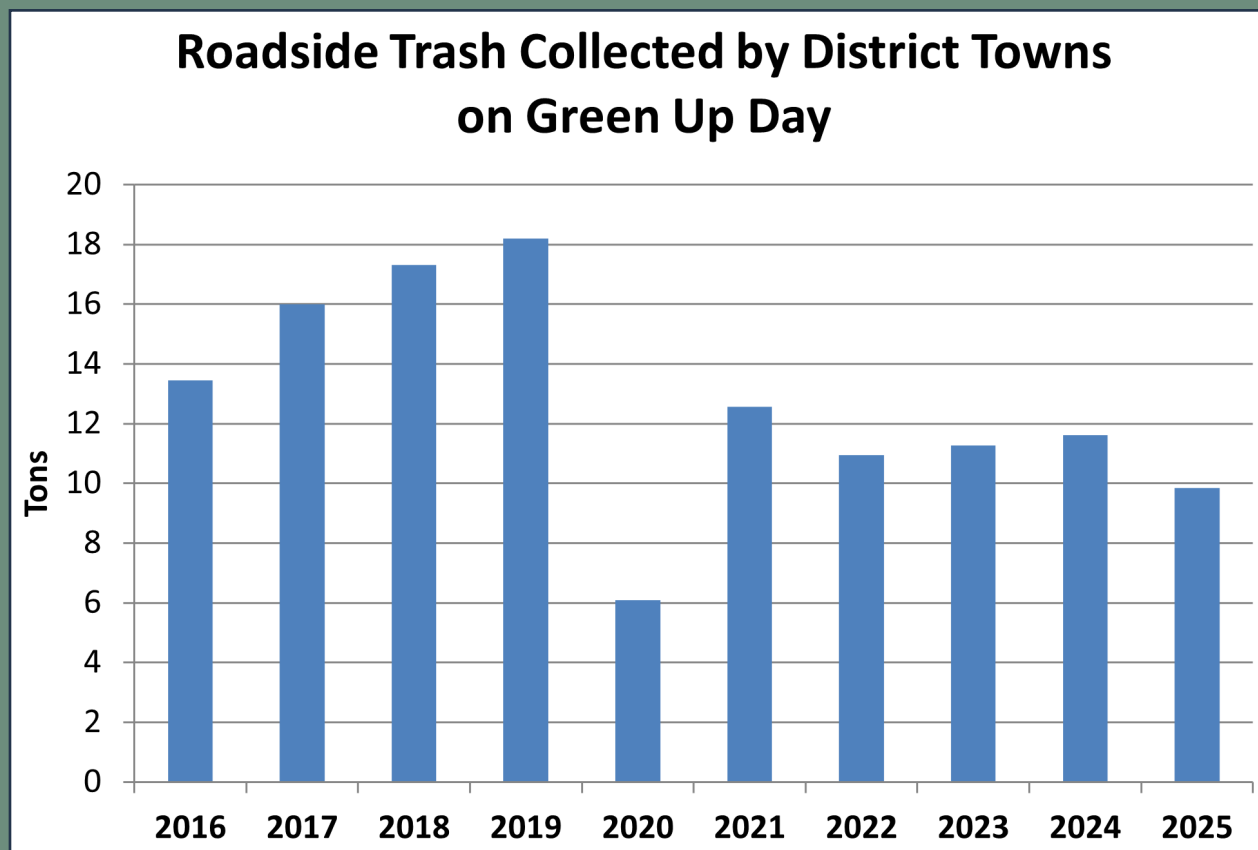
The District's HazWaste Center, located at the Transfer Station, provides year-round collection of Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) from residents and Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG) hazardous waste from small businesses within District member towns. Last year, residential participation at the HazWaste Center increased slightly, with a total of 2,737 residents bringing household paint and chemicals for proper disposal. This represents a 1% increase from 2023. The District expects to end 2025 with an estimated 2,907 households visiting the HazWaste Center. The District also estimates that about 140 small businesses will bring their VSQG hazardous waste to the HazWaste Center before the end of 2025. The number of businesses taking advantage of our reasonably-priced VSQG hazardous waste disposal services has remained steady due to the convenience of a safe, year-round collection center. Paint still constitutes the largest percentage of waste material collected at

the HazWaste Center. All architectural paints collected through the HazWaste Center were managed through the Vermont PaintCare program, a manufacturer take-back program that provides significant savings for the District, as well as for local businesses needing to dispose of paint. In 2024, the HazWaste Center collected 152,882 lbs. of hazardous waste, a 1.8% increase from 2023. Of that 2024 total, 95,653 lbs. (63%) were paint or paint-related products. By the end of 2025, the District expects to have collected close to 151,500 lbs. (76 tons) of hazardous waste at the HazWaste Center.

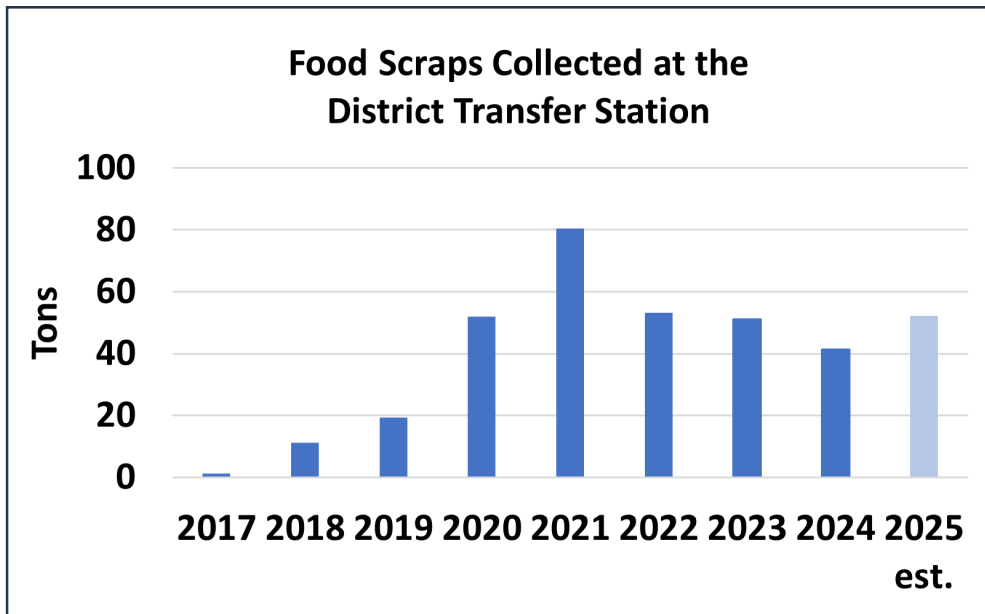


Illegal Burning and Disposal

The District contracted with the Addison County Sheriff's Department in 2025 to enforce its Illegal Burning & Disposal Ordinance. The Sheriff's office investigates all illegal burning/disposal complaints, which may result in the issuance of a warning or a ticket. The District continues to serve as County Coordinator for Green-Up Day, Vermont's annual litter clean-up event. In addition to assisting the many area volunteers who organize collection of roadside litter, the District provides free disposable gloves for all participants, prizes for kids, and most importantly, free disposal of all accumulated roadside waste. On Green-Up Day this year, the District subsidized disposal of 9.84 tons of roadside trash, 5.86 tons of tires, and various other abandoned wastes for a total economic benefit to its member towns of \$2,824.68. To help mitigate illegal disposal, Vermont's Universal Recycling Law (URL) requires all publicly accessed spaces in public buildings and on public land to place a recycling bin next to any trash bin (except for bathrooms).



