



MILLBURY

2022 WASTE CHARACTERIZATION STUDY



January 2023

Prepared under contract to SAK Environmental, LLC



231 Sutton Street, Suite 2G
North Andover, MA 01845

TABLE OF CONTENTS

1. INTRODUCTION.....	1-1
1.1 Introduction.....	1-1
1.2 Millbury Site Overview.....	1-1
1.3 Report Organization.....	1-2
2. METHODOLOGY.....	2-1
2.1 Waste Disposal Quantities.....	2-1
2.2 Truck Types.....	2-1
2.3 Generator Sectors.....	2-2
2.4 Sample Allocation.....	2-4
2.5 Waste Categories.....	2-4
2.6 Seasonality.....	2-6
2.7 Field Data Collection.....	2-6
2.7.1 Load Selection.....	2-6
2.7.2 Taking Random Samples for Manual Sorting.....	2-6
2.7.3 Manual Sorting.....	2-7
2.7.4 Data Recording.....	2-7
2.7.5 Statistical Methods.....	2-8
3. RESULTS.....	3-1
3.1 Aggregate Waste Composition.....	3-1
3.2 Waste Composition by Generator Sector.....	3-3
3.3 Waste Composition by Vehicle Type.....	3-4
3.4 Comparison with Prior Waste Composition.....	3-6

LIST OF APPENDICES

- Appendix A – Material Categories & Definitions
- Appendix B – Vehicle Survey Sheets

TABLE OF CONTENTS

List of Figures

Figure 2-1 Tipped Load Awaiting Sample Collection	2-7
Figure 2-2 Sort Crew	2-7
Figure 3-1 Overall Waste Composition by Material Group	3-1

List of Tables

Table 1-1 Wheelabrator Millbury, Inc. Service Area 2022.....	1-2
Table 2-1 2022 Waste Disposal Quantities	2-1
Table 2-2 2022 Waste Deliveries by Vehicle Type	2-2
Table 2-3 Incoming Vehicle Random Sample Results	2-3
Table 2-4 Residential/ICI Split.....	2-3
Table 2-5 Proposed Samples vs. Actual Samples Collected (Excluding Transfer Trailers).....	2-4
Table 2-6 Waste Categories	2-5
Table 2-7 Sampling and Sorting Schedule.....	2-6
Table 3-1 Top 10 Most Prevalent Material Categories.....	3-2
Table 3-2 Detailed Aggregate MSW Composition	3-3
Table 3-3 Composition of Waste Composition by Generator Sector	3-4
Table 3-4 Comparison of Waste Composition by Truck Type	3-5
Table 3-5 Comparison of 2022 Results with Prior Studies.....	3-7

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 INTRODUCTION

In Massachusetts, combustion facilities with Class II Recycling Programs are required to conduct a waste characterization study (WCS) within 18 months of receiving their Class II Recycling Program certification from the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) and every three years thereafter. Inaugural WCSs were conducted in calendar year 2010, with subsequent studies completed in 2013, 2016, and 2019.

The most recent MassDEP Guidance Document for the conduct of waste characterization studies at qualifying Class II Recycling Program facilities was published in 2021. The document, titled “2022 Class II Recycling Program Waste Characterization Scope and Methodology Guidance,” (WCS Guidance) includes guidance on the scope, methodology and protocols to be used in conducting the waste characterization studies that are required by state regulation. This WCS Guidance document relies in turn on the methodologies and protocols described in ASTM Test Method for Determination of the Composition of Unprocessed Municipal Solid Waste, Designation D 5231 – 92 (2016).

Per the Class II Recycling Program regulations, Wheelabrator Millbury has engaged SAK Environmental, LLC, with MSW Consultants, LLC working as a subcontractor to conduct a WCS of the waste arriving at the Millbury facility located in Millbury, Massachusetts.

Pursuant to the WCS Guidance document, the objectives of the WCS were to:

1. Characterize, in a statistically defensible manner, the waste stream at the Millbury facility according to MassDEP protocols; and
2. Provide representative waste characterization raw data and statistics that can subsequently be aggregated with other WCS study data and used by MassDEP in subsequent data analysis to be performed by MassDEP, to
 - a. Estimate statewide waste characterization information;
 - b. Measure the success of future waste reduction efforts;
 - c. Identify specific materials for increased diversion; and
 - d. Help guide MassDEP policy and program initiatives in solid waste management.

This report contains the results of the Wheelabrator Millbury 2022 WCS.

1.2 MILLBURY SITE OVERVIEW

The Wheelabrator Millbury Inc. facility is located at 331 Southwest Cutoff Road, Millbury, MA 01527, and initiated operations in 1987. The facility is designed to combust 1,500 tons per day of municipal solid waste (MSW), and consists of two mass-burn, municipal waste combustion (MWC) units. The facility has an electric generating capacity of 45,000 kilowatts, which is the equivalent of supplying the electrical needs of 49,500 Massachusetts homes. The Wheelabrator Millbury facility currently serves 39 communities as shown in Table 1-1 below, which are currently classified as contract communities. Non-contract or "spot market" customers vary daily and also can vary from one year to the next, which comprises the remainder of the solid waste disposal capacity at the facility.

1. INTRODUCTION

Table 1-1 Wheelabrator Millbury, Inc. Service Area 2022

Auburn	Holliston	Millbury	Mansfield	Sutton
Blackstone	Hopedale	Millis	Paxton	Upton
Dedham	Hopkinton	Millville	Princeton	Walpole
Dover	Maynard	Natick	Rutland	Westborough
East Brookfield	Medfield	Needham	Sherborn	Weston
Franklin	Medway	Newton	Shrewsbury	Westwood
Grafton	Mendon	Northborough	Southborough	Worcester
Holden	Milford	Norfolk	Spencer	

The Millbury facility has one in-bound scale used to weigh trucks as they arrive at the facility. The incoming trucks follow the traffic pattern around the facility and line up in a staging area just outside the entrance to the tip floor building door. Trucks line up in a single line, entering the building when directed to do so by facility personnel. MSW Consultants field staff will select trucks and interview drivers while they wait in the staging line. The selected trucks will dump their loads on the tip floor and the loader operator will take the grab sample as directed by the Field Supervisor. The empty trucks exit the tip area via the exit door and follow the traffic pattern back to the out-bound scale to weigh-out before leaving the facility.

1.3 REPORT ORGANIZATION

The tipping floor at the Millbury facility is approximately 125 feet by 180 feet, with incoming truck traffic entering and exiting on the northeastern side of the building. The refuse pit is located on the southeastern end of the tipping floor. The sort crew will be located in a 70 foot by 35-foot cordoned area located along the southwestern wall of the building, on the opposite corner from the refuse pit. This area will be emptied of any accumulated refuse piles just prior to the field work and will provide a safe work environment for the crew while maintaining an efficient workflow for the waste material. It is preferred that this area be separated from the rest of the tip floor with Jersey barriers. Workers associated with the WCS can access the waste sorting area through a doorway located in the southwest corner, eliminating the need to walk through the active tipping floor. A gravel parking area is located adjacent to the work area, along the northwest wall of the tip floor building for workers to access the facility and park. Workers will be able to access sanitary facilities and break rooms in the employee locker rooms, or a separate port-o-john dedicated solely for the WCS.

The remainder of this report presents the methodology and results of the Millbury waste composition study. The report is divided into the following sections:

- ◆ **Methodology:** This section provides an overview of waste disposal data available from Millbury reports and supplemented with direct surveys to establish reasonable estimates by generator sector and provides the detailed sampling plan that was developed to govern the study process and to provide statistically defensible data. This section also summarizes the field data collection methods and analytical methods applied in the study.
- ◆ **Results:** Detailed results about the composition of the combusted waste are presented in this section. Results are presented primarily in tabular format with some summary graphics to highlight findings of interest.
- ◆ **Appendices:** Detailed waste category definitions and the tabular 2022 study results are contained in the appendices.

It should also be noted that the raw data captured for this study has been delivered electronically in spreadsheet format for use by Millbury and for subsequent transmittal to MassDEP.

2. METHODOLOGY

2.1 WASTE DISPOSAL QUANTITIES

Wheelabrator Millbury provided MSW Consultants with annual waste total for 2022. Table 2-1 shows the total annual waste received at the facility by waste type.

Table 2-1 2022 Waste Disposal Quantities

Waste Type	Total Tons	Percent
MSW	484,576	94.1
Other	30,186	5.9
Grand Total	514,762	100.0%

As shown in Table 2-1, the majority of wastes received are coded as municipal solid waste (MSW). It was reported by the facility that MSW includes waste received from transfer stations. While these loads would have been considered of mixed generator sector and consequently were not sampled (as described more fully below), these wastes are included in the overall WCS analysis.

2.2 TRUCK TYPES

Wheelabrator Millbury has modified their scale house software to record the truck type for all incoming deliveries in a manner that is consistent with MassDEP guidance. The following truck types were defined and segregated during the WCS. Scale data differentiates:

- ◆ Rear Load and Side Load compacting vehicles,
- ◆ Frontload compacting vehicles,
- ◆ Roll-off compactors,
- ◆ Roll-off open top containers, and
- ◆ Roll-off closed top containers.

The Millbury facility also receives waste on transfer trailers. Because it is not possible to determine the generating sector of origin for wastes contained on transfer trailers, these loads were excluded from sampling during the WCS. Table 2-2 shows the total tons and percent of waste by vehicle type in 2022, separating the transfer trailer waste from direct haul loads.

2. METHODOLOGY

Table 2-2 2022 Waste Deliveries by Vehicle Type

Vehicle Type	Total Vehicles	Percent of Vehicles	Total Tons	Percent of Tons
Rear Loader	6,887	16.5%	54,347	10.6%
Side Loader	5,450	13.1%	51,741	10.1%
Front Loader	6,727	16.2%	61,532	12.0%
Roll-off Compactor	329	0.8%	1,965	0.4%
Roll-off Open Top	1,172	2.8%	7,410	1.4%
Roll-off Closed Top	95	0.2%	710	0.1%
Acceptable Vehicle Total	20,660	49.6%	177,705	34.5%
Tractor/Transfer Trailer	11,506	27.6%	297,069	57.7
Other/Not Applicable	9,454	22.7%	39,988	7.8%
Unacceptable Vehicle Total	20,960	50.4%	337,057	65.5%
Grand Total	41,620	100.0%	514,762	100.0%

2.3 GENERATOR SECTORS

Consistent with MassDEP’s WCS Guidance, samples obtained in this study were classified into one of three generator types:

- ◆ **Residential:** Residential waste was defined in this study as waste from vehicles in which 80 percent or more of the waste originated from single family or multi-family residential sources. These vehicles included residential drop-off containers (i.e. roll-offs, dedicated transfer trailers from municipal drop-off programs) and both side load and rear load compacting vehicles.
- ◆ **ICI - Industrial/Commercial/Institutional:** This category included wastes generated by non-residential sources including commercial businesses, institutions, and industrial facilities (excepting any special industrial wastes or industrial wastes elsewhere classified). ICI waste was defined in this study as waste from vehicles in which 80 percent or more of the waste was generated by ICI sources. Typically waste from ICI vehicles included compactor boxes, open top boxes and front-load compacting vehicles.
- ◆ **Unacceptable Loads:** Unacceptable loads were defined as loads that contained less than 80 percent of either residential or ICI waste; loads that were more than 50 percent construction and demolition (C&D) material; and loads that originated from out of state. Unacceptable loads were not sampled or sorted during the WCS.

The proportion of waste delivered to the facility by each of these generator types was not tracked or known by the facility operators prior to this study. Random sampling of incoming loads was therefore used to assure appropriate allocation of samples to each generator sector. It was agreed upon that MassDEP did not intend for Unacceptable Loads to undergo sampling and sorting as part of the study. Unacceptable Loads were defined as:

- ◆ Front Load and Rear Load compacting trucks that mix Residential (including multi-family) and ICI accounts on the same route such neither the Residential nor the ICI fraction exceeds 80 percent of the load;
- ◆ All Transfer/Tractor Trailers. These usually originate at commercial transfer stations that accept a mix of Residential and ICI wastes; or originate at transfer stations that may accept waste from out-of-state.

2. METHODOLOGY

If encountered during the random sampling, Unacceptable Loads were excluded from the composition analysis. However, consistent with MassDEP’s reporting requirements, the overall fraction of wastes arriving in Unacceptable Loads from Front and Rear Load vehicles were documented for the facility by randomly selecting vehicles and surveying the drivers regarding load origination.

Table 2-3 shows the results of the random sampling conducted at the Millbury facility. Results are shown both in terms of the percentage of loads (top half) and the percentage of waste by weight (bottom half).

Table 2-3 Incoming Vehicle Random Sample Results

	Vehicle Type	Residential	ICI	Mixed	Total
Percent by Number of Loads	Rear Loader	88.5%	11.5%	0.0%	100.0%
	Side Loader	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
	Front Loader	12.5%	87.5%	0.0%	100.0%
	Roll-off Compactor	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%
	Roll-off Open Top	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
	Roll-off (Undifferentiated)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
	Transfer Trailers	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Percent by Weight of Loads	Rear Loader	97.6%	2.4%	0.0%	100.0%
	Side Loader	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
	Front Loader	10.9%	89.1%	0.0%	100.0%
	Roll-off Compactor	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%
	Roll-off (Undifferentiated)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
	Roll-off Closed Top	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
	Transfer Trailers	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

These survey results in Table 2-3 were subsequently applied to the total waste deliveries by truck type to estimate the proportion of wastes delivered by generator sector. Quantities of waste were summed by generator sector. The results of this exercise are shown in Table 2-4. As shown, the survey data collected during this study suggest that the Millbury facility receives roughly 53 percent ICI waste and 47 percent Residential waste. This assumes that the Mixed Waste entering the facility is the same split as the direct haul waste. Further study would be required to improve on the estimate below.

Table 2-4 Residential/ICI Split

Allocation Method	Residential	ICI	Mixed	Total
By Load Count	30.2%	16.4%	50.6%	97.2%
By Weight of Load	21.9%	11.1%	65.6%	98.6%
By Weight Excluding Mixed	66.4%	33.6%	N/A	100.0%

It should also be noted that MassDEP’s WCS Guidance document calls for a 55 percent to 45 percent split between ICI and residential waste as the state-wide average. MSW Consultants understands that this split was intended only as a guideline in the absence of actual data. For this WCS, the weighting factors derived from the random samples and the truck type stratification were used to calculate results.

2. METHODOLOGY

2.4 SAMPLE ALLOCATION

Table 2-5 below shows the proposed and actual allocation of samples by truck type and by season, based on actual 2020 scale house data. The latest 2022 scale data is shown for comparison.