Organics



Vermont's URL has directed much of the District's efforts on organics diversion this year. As of July 1, 2020, the organics mandate of the URL bans food scraps from land-fill disposal in Vermont. This was the final implementation phase of the URL, which now affects all Vermont residents and businesses. The District Transfer Station maintains its essential function of receiving collected food scraps from residents, haulers, and businesses within Addison County. In 2024, the District

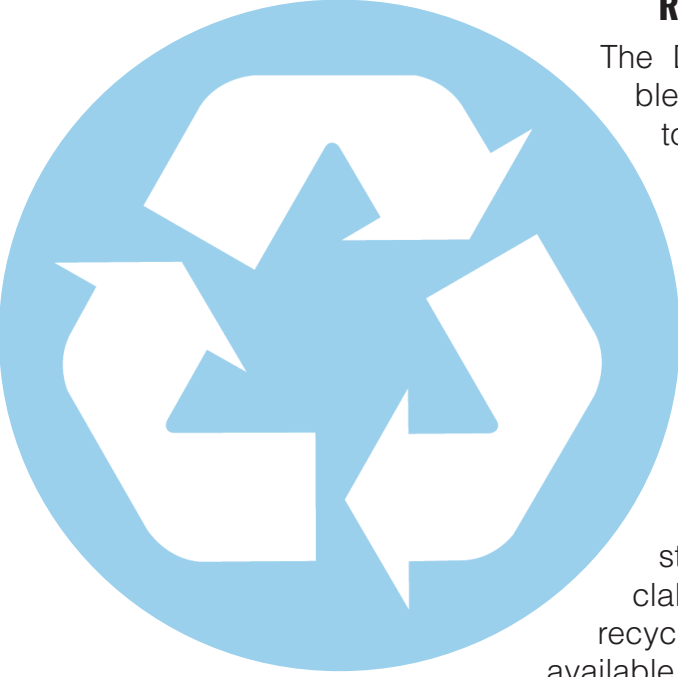
collected a total of 82,520 lbs. of food scraps for composting at a local facility, representing a 19.35% decrease from the prior year. This year, the District expects its food scrap collections to increase to a total of roughly 104,140 lbs. by the end of December. One possibility for the increase in organics entering our facility could be the result of nearby Vermont Natural Ag Products (VNAP) no longer accepting food scraps at their composting facility partway through this year. We expect fluctuations in food scrap collection tonnage at the District Transfer Station as food scrap management strategies in Addison County continue to evolve, and as households take advantage of new options for organics diversion. Variations in food scrap tonnage could also be attributed to altered business practices by area restaurants and other non-household food scrap generators in response to regional economic activity. Although food scrap collection tonnage may fluctuate at the District Transfer Station, this does not necessarily indicate a decline in overall food scrap waste diversion in Addison County. The District remains committed to working with residents, haulers and businesses to help them decide how best to comply with the URL.

The District is continuing to implement the URL organics diversion requirements by focusing on commercial food waste collection, community and school outreach, the promotion of backyard composting, and ensuring that a regional compost facility and/or anaerobic digester is available. The District continues to sell home compost bins, solar digesters, and kitchen compost collectors to any area resident.

Town drop-off facilities within the District accept food scraps for a fee determined by the haulers who service them. The District also offers grant funding to member municipalities and schools for waste diversion projects.

In addition to the food scrap diversion efforts, the District estimates that it will have collected roughly 63 tons of clean wood waste and at least 98 tons of leaf and yard waste for recycling this year by the end of December. Clean wood waste is chipped into mulch and given away to area residents, while leaf and yard waste is transferred to a local commercial composting facility.

Recycling



The District Transfer Station receives single stream recyclables from all commercial haulers operating within its member towns. In 2024, 4,111 tons of single stream recyclables were received at the Transfer Station, representing a 7.5% decrease from 2023. This year, the District expects to receive close to 4,000 tons by the end of December. After compacting and loading the single stream recyclables into transfer trailers, all single stream recyclables are transferred to the Chittenden Solid Waste District's Materials Recycling Facility (MRF) in Williston for sorting, baling, and marketing.

All generators – residents and businesses – are required by state law and District ordinance to separate mandated recyclables from their waste. A statewide landfill ban of mandated recyclables took effect on 7/1/15. A list of mandated recyclables is available by contacting the District office or by visiting the District website. Recyclables collected in the District are now part of a “single stream” system, meaning they may be commingled in one recycling container. Commercial haulers in the District have the option of offering collection of plastics #3-#7 in addition to the list of mandated recyclables.

Other types of Special Wastes and Prohibited Wastes are required by state regulations and/or District ordinance to be separated from the waste by the generator, and commercial haulers are not allowed to collect these wastes mixed with the trash. Complete lists of Special Wastes and Prohibited Wastes are available on the District's website or by calling the District office.

All commercial waste hauling companies operating within member municipalities must be licensed by the District and the State of Vermont, and all licensed commercial haulers who provide curbside waste collection are required by state law and District ordinance to offer recycling collection service to their customers. State law requires commercial haulers to embed the cost of recycling in the trash bag rate for residential customers; however, facilities that receive recyclables may charge a fee for residential and business recyclables.

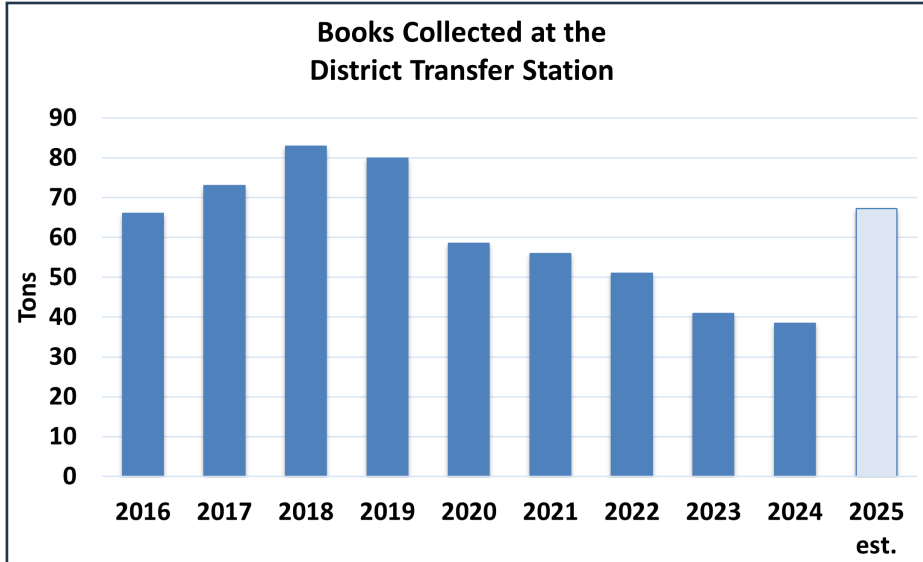
In 2025, 19 District municipalities had access to town-managed or private recycling drop-off centers. In addition, residents of all 21 District member towns are welcome to use the new District regional residential trash and recycling drop-off in New Haven. A complete list of the Drop-Off facilities can be found in Appendix B of this Report. The Town of Goshen provides curbside collection of trash and recyclables for its residents and businesses. Businesses and commercial haulers may drop off recyclables at the District Transfer Station.