This table also shows how the 52 total samples were stratified, with random sampling performed for each stratum. Finally, the table shows the actual samples obtained in the study. From this information, the study reasonably achieved the targeted sampling stratification.

Table 2-5 Proposed Samples vs. Actual Samples Collected (Excluding Transfer Trailers)

Vehicle Type	2020 Percent Tons*	2022 Percent Tons	Proposed Samples	Proposed Percent	Actual Samples	Actual Percent
Rear/Side Loader	60.6%	59.7%	32	61.5%	31	59.6%
Front Loader	28.7%	34.6%	15	28.8%	16	30.8%
Roll-off Compactor	1.5%	1.1%	1	1.9%	5	9.6%
Roll-off Open Top	0.3%	4.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Roll-off Closed Top	0.1%	N/A	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Roll-off (Undifferentiated)**	8.8%	0.4%	4	7.7%	0	0.0%
Other	0.0%	N/A	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Grand Total	100.0%	100.0%	52	100.0%	52	100.0%

*2020 Tonnage percentages were used in the Study Design protocol to establish sample allocations.

** 2020 Scale data showed Roll-off Closed Top; 2022 Data did not, showing "Rolloff" with no specification. For the purposes of this study, it was classified as "Roll-off Undifferentiated". Due to a prevalence of Roll-off Compactors noted during the field data collection phase, "Undifferentiated" roll-off samples were allocated to Roll-off Compactors.

Of the 52 samples obtained, 30 were from the Residential generator sector and 22 were from ICI generators.

2.5 WASTE CATEGORIES

This study sorted wastes into the nine (9) primary categories and 62 secondary categories identified by MassDEP in the WCS Guidance document. Table 2-6 on the following page summarizes these waste categories. More detailed definitions of each of the 62 waste categories are provided in Appendix A.

For the 2022 WCS, MassDEP amended the material categories to include a new plastics category, and an amended category. The new category is “#5 Polypropylene Bottles & Containers”, which serves to include all (#5) polypropylene bottles and containers. The amended category is the “Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (which originally contained non-hazardous material),” which will no longer include any #5 polypropylene. More detailed definitions of each of the 62 material categories are provided in Appendix A.

The 2022 material list retains the protocol to capture the estimated percent composition of mattresses and box springs in each load, which was introduced in the 2016 WCS.

2. METHODOLOGY

Table 2-6 Waste Categories

PAPER	
Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper	Newsprint
Waxed Cardboard	Other Recyclable Paper
High Grade Office Paper	Compostable Paper
Magazines/Catalogs	Remainder/Composite Paper
PLASTICS	
#1 PET Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers)	Expanded Polystyrene Non-Food Grade
PET Containers other than Beverage Containers	Bulk Rigid Plastic Items
Plastic MA Deposit Beverage Containers	Film (non-bag clean commercial and industrial packaging film)
#2 HDPE Bottles, colored and natural	Grocery and Other Merchandise Bags
#5 PP Bottles & Containers*	Plastic Film - Other
Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (non-hazardous) *	Remainder/Composite Plastic
Expanded Polystyrene Food Grade	
METALS	
Aluminium Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers)	Other Ferrous and Non-Ferrous
Aluminum MA Deposit Beverage Containers	White Goods
Tin/Steel Containers	Remainder/Composite Metal
Other Aluminum	
GLASS	
Glass Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers)	Glass MA Deposit Beverage Containers
Other Glass Packaging Containers (non-MA deposit containers)	Remainder/Composite Glass
ORGANICS	
Food Waste	Manures
Branches and Stumps	Remainder/Composite Organic
Pruning, Trimmings, Leaves and Grass	
C&D MATERIALS	
Asphalt Pavement, Brick, and Concrete	Asphalt Roofing
Aggregates, Stone, Rock	Drywall/Gypsum Board
Wood – Treated	Carpet and Carpet Padding
Wood – Untreated	Remainder/Composite Construction and Demolition
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE	
Ballasts, CFLs, and Other Fluorescents	Bio-Hazardous
Batteries – Lead Acid	Vehicle and Equipment Fluids
Batteries – Other	Empty Metal, Glass, and Plastic Containers (that originally contained toxic materials)
Paints	Other Hazardous or Household Hazardous Waste
ELECTRONICS	
Computer-related Electronics	Televisions & Computer Monitors
Other “Brown Goods”	
OTHER MATERIALS	
Tires and Other Rubber	Mattresses
Textiles	Restaurant Fats, Oils and Grease
Bulky Materials	Other Miscellaneous

*Replaces former "Plastic Containers #3-#7" Category

2. METHODOLOGY

2.6 SEASONALITY

To ensure that the final results captured seasonal fluctuations in the composition of the waste stream, the study was performed over two seasons. Consistent with MassDEP guidance, the first season field sort occurred during the first quarter period (between January 15 and March 15, 2022, and the second season field sort occurred during the fourth quarter period between October 15 and December 15, 2022. Field sorting was scheduled to avoid the days immediately preceding and following major holidays.

The Study Design proposed 26 samples to be collected equally between each of the two seasons for a total of 52 samples. The sampling targets were achieved. Table 2-7 shows the field data collection schedule.

Table 2-7 Sampling and Sorting Schedule

Day of Week	Winter Season	Fall Season
Thursday	February 3, 2022	
Friday	February 4, 2022	
Saturday	February 5, 2022	
Monday		October 24, 2022
Tuesday		October 25, 2022
Wednesday		October 26, 2022

2.7 FIELD DATA COLLECTION

2.7.1 LOAD SELECTION

For each of the truck types identified above, MSW Consultants used a systematic selection of incoming vehicles. Sufficient incoming scale data was provided by the Millbury facility prior to the study to estimate the expected number of loads delivered by each truck type. An “Nth Vehicle” approach was used each season for each truck type. Systematic sampling is intended to remove any sampling bias that may arise from an individual selecting specific incoming vehicles. MSW Consultants divided the number of incoming loads (by vehicle type) by the number of samples needed that day from the facility. The resulting number was the sampling frequency and determined whether every third vehicle, every sixth vehicle, or every 20th vehicle will be selected for sampling. This strategy is known as the “Nth Vehicle” approach.

The Field Supervisor, working in coordination with facility personnel, kept a tally of vehicles from each truck type as they entered the facility. When the designated nth truck arrived, the vehicle was directed to the sampling area.

The Field Supervisor interviewed the drivers of selected loads to obtain information about origin of the load, validation of waste generating sector, hauler, vehicle type and number, and other data. This information was noted on the Field Supervisor’s vehicle selection form, along with a unique identifying number associated with that vehicle on that day.

2.7.2 TAKING RANDOM SAMPLES FOR MANUAL SORTING

Once the incoming load was identified and discharged on the tipping floor, a sample was taken using the method described in ASTM standards. A front-end loader removed material longitudinally along one entire side of the discharged load in order to obtain a representative cross-section of the material. The Field Supervisor and loader operator attempted to remove approximately 1,000 pounds of material, based on a visual assessment. This equates to four times the targeted sample weight of 250 pounds. The loader operator then mixed, coned, and quartered the sample material.

The Field Supervisor then systematically selected roughly one quarter of the material to be taken via a grab sample. For samples that contained heavy or bulky materials, the Field Supervisor estimated the fraction

2. METHODOLOGY

of the sample occupied by the bulky item and applied that percentage to the overall weight of the bulky item. For example, if a sofa bed was part of the grab sample that has been dumped for sampling, Field Supervisor estimated what fraction of the sofa bed was contained within the regular municipal solid waste sample and recorded the fractional weight of the bulky item as part of the overall sample.

The Field Supervisor then placed the material for sorting in 35-gallon barrels and pre-weighed each barrel to ensure the sample used for sorting was at least 225 pounds. A white board with the sample number was placed in the barrel and staged for the sorting by the field sorting crew. Figure 2-1 shows samples staged for sorting.

Figure 2-1 Tipped Load Awaiting Sample Collection



Figure 2-2 Sort Crew



2.7.3 MANUAL SORTING

Once the sample was acquired and placed in barrels, the material was manually sorted into the prescribed component categories. Plastic 20-gallon bins with sealed bottoms were used to contain the separated components. A picture of the sorting crew working the sort table and bins is shown in Figure 2-2.

2.7.4 DATA RECORDING

The weigh-out and data recording process is the most critical process of the sort. The Crew Chief was singularly responsible for overseeing all weighing and data recording of each sample. Once each sample was sorted the weigh-out was performed. Each bin containing sorted materials from the just-completed samples was physically carried over to a digital scale. Sorting laborers assisted with carrying and weighing the bins of sorted material, and the Crew Chief recorded all data.

The Crew Chief used a rugged tablet computer to record the composition weights. The tablet allowed samples to be tallied in real time so that field data collection could immediately identify and rectify errors associated with light sample weights. The tablet periodically synchronized with the cloud via cellular signal, providing excellent data security. Each sample was cross-referenced against the Field Supervisor's sample sheet to assure accurate tracking of the samples each day.

This real-time data entry system offers several important advantages:

- ◆ The template contains built-in logic and error checking to prevent erroneous entries.
- ◆ The template sums sample weights in real time so the Crew Chief can confirm achievement of weight targets for each and every sample.
- ◆ Except where host facilities are outside of cell phone range, the data file syncs routinely and can be accessed and checked by MSW Consultants QA/QC staff back at the office. For remote facilities that

2. METHODOLOGY

cannot synchronize during the workday, it is usually possible to sync in the evening upon returning to the hotel.

The Crew Chief also carried paper field forms as a back-up in case the tablet computer encountered unforeseen technical difficulties.

2.7.5 STATISTICAL METHODS

The following statistical measures were calculated to determine the overall composition of each waste generator sector.

- ◆ **Sample Mean:** The sample mean, or average, composition is considered the “most likely” fraction for each material category in the waste stream. The sample mean is determined by (i) summing the weight of each material in each sample; (ii) summing the total weight of all samples, and (iii) dividing the first value by the second value to determine the percent-by-weight composition. Note that the sample mean, while a good estimate, is unlikely to be identical to the population mean value. The meaningfulness of the sample mean is enhanced by the following statistical measures.
- ◆ **Standard Deviation:** The standard deviation measures how widely values within the data set are dispersed from the sample mean. A higher standard deviation denotes higher variation in the underlying samples for each material, while a lower standard deviation reflects lower variation among the individual samples. The standard deviation is stated in the same unit as the sample mean, which in this case is percent by weight.
- ◆ **Confidence Intervals:** When a sample of data is obtained, it is analyzed in an attempt to determine certain values that describe the entire population of data under analysis. For example, in a poll of likely voters, the intent of the poll is to determine the percentage of all voters who support a given candidate, not simply the percentage of voters in the poll who support that candidate. The percentage of voters who support a given candidate in the poll can easily vary from sample to sample; but the percentage of all voters who support that candidate is a fixed value. In our sample of incoming loads of waste, we are not primarily interested in the percentage composition of the sampled loads, but rather in trying to determine what the composition of the sampled loads tells us about the composition of all waste generated. A confidence interval is a statistical concept that attempts to indicate the likely range within which the true value lies. The confidence intervals reflect the upper and lower range within which the population mean can be expected to fall. Confidence intervals require the following "inputs":
 - ◆ The "level of confidence", or how sure one wants to be that the interval being constructed will actually encompass the population mean;
 - ◆ The sample mean, around which the confidence interval will be constructed;
 - ◆ The sample standard deviation, which is used as a measure of the variability of the population from which the sample was obtained; and
 - ◆ The number of sampling units that comprised the sample (a.k.a. sample size).

Consistent with MassDEP guidance, confidence intervals were calculated at a 90 percent level of confidence, meaning that we can be 90 percent sure that the mean falls within the upper and lower confidence intervals shown. (The converse is also true: that there is a 10 percent chance that the mean falls outside of the sample mean.) In general, as the number of samples increases, the width of the confidence intervals decreases, although the more variable the underlying waste stream composition, the less noticeable the improvement for adding incremental samples.

3. RESULTS

3.1 AGGREGATE WASTE COMPOSITION

Figure 3-1 shows the breakdown of major material groups for the aggregate overall municipal solid waste stream entering the facility. Results are shown in percentage terms. As shown, Organics and Paper are the most prevalent materials in the aggregate disposal stream.

Figure 3-1 Overall Waste Composition by Material Group

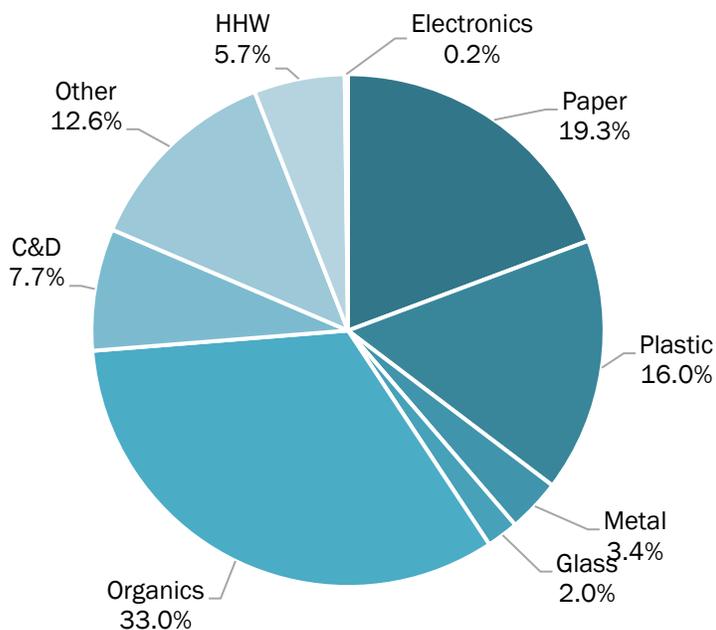


Table 3-1 shows the top 10 most prevalent material categories in the overall MSW stream, as well as for the Residential and ICI streams. Not surprisingly, Food Waste is the single most prevalent category. However, corrugated cardboard and compostable paper were also found to be prevalent.