Source Reduction and Reuse

The US Environmental Protection Agency and the State of Vermont place reuse and source reduction at the top of its waste management hierarchy, and the District mission statement recognizes the value of reuse programs as a key management tool for diverting waste from Vermont's sole active lined landfill. Residents of Addison County are still encouraged to refer to the District website for a list of resources to sell, donate, or otherwise repurpose reusable materials. Continuing its mission to promote reuse in Addison County, the District held its 7th annual Repair Fair in 2025. The Repair Fair has become a popular local event that brings together a group of talented "fixers" with participants that have household items in need of repair. Our dedicated volunteer fixers typically work on hundreds of items during these events, including many small appliances, electronics, furniture, and clothing. The Repair Fair seeks to transfer valuable repair skills and advice to participating residents, promote a culture of reuse and repair in our community, and ultimately keep still-useable goods out of Vermont's landfill. The District is planning for an 8th Repair Fair in the spring of 2026.

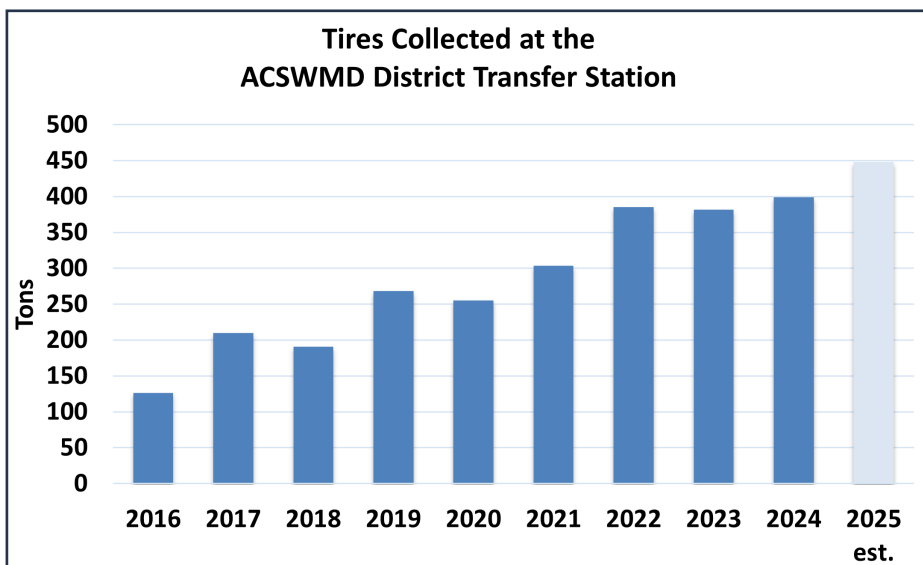


Books



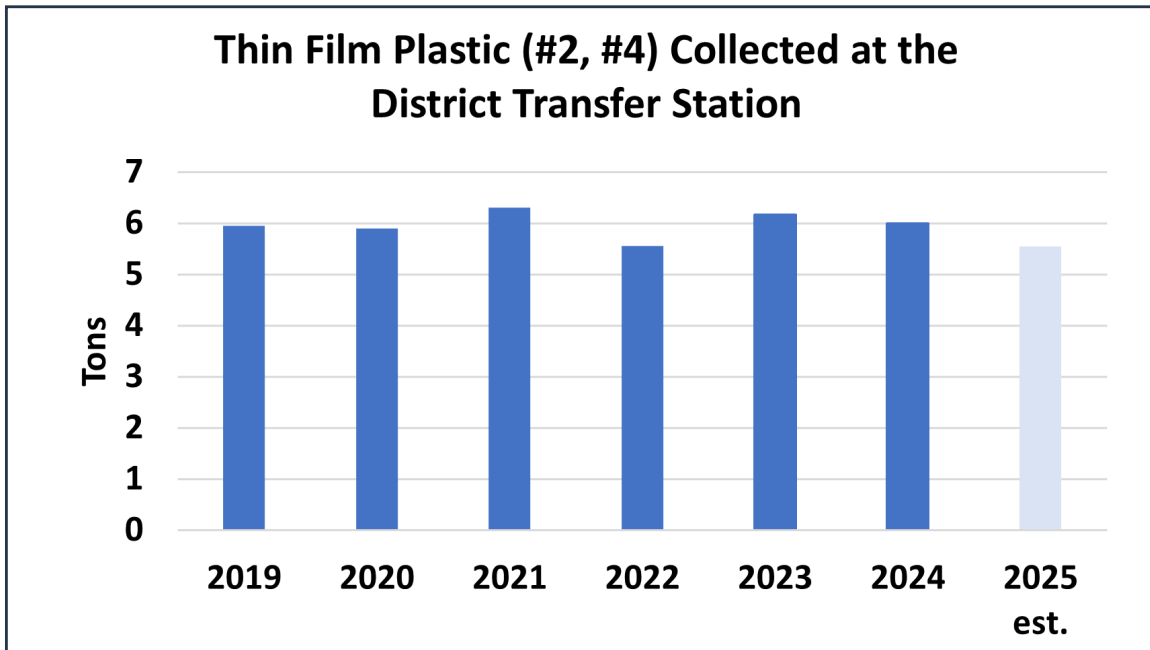
In 2024, the District Transfer Station received more than 38 tons of books for recycling. All books are sent to a Vermont company that recycles the paper. By the end of 2025, the District expects to have recycled roughly 67 tons of books at its Transfer Station. The large increase this year is due in part to the removal of books from a college library.

Tires



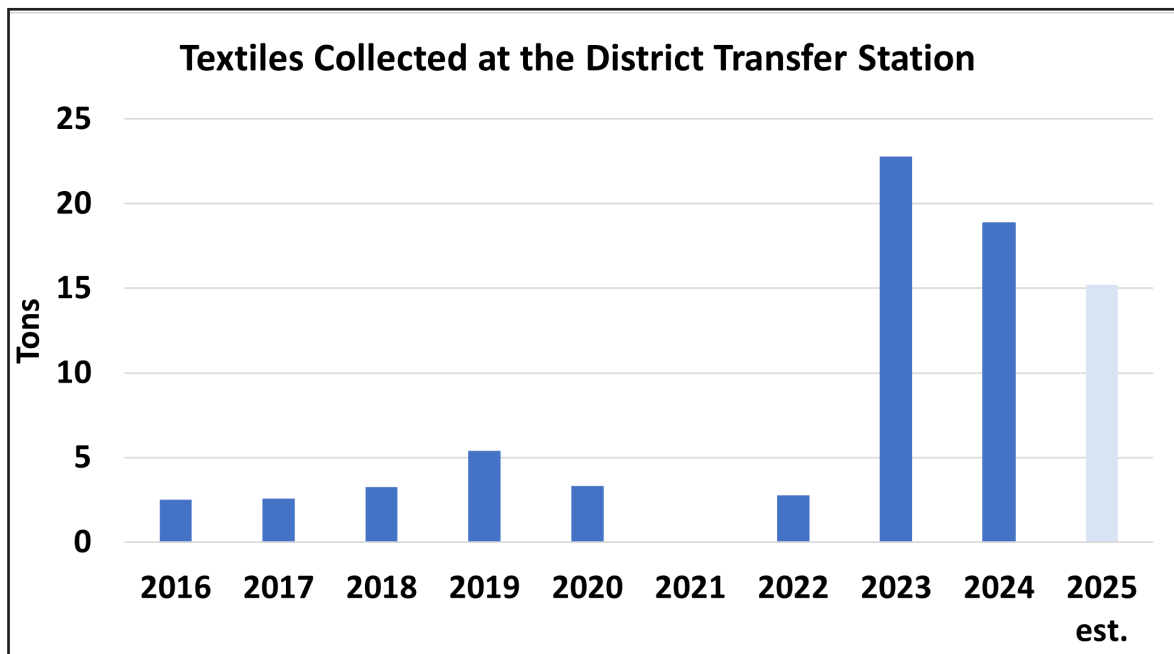
Last year, the District received 399 tons of tires for use as tire-derived fuel. By the end of 2025, the District estimates that it will have collected roughly 448 tons of tires for use as tire-derived fuel (see chart above).

Film Plastic Collection



The District continues to manage its recycling program for polyethylene thin-film (#2 and #4) plastic, including grocery bags, wood pellet bags, resealable storage bags, shrink wrap, product overwrap, and a variety of additional types of thin film plastic. All film plastic collected by the District is consolidated with film plastic collected from other VT solid waste districts and marketed to a recycling company. This program is designed to provide District residents with another option for recycling these materials besides returning them to grocery stores. It is also part of a regional effort to reduce contamination in blue bin recycling, since plastic bags are still one of the largest problems at materials recovery facilities where single stream recyclables are sorted and baled for marketing. When bags or other film plastics reach a materials recovery facility, they become tangled in the machinery, which adds a major cost to the processing of recyclables. It is therefore important to keep plastic bags, and all types of film plastic, out of household recycling bins. In 2024, the District recycled roughly 6 tons of polyethylene thin film plastic. By the end of this year, the District expects to have collected roughly 5.54 tons.

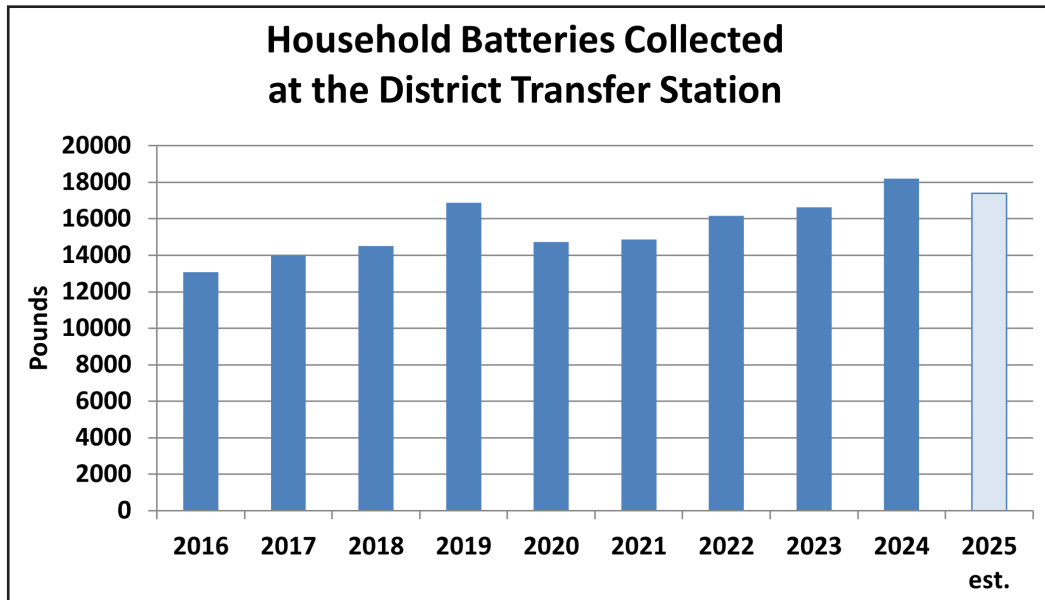
Textiles



The 2023 Vermont Waste Characterization Study found that textiles and leather accounted for 6.5% of residential waste. The District plans to continue encouraging the reuse and mending of clothing. Textile recycling and clothing reuse and donation entities help extend the lifespan of usable clothing, create recycled raw materials from clothing fibers, and reduce waste sent to landfills.

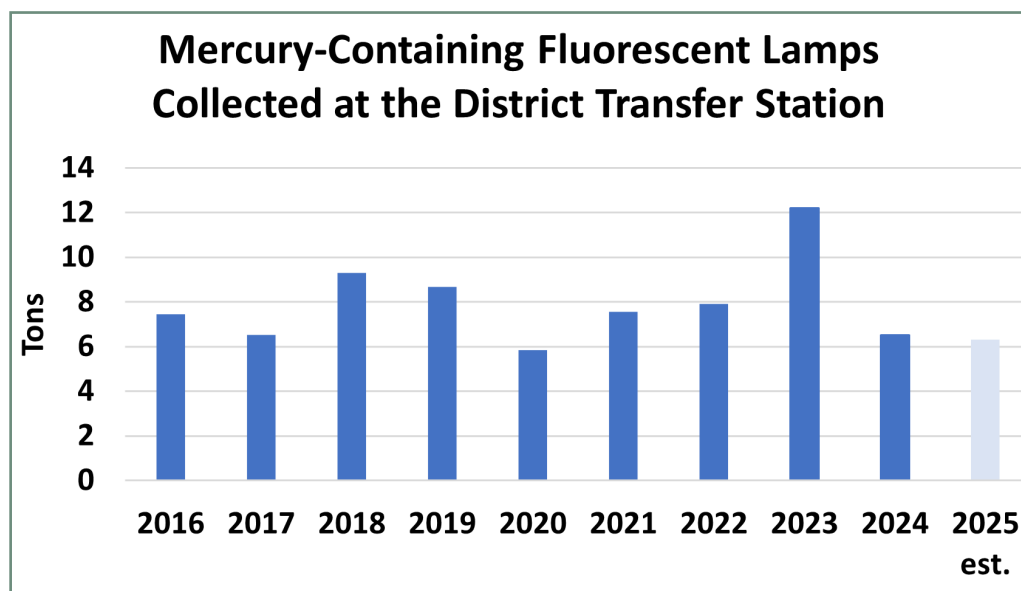
In 2019, the District collected over five tons of textiles, and three tons in 2020 before the program was closed due to issues with contamination and quality control. The program restarted in 2022 with weekly service of the textile bin by Apparel Impact, a clothing reuse and recycling business. The District's textile recycling program saw a dramatic spike in participation in 2023, and many visitors have expressed appreciation for the service. In 2024, the District Transfer Station received 18.85 tons of textile waste for recycling. As of September 2025, the District Transfer Station collected over 11.7 tons of textile waste for recycling, with a projected year-end total of roughly 15 tons.