3. RESULTS

Table 3-1 Top 10 Most Prevalent Material Categories

	Aggregate	Residential	ICI
1	Food Waste (24.7%)	Food Waste (26.7%)	Food Waste (22.1%)
2	Compostable Paper (7.6%)	Remainder/Composite Organic (9.3%)	Compostable Paper (8.2%)
3	Remainder/Composite Organic (7.3%)	Bio-Hazardous (8.5%)	Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper (6.8%)
4	Other Film (6.8%)	Compostable Paper (7.2%)	Other Film (6.7%)
5	Bio-Hazardous (5.4%)	Other Film (6.8%)	Other Miscellaneous (4.8%)
6	Textiles (5.3%)	Textiles (5.8%)	Textiles (4.7%)
7	Other Recyclable Paper (3.8%)	Other Recyclable Paper (3.9%)	Remainder/Composite Organic (4.6%)
8	Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper (3.7%)	Bulky Materials (2.9%)	Other Recyclable Paper (3.6%)
9	Other Miscellaneous (3.6%)	Other Miscellaneous (2.8%)	Remainder/Composite Plastic (3.5%)
10	Remainder/Composite Paper (3.1%)	Remainder/Composite Paper (2.8%)	Remainder/Composite Paper (3.4%)
	Subtotal = 71.3%	Subtotal = 76.6%	Subtotal = 68.3%

Table 3-2 on the following page provides a detailed statistical profile of the overall disposed MSW stream. For each material category, the mean percent, and lower and upper confidence intervals are shown. Confidence intervals are calculated at a 90 percent level of confidence.

3. RESULTS

Table 3-2 Detailed Aggregate MSW Composition

Material	Percent	Std. Dev	Conf Int (+/-)	Material	Percent	Std. Dev	Conf Int (+/-)
Paper	19.3%	10.2%	2.4%	Organics	33.0%	14.4%	3.3%
Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper	3.7%	5.4%	1.3%	Food Waste	24.7%	11.8%	2.7%
Waxed Cardboard	0.4%	1.6%	0.4%	Branches and Stumps	0.2%	1.6%	0.4%
High Grade Office Paper	0.2%	0.8%	0.2%	Prunings, Trimmings, Leaves and Gra	0.5%	2.4%	0.6%
Magazines/Catalogs	0.3%	0.7%	0.2%	Manures	0.3%	1.9%	0.4%
Newsprint	0.2%	0.7%	0.2%	Remainder/Composite Organic	7.3%	7.0%	1.6%
Other Recyclable Paper	3.8%	2.5%	0.6%				
Compostable Paper	7.6%	3.5%	0.8%	C&D	7.7%	11.7%	2.7%
Remainder/Composite Paper	3.1%	2.1%	0.5%	Asphalt Pavement, Brick, and Concret	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%
				Aggregates, Stone, Rock, Soil, Fines	1.0%	4.5%	1.0%
Plastic	16.0%	8.3%	1.9%	Wood - Treated	2.4%	6.2%	1.4%
PET Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit cr	0.8%	0.6%	0.1%	Wood - Untreated	2.3%	6.5%	1.5%
PET Containers other than Beverage Contain	0.6%	0.6%	0.1%	Asphalt Roofing	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Plastic MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	Drywall/Gypsum Board	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%
HDPE Bottles	0.6%	0.5%	0.1%	Carpet and Carpet Padding	1.1%	3.4%	0.8%
#5 PP Bottles & Containers	1.0%	0.6%	0.1%	Remainder/Composite C&D	0.9%	2.2%	0.5%
Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (non-haz.)	0.4%	0.7%	0.2%				
Expanded Polystyrene Food Grade	0.4%	0.4%	0.1%	Household Hazardous Waste	5.7%	0.7%	0.2%
Expanded Polystyrene Non-food Grade	0.2%	0.7%	0.2%	Ballasts, CFLs, and Other Fluorescent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Bulk Rigid Plastic Items	1.2%	2.1%	0.5%	Batteries - Lead Acid	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Film (non-bag clean com/industrial film)	1.1%	3.1%	0.7%	Batteries - Other	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%
Grocery and other Merchandise Bags	0.4%	0.5%	0.1%	Paint	0.1%	0.5%	0.1%
Other Film	6.8%	3.2%	0.7%	Bio-Hazardous	5.4%	6.0%	1.4%
Remainder/Composite Plastic	2.5%	4.0%	0.9%	Vehicle and Equipment Fluids	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
				Empty Mtl, Glass, & Plas. Cont. (forme	0.1%	0.3%	0.1%
Metal	3.4%	3.7%	0.9%	Other Hazardous or HHW	0.1%	0.3%	0.1%
Al. Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%				
Al. MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.3%	0.5%	0.1%	Electronics	0.2%	11.3%	2.6%
Tin/Steel Containers	0.6%	0.5%	0.1%	Computer-related Electronics	0.1%	0.4%	0.1%
Other Aluminum	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	Other "Brown Goods"	0.1%	0.6%	0.1%
Other Ferrous and Non-Ferrous	1.1%	2.1%	0.5%	Televisions and Computer Monitors	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
White Goods	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%				
Remainder/Composite Metal	1.0%	2.2%	0.5%	Other	12.6%	6.2%	1.4%
				Tires and Other Rubber	0.8%	2.8%	0.6%
Glass	2.0%	2.1%	0.5%	Textiles	5.3%	5.5%	1.3%
Glass Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.5%	1.1%	0.3%	Bulky Materials	2.7%	11.0%	2.6%
Other Glass Pkg Containers (non-MA deposit	0.5%	0.8%	0.2%	Mattresses	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Glass MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.5%	1.0%	0.2%	Restaurant Fats, Oils and Grease	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Remainder/Composite Glass	0.5%	0.8%	0.2%	Other Miscellaneous	3.6%	3.7%	0.9%
				Totals	100.0%		
				Sample Count	52		

Confidence intervals calculated at the 90% confidence level. Percentages for material types may not total 100% due to rounding.

3.2 WASTE COMPOSITION BY GENERATOR SECTOR

Table 3-3 compares the detailed composition of the aggregate disposed waste stream with the Residential and ICI generator sectors individually. This table illustrates the differences in Residential and ICI wastes, and the need for programs to target specific material streams by generator sector.