Batteries



As a Collector under the VT Primary Battery Stewardship Law, the District recycles all “primary cell” batteries, which include non-rechargeable alkaline and carbon-zinc batteries, at no charge. The District also collects all types of rechargeable household batteries at no charge, including lithium-ion, lithium polymer, nickel-cadmium, nickel-metal hydride, and small sealed lead-acid batteries. In 2024, the District collected a total of 11,019 lbs. of primary cell (non-rechargeable) household batteries and 8,954 lbs. of rechargeable household batteries, for a combined total of 19,973 lbs. This represents an increase of 20.4% over the 2023 collection total. By the end of this year, the District estimates that it will have collected a combined total of roughly 17,400 lbs. of all household batteries. The District also continues to recycle non-rechargeable lithium batteries, button cell batteries and wet cell (auto) batteries. In 2024, Vermont’s Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) law for batteries was expanded to provide industry collection support for more types of rechargeable batteries and added a landfill ban for all household batteries, including non-rechargeable primary cells.





Mercury Lamps

All fluorescent lamps contain mercury, which is toxic to human health and the environment. Every type of mercury-containing lamp is therefore banned from landfill disposal in Vermont. The VT Agency of Natural Resources has enacted sales bans on fluorescent lamps to reduce their environmental impact within the state. The screw-in compact fluorescent lamps were banned from sale on February 17, 2023, and four-foot general-purpose fluorescent lamps were banned from sale beginning January 1, 2024. As residents and businesses switch to newer lighting technology, the District expects to receive increasing amounts of fluorescent lamps and associated ballasts for recycling in the coming years. The District collects the older, polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB)-containing ballasts as a special waste at its Transfer Station due to their extreme toxicity and encourages all customers to be aware of PCBs whenever renovating or removing old light fixtures. District staff is happy to provide technical assistance with identifying PCB light ballasts.

The District Transfer Station continues to serve as a Collector under the VT Mercury-containing Lamp Law, which requires manufacturers to take back and pay for the recycling of fluorescent lamps. The District Transfer Station accepts general-purpose fluorescent lamps (any length or shape), high-intensity discharge (HID) lamps, and mercury vapor lamps in quantities of 10 or fewer per day, as well as any quantity of compact fluorescent lamps (CFLs), at no charge. A nominal fee applies for larger quantities (>10 lamps/day) of general-purpose lamps and for all specialty bulbs such as ultraviolet and neon lamps, which are not covered by the program. In 2023, the District Transfer Station recycled a record 12.2 tons of mercury-containing lamps, which include CFLs, U-shaped, circular, ultraviolet, and many straight tubes of various lengths. In 2024, roughly 6.5 tons of mercury-containing lamps were recycled, and by the end of this year, an estimated 6.3 tons of mercury-containing lamps will be recycled. All mercury lamps are recycled at a certified facility that recovers the aluminum end caps, glass, phosphorus powder, and mercury.

Other Items

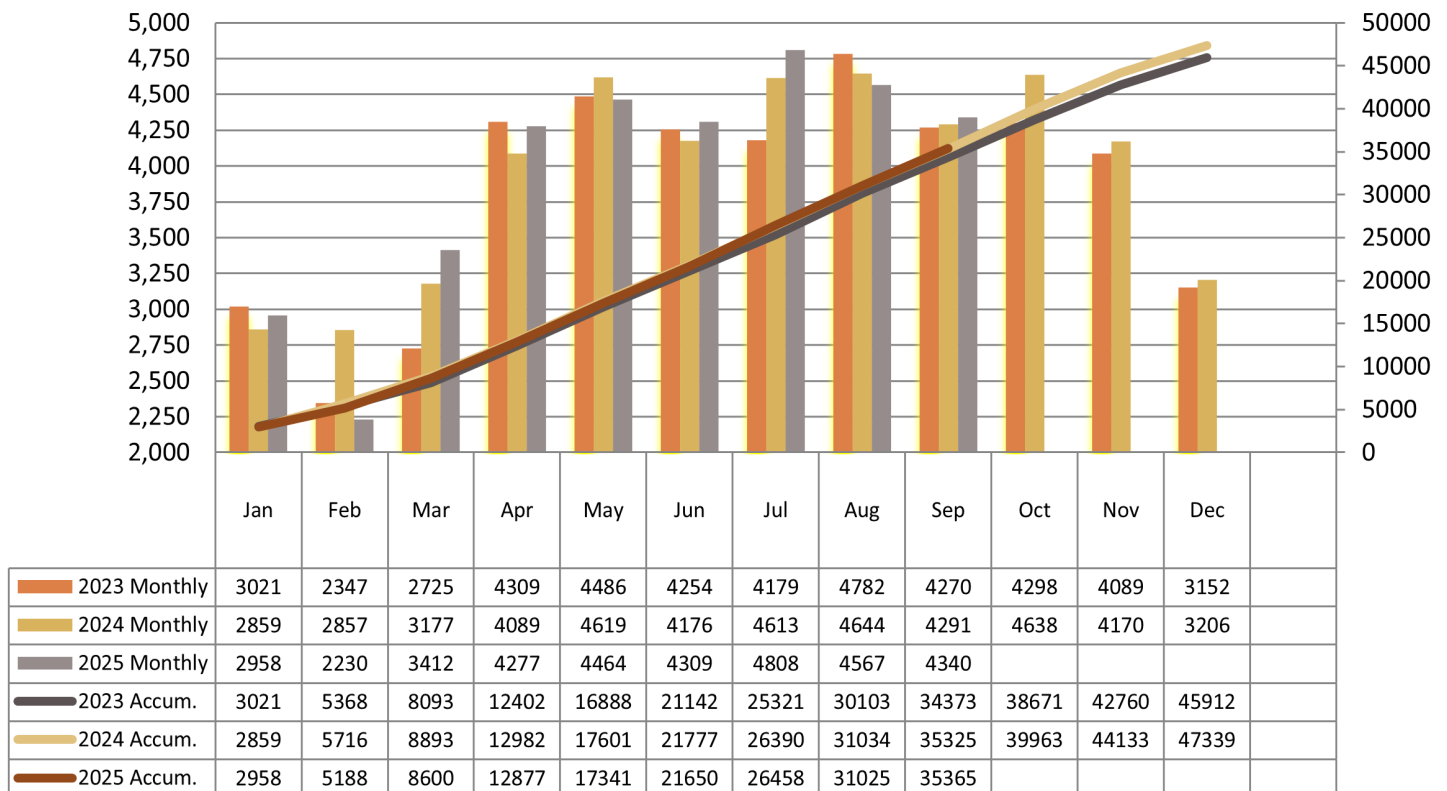
Other items collected for recycling in 2024 and through Q3 of 2025 are shown in the table below.

Material	Amount Recycled in 2024	Amount Recycled through Q3 of 2025
Scrap Metal	518 tons	368 tons
Waste Oil	4,198 gallons	2,669 gallons
Oil Filters	24 drums	24 drums
Propane Cylinders (≥20-lb)	241 units	128 units
Propane Cylinders (1-lb)	2,600 units	1,300 units
Fire Extinguishers	130 units	135 units
Cooking Oil	290 gallons	170 gallons
Documents for Shredding	4,637 lbs.	3,319 lbs.
Maple Sap Tubing	1,972 lbs.	3,825 lbs.
New-Construction Drywall	14,940 lbs.	16,220 lbs.
Mercury Thermostats	20 lbs.	12 lbs.

Transactions

District Transfer Station Transactions as presented to the Board of Supervisors in September.

ACSWMD Transactions



CY2026 Proposed Annual Budget

The Addison County Solid Waste Management District's proposed Annual Budget for the 2026 calendar year includes expenditures of \$5,353,672, a 6.04% increase over the 2025 Annual Budget of \$5,048,702. This increase is due to: (1) the increase in vendor prices charged the District; (2) the higher prices of equipment purchase and maintenance; (3) the diesel fuel surcharges for transporting waste to the landfill and recycling facilities; and (4) salary/wage level cost-of-living-adjustments and health insurance increases. The District has based the proposed CY2026 Annual Budget on receiving an estimated 24,500 tons of municipal solid waste and construction & demolition debris. The District continues to maintain \$100,000 fund balances in a Rate Stabilization Fund, a Recycling Rate Stabilization Fund, and an Organics Rate Stabilization Fund. These reserve funds are intended to give the District flexibility to weather market price volatility and inflationary effects on hauling and disposal costs. The Capital Reserve Fund, Closure Fund, and Municipal & School Diversion Grant Funds will continue to be funded in 2026.

Rates in CY2026

Proposed rate increases for CY2026 are highlighted in yellow in Appendix C, "2026 Proposed Rate Schedule, Transfer Station & District Fees." As with prior years, the 2026 Annual Budget will be funded by a combination of: (1) tipping fees collected at the Transfer Station; (2) a per-ton District Fee on all waste generated within the District and destined for disposal; (3) donations or fees at special events sponsored by the District; (4) the sale of items such as composters; (5) grants, if available; (6) profit sharing of scrap metal; and (7) manufacturer EPR reimbursements. No assessments to member municipalities are proposed for CY2026.

We encourage you to attend the District's Public Hearing on the Proposed CY2026 Annual Budget. The hearing is scheduled for Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 7:10 PM, at the District Office, 1223 Rt. 7 South, Middlebury, and via Zoom. The Zoom link to the meeting will be at the top of the agenda to be posted on our website. Please contact Donald Maglienti, District Manager, at don@acswmd.org or Drew Pettis, Business Manager, at drew@acswmd.org or by calling (802) 388-2333 with any comments or questions regarding the public hearing.

ACSWMD Draft CY2026 Budget

	2025 Adopted Budget	Estimated 2025 Year End Total	2026 Proposed Budget
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General Operating Budget

Revenues

Beginning Operating Fund Balance	\$ 394,802	\$ 504,287	\$ 333,953
Basic District Fee - Tr. St. & Direct (\$35/ton)	891,800	877,429	861,000
Basic District Fee - ADC (\$10/ton)	-	-	-
Admin Fee	33,000	36,399	34,000
Penalty Surcharges	16,500	15,905	16,000
Interest	15,931	18,838	15,012
Governmental Tip Fees (Direct)	676,328	706,058	791,315
Due From Grant Funds & Transfers	43,653	49,947	58,201
Transfer Station MSW & C&D Tip Fees (\$136/ton)	3,073,400	3,017,208	3,332,000
Transfer Station Other Tip Fees - Tires	86,200	110,758	123,000
Asbestos	1,025	558	1,175
Certified Weights	400	465	400
Bond Interest	3,320	6,530	-
Other Income	-	826	-
Total Revenues	\$ 4,841,556	\$ 4,840,920	\$ 5,232,103

Expenditures

Personal Emoluments	1,362,387	1,394,886	1,451,258
General Office Expense	160,227	162,144	183,640
Transfer Station General	177,683	142,801	156,478
Transfer Station Direct	2,147,042	2,128,150	2,231,395
Utilities	27,751	29,781	29,750
Indirect Maintenance	39,290	31,794	41,540
Insurance	76,382	86,935	101,050
Local PILOT	23,000	26,417	28,000
Training/ Travel	15,675	9,993	21,200
Professional Expenses	13,000	11,000	13,000
Programs	716,266	695,729	806,361
Debt Service	-	-	-
Bad Debt	-	-	-
Designated - Cap. Res. Fund, Closure Fund	290,000	291,625	290,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 5,048,702	\$ 5,011,254	\$ 5,353,672
Net Gain / (Loss)	\$ (207,146)	\$ (170,334)	\$ (121,569)

Ending Operating Fund Balance	\$ 187,657	\$ 333,953	\$ 212,384
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Capital Reserve Fund Budget

Revenues

Capital Res from Prior Year End	143,829	292,121	225,012
Funding from Cur. Year Budget	290,000	290,000	290,000
Interest Revenue	4,050	692	1,000
Fund Balance Transfer	-	-	-
Loans/ Sale of Equipment	-	-	-
Total Funding	\$ 437,879	\$ 582,813	\$ 516,012

Expenditures

Capital Acquisitions	315,000	211,800	178,000
Capital Development	-	146,002	-
Total Expenditures	\$ 315,000	\$ 357,802	\$ 178,000
Net Gain (Loss)	\$ 122,879	\$ 225,012	\$ 338,012

	2025 Adopted Budget	Estimated 2025 Year End Total	2026 Proposed Budget
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Closure Fund

Revenues

Beginning Balance	68,264	71,690	76,207
Interest Revenue	1,000	2,892	2,880
Fund Balance Transfer	-	1,625	-