3. RESULTS

Table 3-3 Composition of Waste Composition by Generator Sector

Material	Resi-			Material	Resi-		
	Aggregate	dential	ICI		Aggregate	dential	ICI
Paper	19.3%	16.0%	23.9%	Organics	33.0%	36.9%	27.7%
Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper	3.7%	1.4%	6.8%	Food Waste	24.7%	26.7%	22.1%
Waxed Cardboard	0.4%	0.0%	1.0%	Branches and Stumps	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%
High Grade Office Paper	0.2%	0.1%	0.5%	Prunings, Trimmings, Leaves and Gra	0.5%	0.1%	1.1%
Magazines/Catalogs	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	Manures	0.3%	0.5%	0.0%
Newsprint	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	Remainder/Composite Organic	7.3%	9.3%	4.6%
Other Recyclable Paper	3.8%	3.9%	3.6%				
Compostable Paper	7.6%	7.2%	8.2%	C&D	7.7%	7.0%	8.7%
Remainder/Composite Paper	3.1%	2.8%	3.4%	Asphalt Pavement, Brick, and Concre	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
				Aggregates, Stone, Rock, Soil, Fines	1.0%	0.1%	2.3%
Plastic	16.0%	13.8%	19.0%	Wood - Treated	2.4%	2.1%	2.7%
PET Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit c	0.8%	0.7%	0.9%	Wood - Untreated	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%
PET Containers other than Beverage Contain	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	Asphalt Roofing	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Plastic MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	Drywall/Gypsum Board	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
HDPE Bottles	0.6%	0.5%	0.7%	Carpet and Carpet Padding	1.1%	1.6%	0.4%
#5 PP Bottles & Containers	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%	Remainder/Composite C&D	0.9%	0.9%	0.9%
Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (non-haz.	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%				
Expanded Polystyrene Food Grade	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	Household Hazardous Waste	5.7%	8.8%	1.5%
Expanded Polystyrene Non-food Grade	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	Ballasts, CFLs, and Other Fluorescent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Bulk Rigid Plastic Items	1.2%	0.7%	1.9%	Batteries - Lead Acid	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Film (non-bag clean com/industrial film)	1.1%	0.1%	2.4%	Batteries - Other	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Grocery and other Merchandise Bags	0.4%	0.5%	0.3%	Paint	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Other Film	6.8%	6.8%	6.7%	Bio-Hazardous	5.4%	8.5%	1.2%
Remainder/Composite Plastic	2.5%	1.7%	3.5%	Vehicle and Equipment Fluids	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
				Empty Mtl, Glass, & Plas. Cont. (form	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%
Metal	3.4%	2.9%	4.0%	Other Hazardous or HHW	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Al. Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%				
Al. MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	Electronics	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%
Tin/Steel Containers	0.6%	0.7%	0.5%	Computer-related Electronics	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Other Aluminum	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	Other "Brown Goods"	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%
Other Ferrous and Non-Ferrous	1.1%	0.7%	1.6%	Televisions and Computer Monitors	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
White Goods	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%				
Remainder/Composite Metal	1.0%	0.7%	1.4%	Other	12.6%	12.1%	13.3%
				Tires and Other Rubber	0.8%	0.4%	1.5%
Glass	2.0%	2.1%	1.9%	Textiles	5.3%	5.8%	4.7%
Glass Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	Bulky Materials	2.7%	2.9%	2.4%
Other Glass Pkg Containers (non-MA deposi	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%	Mattresses	0.1%	0.3%	0.0%
Glass MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%	Restaurant Fats, Oils and Grease	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Remainder/Composite Glass	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	Other Miscellaneous	3.6%	2.8%	4.8%
				Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
				Sample Count	52	30	22

Confidence intervals calculated at the 90% confidence level. Percentages for material types may not total 100% due to rounding.

3.3 WASTE COMPOSITION BY VEHICLE TYPE

This study also sought to capture and report on waste composition by truck type, shown in Table 3-4. It should be noted that these results are based on an increasingly small number of samples, which in turn increases the width of the confidence intervals. Further, outlier samples will have a much greater potential to skew results given the progressively smaller sample counts. For this reason, the reader is cautioned that the data below are limited in their ability to convey details about waste composition.

3. RESULTS

Table 3-4 Comparison of Waste Composition by Truck Type

Material	Roll-off				
	Aggregate	Rear Load	Side Load	Front Load	Compactor
Paper	19.3%	16.5%	18.8%	22.7%	23.5%
Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper	3.7%	2.5%	0.9%	7.2%	1.2%
Waxed Cardboard	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	1.8%
High Grade Office Paper	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%
Magazines/Catalogs	0.3%	0.2%	0.7%	0.2%	0.1%
Newsprint	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%
Other Recyclable Paper	3.8%	4.0%	3.8%	2.9%	5.2%
Compostable Paper	7.6%	6.5%	9.7%	8.3%	9.2%
Remainder/Composite Paper	3.1%	2.7%	3.3%	2.7%	5.7%
Plastic	16.0%	14.3%	16.0%	13.8%	32.1%
PET Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers)	0.8%	0.8%	0.4%	0.9%	1.0%
PET Containers other than Beverage Containers	0.6%	0.6%	0.9%	0.4%	1.2%
Plastic MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
HDPE Bottles	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%	0.7%	0.8%
#5 PP Bottles & Containers	1.0%	1.0%	1.5%	0.8%	1.3%
Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (non-haz.)	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	1.2%
Expanded Polystyrene Food Grade	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.2%	0.6%
Expanded Polystyrene Non-food Grade	0.2%	0.4%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%
Bulk Rigid Plastic Items	1.2%	0.7%	1.1%	1.9%	1.5%
Film (non-bag clean com/industrial film)	1.1%	0.3%	0.0%	1.0%	6.7%
Grocery and other Merchandise Bags	0.4%	0.5%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%
Other Film	6.8%	6.2%	8.1%	5.7%	11.8%
Remainder/Composite Plastic	2.5%	2.6%	2.2%	1.4%	5.5%
Metal	3.4%	2.8%	5.0%	4.2%	2.2%
Al. Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Al. MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.2%	0.1%
Tin/Steel Containers	0.6%	0.6%	0.7%	0.6%	0.2%
Other Aluminum	0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	0.3%	0.2%
Other Ferrous and Non-Ferrous	1.1%	0.8%	1.8%	1.5%	0.6%
White Goods	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Remainder/Composite Metal	1.0%	0.5%	1.3%	1.5%	1.1%
Glass	2.0%	2.1%	2.9%	1.8%	1.3%
Glass Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.2%
Other Glass Pkg Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.5%	0.5%	1.5%	0.2%	0.3%
Glass MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.5%	0.5%	0.1%	0.9%	0.1%
Remainder/Composite Glass	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.2%	0.8%
Organics	33.0%	36.0%	35.6%	29.7%	25.8%
Food Waste	24.7%	24.6%	26.2%	25.4%	21.7%
Branches and Stumps	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Prunings, Trimmings, Leaves and Grass	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%	0.0%
Manures	0.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Remainder/Composite Organic	7.3%	9.8%	8.8%	3.8%	4.2%
C&D	7.7%	8.3%	6.9%	7.8%	5.1%
Asphalt Pavement, Brick, and Concrete	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Aggregates, Stone, Rock, Soil, Fines	1.0%	1.2%	0.0%	1.3%	0.0%
Wood - Treated	2.4%	2.6%	0.5%	3.4%	0.1%
Wood - Untreated	2.3%	3.1%	0.1%	0.8%	5.0%
Asphalt Roofing	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Drywall/Gypsum Board	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Carpet and Carpet Padding	1.1%	0.7%	5.7%	0.5%	0.0%
Remainder/Composite C&D	0.9%	0.6%	0.7%	1.7%	0.0%

3. RESULTS

Table 3-4 Comparison of Waste Composition by Truck Type (continued)

Material	Aggregate	Rear Load	Side Load	Frontload	Roll-off Compactor
Household Hazardous Waste	5.7%	7.9%	6.1%	3.8%	0.3%
Ballasts, CFLs, and Other Fluorescents	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Batteries - Lead Acid	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Batteries - Other	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%
Paint	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Bio-Hazardous	5.4%	7.5%	5.8%	3.4%	0.0%
Vehicle and Equipment Fluids	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Empty Mtl, Glass, & Plas. Cont. (former HHW)	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.3%
Other Hazardous or HHW	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Electronics	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Computer-related Electronics	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other "Brown Goods"	0.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Televisions and Computer Monitors	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other	12.6%	11.7%	8.8%	16.2%	9.6%
Tires and Other Rubber	0.8%	0.8%	0.0%	0.8%	2.2%
Textiles	5.3%	5.0%	5.6%	6.6%	2.4%
Bulky Materials	2.7%	3.3%	0.0%	3.3%	0.0%
Mattresses	0.1%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Restaurant Fats, Oils and Grease	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Miscellaneous	3.6%	2.3%	3.1%	5.5%	5.1%
Totals	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Sample Count	52	26	5	16	5

Confidence intervals calculated at the 90% confidence level. Percentages for material types may not total 100% due to rounding.