Expenditures

Fund Balance	\$ 69,264	\$ 76,207	\$ 79,087
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Rate Stabilization Fund - Tip Fee

Revenues

Beginning Balance	100,000	100,000	100,000
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Expenditures

Fund Balance	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
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Rate Stabilization Fund - Recycling

Revenues

Beginning Balance	100,000	100,000	100,000
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Expenditures

Fund Balance	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
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Rate Stabilization Fund - Organics

Revenues

Beginning Balance	100,000	100,000	100,000
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Expenditures

Fund Balance	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
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Municipal Diversion Grant Fund

Revenues

Beginning Balance	26,512	24,612	24,612
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Expenditures

Fund Balance	\$ 16,512	\$ 24,612	\$ 14,612
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School Diversion Grant Fund

Revenues

Beginning Balance	51,124	51,124	48,622
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Expenditures

Fund Balance	\$ 41,124	\$ 48,622	\$ 38,622
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Appendix A

*For a detailed version of the Auditor's Report on the District's Financial Statements for the Year Ending 12/31/24, please either visit AddisonCountyRecycles.org, or contact our Business Manager, Drew Pettis, at drew@acswmd.org or via the phone at 802-388-2333 EXT. 222

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2024

	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 292,121	\$ 728,506	\$ 1,020,627
Investments	371,690	-	371,690
Accounts receivable (net of allowance for uncollectibles)	10,519	10,391	20,910
Grants receivable	-	42,830	42,830
Other receivables	1,674	-	1,674
Inventory	22,673	-	22,673
Prepaid items	54,191	52,432	106,623
Internal balances	66,695	(66,695)	-
Total current assets	<u>819,563</u>	<u>767,464</u>	<u>1,587,027</u>
Noncurrent assets:			
Capital assets:			
Land, infrastructure and other assets not being depreciated	1,553,438	-	1,553,438
Buildings and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation	313,836	754,030	1,067,866
Total noncurrent assets	<u>1,867,274</u>	<u>754,030</u>	<u>2,621,304</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 2,686,837</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,521,494</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 4,208,331</u></u>
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 36,884	\$ 148,705	\$ 185,589
Accrued expenses	10,994	12,750	23,744
Current portion of long-term obligations	-	11,586	11,586
Total current liabilities	<u>47,878</u>	<u>173,041</u>	<u>220,919</u>
Noncurrent liabilities:			
Accrued compensated absences	-	29,684	29,684
Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>29,684</u>	<u>29,684</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>47,878</u>	<u>202,725</u>	<u>250,603</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred revenue	32,138	60,452	92,590
TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	<u>32,138</u>	<u>60,452</u>	<u>92,590</u>
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	1,867,274	754,030	2,621,304
Restricted	71,690	-	71,690
Unrestricted	667,857	504,287	1,172,144
TOTAL NET POSITION	<u>2,606,821</u>	<u>1,258,317</u>	<u>3,865,138</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND NET POSITION	<u><u>\$ 2,686,837</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,521,494</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 4,208,331</u></u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report and notes to financial statements.

STATEMENT B

ADDISON COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

Functions/Programs	Program Revenues				Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Governmental activities:							
Governmental expenses	\$ 1,471,199	\$ 951,280	\$ 714,083	\$ -	\$ 194,164	\$ -	\$ 194,164
Depreciation expense	54,066	-	-	-	(54,066)	-	(54,066)
Total governmental activities	<u>1,525,265</u>	<u>951,280</u>	<u>714,083</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>140,098</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>140,098</u>
Business-type activities:							
Transfer station	3,155,807	3,009,112	-	-	-	(146,695)	(146,695)
Total business-type activities	<u>3,155,807</u>	<u>3,009,112</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(146,695)</u>	<u>(146,695)</u>
Total government	<u>\$ 4,681,072</u>	<u>\$ 3,960,392</u>	<u>\$ 714,083</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>140,098</u>	<u>(146,695)</u>	<u>(6,597)</u>
General revenue:							
Intergovernmental					52,221	-	52,221
Interest income					38,670	-	38,670
Capital asset transfer					-	28,625	28,625
Miscellaneous					16,687	18,307	34,994
Transfers					(43,374)	43,374	-
Total general revenues and transfers					<u>64,204</u>	<u>90,306</u>	<u>154,510</u>
Change in net position					204,302	(56,389)	147,913
NET POSITION - JANUARY 1					<u>2,402,519</u>	<u>1,314,706</u>	<u>3,717,225</u>
NET POSITION - DECEMBER 31					<u>\$ 2,606,821</u>	<u>\$ 1,258,317</u>	<u>\$ 3,865,138</u>

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ACSWMD Town Drop-Off Information

 **Addison County**
Solid Waste Management District
(802) 388-2333, www.AddisonCountyRecycles.org
1223 Rte. 7 S, Middlebury | 65 Campground Rd., New Haven

Addison County Solid Waste Management District Residential Drop-Off

Location: 100 Kings Way (off Campground Rd.), New Haven, VT. Fridays: 8 AM to Noon

Hauler: ACSWMD (802) 388-2333

All town drop-offs accept food scraps, recycling, bagged trash, and seasonally, leaf & yard waste. If in need of a scale weight or bringing a large load, household hazardous waste, and, or, special wastes, please visit the District Transfer Station in Middlebury. For details on rates and other special wastes collected, contact the drop-off directly.

Town Drop-Off		Time		Hauler
Addison: 65 VT Rte. 17 West		Saturdays: 9 AM-11 AM		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Bridport: Old Town Landfill, Happy Valley Rd.		Saturdays: 7:30 AM-Noon		Acker Waste Management (802) 453-6701
Bristol: Town Garage on Pine St.		Saturdays: 8 AM-Noon		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Cornwall: 112 School St.		Saturdays: 1 PM-3 PM		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Goshen: Curbside Trash & Recycling		Wednesdays		Dave Sabatini (802) 247-6350
Leicester: 19 Schoolhouse Rd. The Meeting House at Leicester Four Corners		1st & 3rd Saturday: 9 AM-Noon		Van Denton (802) 247-8340
Lincoln: 1111 Downingsville Rd.		Saturdays: 8 AM-1 PM		Acker Waste Management (802) 453-6701
Middlebury: 49 Wilson Rd.		Saturdays: 8 AM-10 AM		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Middlebury: 1442 Route 7 N		Tues. & Thurs.: 2 PM-6 PM		Acker Waste Management (802) 453-6701
Monkton: 4047 States Prison Hollow Rd.		2nd & 4th Saturday: 9 AM-Noon		Hauler: Acker Waste Management (802) 453-6701 Cardboard Only: Casella (800) 292-0297
New Haven: 78 North St.		Saturdays: 8 AM-Noon		
Ripton: 333 Peddler's Bridge Rd.		1st & 3rd Saturday: 9 AM-Noon, 1st Wednesday 5-7 PM		Warren King (802) 388-4082 Webb & Sons (802) 388-4532, Casella (800) 292-0297
Salisbury: 1301 Upper Plains Rd.		Saturdays: 8 AM-1 PM		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Shoreham: 28 School Rd.		Saturdays: 8 AM-11:30 AM		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Starksboro: 3904 Rte. 116		1st & 3rd Saturday: 8 AM-11 AM		Acker Waste Management (802) 453-6701
Vergennes: 105 Panton Rd. (Addison, Ferrisburgh, Panton & Waltham)		Saturdays: 8 AM-Noon, Wednesdays: 2 PM-6 PM		R&L Rubbish (802) 388-6288
Weybridge: 460 Quaker Village Rd.		Saturdays: 9:30 AM-11 AM		Chris Anderson (802) 545-2874 Kimball (802) 545-2891, Casella (800) 292-0297
Whiting: 79 So. Main St.		2nd & 4th Saturday: 9 AM-11 AM		
				BK Services (802) 779-2950

Notes



Appendix C

Addison County Solid Waste Management District

CY2026 Proposed Rate Schedule Transfer Station & District Fees

A \$1.00 admin fee is charged on all monetary transactions in addition to prices below.

MSW (Trash), Construction & Demolition Debris.....	\$171/ton
Minimum Fee - 100 lbs. or less - mixed debris.....	\$9/load
(Telephone poles must be cut into 10' sections)	
Appliances w/ CFCs (refrigerator, freezer, window A/C, water fountain, vending machine, dehumidifier).....	\$15/ea.
Commercial-Grade A/C units & outdoor residential A/C units.....	At Cost
Appliances - no CFCs (furnace, washer, dryer, hot water heater, stove, dishwasher, microwave, woodstove, etc.).....	No Charge
Asbestos, Non-Friable (packaging requirements apply).....	\$300/ton
Asphalt Shingles Recycling.....	\$250/ton
Drywall Recycling.....	\$200/ton
Ashes (wood).....	\$1/load
Batteries (wet-cell, automotive).....	No Charge
Batteries (dry-cell, cell phones, rechargeable, button cell, lithium, lithium ion, NiMH, NiCad).....	No Charge ¹
Books (hard and soft cover)	
Residential.....	\$2/load
Business.....	\$80/ton
Clean Wood, brush, branches, (cut into 16" logs if > 6" diameter)...	
Residential, up to 1 regular pick-up truck or small trailer.....	\$10/load
Large loads or Business.....	\$100/ton
Mulch loading assistance.....	\$10/scoop
Cooking Oil (Large quantities call ahead).....	No charge
Documents (Secure Destruction), small amounts only.....	No charge
Electronics (large items or quantities charged by weight at the discretion of the scalehouse... operator).....	\$0.23/lb
Computers, whole systems (includes everything).....	\$11/ea. (or no charge ²)
Computers, by piece (monitor or CPU or printer).....	\$6/pc. (or no charge ²)
Televisions (Regular size TV).....	\$7/ea. (or no charge ²)
(Console size TV).....	\$15/ea. (or no charge ²)
Desktop Photocopier.....	\$11/pc.
Small Electronics (Fax, VCR, DVD/CD, Stereo, Telephones, etc.).....	\$2.50/pc.
Mixed Bag (cords, adapters, CDs, tapes, cassettes, DVDs, chips, cards... grocery bag size).....	\$5/bag
Film Plastic & Plastic Bags (must meet acceptance criteria, Residential).....	No Charge
Business (limit 1 CY per week or less).....	\$20/CY
Fire Extinguishers – Any size.....	\$5/ea.
Fluorescent Light Bulbs – Compact Fluorescent Lamps.....	No Charge
U-Tube, Circular or Straight Tubes 4 ft. or shorter.....	\$0.50/ea. (or no charge³)
Straight Tubes longer than 4 ft.....	\$1.00/ea. (or no charge³)
HID Lamps.....	\$1.50/ea. (or no charge³)
UV, Neon or other Specialty Lamps.....	\$2.75/ea.

Food Waste (Residential, containers up to 5-gal).....	\$1.00/ea.
(Business, containers up to 5-gal).....	\$1.00/ea.
(Business, 32-gallon container).....	\$15/ea.
(Business, 48-gallon container).....	\$20/ea.
Hazardous Waste (Residential) – (including all paint).....	No Charge
Hazardous Waste (Business, VSQG) (including all paint)	
Must call for appointment day/time.....	Actual Cost+\$5 Fee ⁴
Leaf & Yard Waste (grass clippings, leaves, small twigs) - 3 CY or less	\$2/load
Over 3 CY.....	\$20/load
Light Ballasts (containing PCBs).....	\$2.25/ea.
Maple Sap Tubing (call for acceptance guidelines, by appointment only).....	\$20/CY

Mattresses

Crib Mattress - Recycling.....	\$15/ea.
All Other Size Mattress or Box spring - Recycling.....	\$40/ea.
All Size Mattresses or Box spring - Landfill.....	\$171/ton plus \$45 Fee
<i>(Mattress Quantities Greater than 10 must call to make an appointment.)</i>	
Mercury Devices (intact thermometers, thermostats, etc.).....	No Charge
Motor Oil (Residential, uncontaminated only, 10 gal or less per day)	No Charge
(Residential > 10 gal), uncontaminated only.....	\$1.50/gal.

Oil Filters (Residential).....No Charge

(Business) Individual filters.....	\$1.00/ea.
(Business) 5-gallon pail full	\$15/pail
(Business) 55-gallon drum full.....	\$140/drum
Propane Tanks, 1-lb (Residential).....	No Charge
1-lb (Business).....	\$1/ea.
20-lb or larger (grill size, resident or business).....	\$15/ea.

Recycling – Single Stream Recyclables from Commercial Haulers.....\$130/ton

Single Stream self-hauled from Businesses -Min. Fee 1 CY or less.....	\$10.00
Single Stream self-hauled from Businesses > 1 CY.....	\$120/ton
Scrap Metal.....	No Charge
Stumps.....	\$15/CY
Textiles (Must be clean, dry and in bags).....	No Charge

Tires - Passenger Tires.....\$5/ea.

Large Truck Tires.....\$15/ea.

Agricultural Tires, Earthmoving Tires, Extra Large Tires.....\$0.20/lb

Car & Light Truck up to 20" - Large Quantity by the pound.....\$0.13/lb

District Fee – \$35/ton on all MSW and C&D disposed of (included in Transfer Station tip fee), and \$10/ton on contaminated soils approved by ANR for use as ADC.

Scale Weights are \$5.00 per vehicle.

¹ VT Battery Law – Household batteries are collected at no charge.

² VT E-Waste Law – No charge for households, 501(c)(3) charities, school districts, small businesses (10 or < employees) OR 7 or < covered items/visit.

³ VT Mercury Lamp Law – No charge for general purpose mercury bulbs, 10 or </per day.

⁴ VT Paint Law – No charge for architectural paint. The \$5-per-visit admin. fees for businesses will be waived on paint-only loads.



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