3.4 COMPARISON WITH PRIOR WASTE COMPOSITION

As a final note, this study updates comparable studies performed in 2010, 2013, 2016, and 2019 and contains the same results sets as in these prior studies. For the convenience of the reader, Table 3-5 compares the aggregate waste composition from this 2022 update with the previous studies. Similar comparisons can be made for all of the results contained in this 2022 Study update.

3. RESULTS

Table 3-5 Comparison of 2022 Results with Prior Studies

	2022	2019	2016	2013	2010
Material	Aggregate	Aggregate	Aggregate	Aggregate	Aggregate
Paper	19.3%	17.5%	23.1%	26.5%	26.7%
Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper	3.7%	4.3%	9.6%	8.1%	6.7%
Waxed Cardboard	0.4%	0.6%	0.2%	0.8%	2.2%
High Grade Office Paper	0.2%	0.8%	0.4%	1.3%	1.1%
Magazines/Catalogs	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	2.0%
Newsprint	0.2%	0.7%	0.5%	1.2%	2.5%
Other Recyclable Paper	3.8%	2.2%	4.7%	3.8%	2.3%
Compostable Paper	7.6%	7.4%	6.4%	9.2%	7.8%
Remainder/Composite Paper	3.1%	1.3%	0.6%	1.4%	2.1%
Plastic	16.0%	17.6%	15.4%	14.0%	16.3%
PET Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit con	0.8%	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%
PET Containers other than Beverage Container	0.6%	0.3%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%
Plastic MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%
HDPE Bottles	0.6%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	0.8%
#5 PP Bottles & Containers	1.0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (non-haz.)	0.4%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Injection Molded Plastic Tubs/Lids	N/A	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%
#3 - #7 Plastic Containers	N/A	0.7%	0.4%	0.6%	0.3%
Expanded Polystyrene Food Grade	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	0.5%
Expanded Polystyrene Non-food Grade	0.2%	0.6%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
Bulk Rigid Plastic Items	1.2%	0.2%	2.5%	4.1%	2.4%
Film (non-bag clean com/industrial film)	1.1%	1.3%	0.3%	1.2%	0.9%
Grocery and other Merchandise Bags	0.4%	0.8%	0.5%	0.6%	1.4%
Other Film	6.8%	8.9%	6.3%	3.8%	3.9%
Remainder/Composite Plastic	2.5%	2.8%	3.5%	1.3%	4.2%
Metal	3.4%	3.7%	3.4%	6.2%	5.8%
Al. Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
Al. MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%
Tin/Steel Containers	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%
Other Aluminum	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	1.2%
Other Ferrous and Non-Ferrous	1.1%	2.2%	1.4%	1.9%	2.2%
White Goods	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Remainder/Composite Metal	1.0%	0.3%	1.2%	3.2%	0.9%
Glass	2.0%	1.6%	0.7%	1.7%	3.2%
Glass Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.5%	0.4%	0.1%	0.4%	1.1%
Other Glass Pkg Containers (non-MA deposit)	0.5%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%
Glass MA Deposit Beverage Containers	0.5%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%
Remainder/Composite Glass	0.5%	0.5%	0.2%	0.9%	1.2%
Organics	33.0%	33.9%	27.2%	24.6%	17.1%
Food Waste	24.7%	26.3%	21.0%	16.8%	12.8%
Branches and Stumps	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
Prunings, Trimmings, Leaves and Grass	0.5%	1.3%	2.4%	2.0%	1.5%
Manures	0.3%	1.2%	0.1%	1.4%	1.0%
Remainder/Composite Organic	7.3%	5.1%	3.7%	4.4%	1.5%

3. RESULTS

Table 3-5 Comparison of 2022 Results with Prior Studies (continued)

Material	2022 Aggregate	2019 Aggregate	2016 Aggregate	2013 Aggregate	2010 Aggregate
C&D	18.8%	13.3%	14.7%	18.1%	13.0%
Asphalt Pavement, Brick, and Concrete	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%
Aggregates, Stone, Rock, Soil, Fines	0.3%	0.0%	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%
Wood - Treated	6.0%	4.8%	5.0%	5.1%	3.0%
Wood - Untreated	5.9%	2.6%	3.8%	4.1%	3.2%
Asphalt Roofing	0.1%	0.4%	0.1%	1.3%	0.9%
Drywall/Gypsum Board	0.5%	0.9%	0.8%	0.5%	0.4%
Carpet and Carpet Padding	2.4%	0.3%	3.4%	4.6%	2.5%
Remainder/Composite C&D	3.5%	4.2%	1.4%	2.0%	1.2%
Household Hazardous Waste	5.1%	4.0%	3.4%	2.3%	4.6%
Ballasts, CFLs, and Other Fluorescents	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%
Batteries - Lead Acid	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Batteries - Other	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Paint	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
Bio-Hazardous	4.7%	3.3%	2.8%	1.9%	3.0%
Vehicle and Equipment Fluids	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
Empty Mtl, Glass, & Plas. Cont. (former HHW)	0.1%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%
Pesticides and Fertilizers	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0%	0.0%
Other Hazardous or HHW	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Electronics	0.7%	0.3%	0.8%	1.4%	2.2%
Computer-related Electronics	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%
Other "Brown Goods"	0.4%	0.2%	0.7%	0.5%	1.2%
Televisions and Computer Monitors	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	0.6%
Other	12.0%	11.3%	9.1%	9.0%	8.5%
Tires and Other Rubber	0.1%	1.4%	0.9%	1.0%	0.9%
Textiles	7.3%	4.7%	5.5%	5.8%	3.4%
Bulky Materials	1.8%	3.6%	0.9%	0.5%	3.0%
Mattresses	0.1%	0.4%	0.0%	N/A	N/A
Restaurant Fats, Oils and Grease	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
Other Miscellaneous	2.7%	1.2%	1.8%	1.7%	0.9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Sample Count	52	52	52	52	52

Confidence intervals calculated at the 90% confidence level. Percentages for material types may not total 100% due to rounding.

Injection Molded Tubs/Lids and #3 - #7 Plastics were replaced in 2022 with #5 PP Bottles & Containers and Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (non-hazardous), respectively.

APPENDIX A

MATERIAL CATEGORIES & DEFINITIONS

This page intentionally left blank.

APPENDIX A – MATERIAL DEFINITIONS

A 1. PRIMARY CATEGORIES (9)

1. Paper
2. Plastics
3. Metals
4. Glass
5. Organic Materials
6. Construction and Demolition (in the MSW stream)
7. Household Hazardous Materials
8. Electronics
9. Other Waste

A 2. SECONDARY CATEGORIES (62)

Paper

1. Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard/Kraft Paper means corrugated boxes or paper bags made from Kraft paper. Uncoated Corrugated Cardboard has a wavy center layer and is sandwiched between the two outer layers and does not have any wax coating on the inside or outside. Examples include entire cardboard containers, such as shipping and moving boxes, computer packaging cartons, and sheets and pieces of boxes and cartons. This type does not include chipboard. Examples of Kraft paper include paper grocery bags, un-soiled fast food bags, department store bags, and heavyweight sheets of Kraft packing paper.

2. Waxed Cardboard means cardboard with wax coating on the inside or outside.

3. High Grade Office Paper means the type of paper that is free of ground wood fibers; usually sulfite or sulphate paper; includes office printing and writing papers such as white ledger, color ledger, envelopes, and computer printout paper, bond, rag, or stationary grade paper. This subtype does not include fluorescent dyed paper or deep-tone dyed paper such as goldenrod colored paper.

4. Magazines/Catalogs means items made of glossy coated paper. This paper is usually slick, smooth to the touch, and reflects light. Examples include glossy magazines, catalogs, brochures, and pamphlets.

5. Newsprint means the class or kind of paper chiefly used for printing newspapers – i.e. uncoated groundwood paper.

6. Other Recyclable Paper means paper, other than the paper mentioned above, which can be recycled. Examples include manila folders, manila envelopes, index cards, white envelopes, notebook paper, carbonless forms, junk mail, chipboard and uncoated paperboard, phone directories, non-glossy catalogs, offshore cardboard and deep-toned or fluorescent dyed paper.

7. Compostable Paper means low grade paper that is not capable of being recycled, as well as food contaminated paper. Examples include paper towels, paper plates, waxed papers, egg cartons, pizza boxes, and tissues.

8. Remainder/Composite Paper means items made mostly of paper but combined with large amounts of other materials such as plastic, metal, glues, foil, and moisture. Examples include plastic coated corrugated cardboard, cellulose insulation, aseptic packages, poly-coated (gable top) cartons, blueprints,

APPENDIX A

sepia, onionskin, foiled lined fast food wrappers, frozen juice containers, carbon paper, self-adhesive notes, softcover and hardcover books, and photographs.

Plastics

9. PET Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers) means clear or colored PET beverage bottles other than MA deposit containers (water, flavored water, juice, sports drinks, etc.). When marked for identification, it bears the number —1 in the center of the triangular recycling symbol and may also bear the letters “PETE” or “PET”. A PET container usually has a small dot left from the manufacturing process, not a seam.

10. PET Containers other than Beverage Containers (which originally contained non-hazardous material) means types of containers such as PET jars, rectangular PET containers used for produce; egg cartons, etc.

11. Plastic MA Deposit Beverage Containers means plastic beverage containers subject to MA’s bottle bill and marked as deposit containers in Massachusetts.

12. HDPE Bottles, colored and natural, (which originally contained non-hazardous material) means natural and colored HDPE containers. This plastic is usually either cloudy white, allowing light to pass through it (natural) or a solid color, preventing light from passing through it (colored). When marked for identification, it bears the number “2” in the triangular recycling symbol and may also bear the letters “HDPE”.

13. #5 PP Bottles & Containers includes bottles (other than those marked for MA deposit), tubs, lids, trays, clamshells and other containers labeled #5 PP.

14. Other Plastic Bottles & Containers (which originally contained non-hazardous material) means plastic bottles (other than those marked for MA deposit), tubs, tubes, trays, clamshells and other containers made of types of plastic other than PET, HDPE or PP. These containers are rigid (i.e., not expanded or film) plastic, and when marked for identification, may bear the number 3, 4, 6, or 7 in the triangular recycling symbol. This subtype also includes unmarked plastic containers.

15. Expanded Polystyrene Food Grade means “Styrofoam” products includes food packaging and finished products made of expanded polystyrene including cups, plates, trays, clamshells, etc.

16. Expanded Polystyrene Non-food Grade includes non-food packaging and finished products made of expanded polystyrene including packing peanuts and other packaging materials.

17. Bulk Rigid Plastic Items means plastic objects other than disposable package items. These items are usually made to last for a few months up to many years. These include the plastics used in children toys, furniture, plastic landscape ties, buckets, crates, pallets, sporting goods, etc.

18. Film (non-bag clean commercial and industrial packaging film) means film plastic used for large-scale packaging or transport packaging. Examples include shrink-wrap, mattress bags, furniture wrap, and film bubble wrap.

19. Grocery and other Merchandise Bags means plastic shopping bags, used to contain merchandise to transport from the place of purchase, given out by the store with the purchase. Includes dry-cleaning plastic bags intended for one-time use and other plastic film commonly recycled with grocery bags.

20. Other Film means plastic film Examples include garbage bags and other types of plastic bags (sandwich bags, zipper-recloseable bags, produce bags, frozen vegetable bags, newspaper bags), painting tarps, food wrappers such as candy-bar wrappers, mailing pouches, bank bags, X-ray film, metallized film (wine containers and balloons), and plastic food wrap.

21. Remainder/Composite Plastic means plastic that cannot be put in any other type or subtype. This type includes items made mostly of plastic but combined with other materials. Examples include auto parts made of plastic attached to metal, plastic drinking straws, foam packing blocks (not including expanded polystyrene blocks), plastic strapping, new plastic laminate (e.g., Formica), vinyl, linoleum, plastic lumber, imitation ceramics, handles and knobs, some kitchen ware, plastic string (as used for hay bales), and plastic rigid bubble/foil packaging (as for medications); CD's, and rigid plastic housewares, such as mop buckets, dishes, cups, and cutlery.

Metals

22. Aluminum Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers) means beverage containers made from aluminum other than MA deposit containers.

23. Aluminum MA Deposit Beverage Containers means metal beverage containers subject to MA's bottle bill and marked as deposit containers in Massachusetts.

24. Tin/Steel Containers means rigid containers made mainly of steel, such as food and beverage containers. These items will stick to a magnet and may be tin-coated.

25. Other Aluminum – includes foil, food containers, aerosols (empty), etc.

26. Other Ferrous and Non-Ferrous means any iron or steel that is magnetic and metal items that are not magnetic (copper, brass, lead, zinc, etc). This subtype does not include "tin/steel containers". Examples include empty or dry paint cans, structural steel beams, boilers, clothes hangers, pipes, some cookware, security bars, scrap ferrous/nonferrous items, and galvanized items such as nails and flashing.

27. White Goods means appliances that employ electricity, oil, natural gas, or liquefied propane and to preserve or cook food; wash or dry clothing, kitchen utensils, or related items; or to cool or heat air or water. These are primarily encased in metal, and include items such as refrigerators, freezers, stoves, water heaters, propane/compressed tanks, water coolers, dishwashers, clothes dryers, air conditioners, gas or electric ovens and ranges. White goods does not include microwaves.

28. Remainder/Composite Metal means metal that cannot be put in any other type. This type includes items made mostly of metal but combined with other materials and items made of both ferrous metal and nonferrous metal combined. Examples include microwaves, bikes, motors, insulated wire, and finished products that contain a mixture of metals, or metals and other materials, whose weight is derived significantly from the metal portion of its construction.

Glass

29. Glass Beverage Containers (non-MA deposit containers) includes wine bottles, nonalcoholic beverage containers, liquor bottles, etc.

30. Other Glass Packaging Containers (non-MA deposit containers) includes glass food and non-food containers such as sauces, jars, perfume containers, etc.

31. Glass MA Deposit Beverage Containers means glass beverage containers subject to MA's bottle bill and marked as deposit containers in Massachusetts.

32. Remainder/Composite Glass means glass that cannot be put in any other type. It may include items made mostly of glass but combined with other materials. Examples include Pyrex, Corningware, crystal, plate glass, window and door glass, ceramics, porcelain, and other glass tableware, mirrors, non-fluorescent light bulbs, auto windshields, laminated glass, or any curved glass.

APPENDIX A

Organic Materials

33. Food Waste means food material resulting from the processing, storage, preparation, cooking, handling, or consumption of food. This type includes material from industrial, commercial, or residential sources. Examples include discarded meat scraps, dairy products, eggshells, fruit or vegetable peels, and other food items from homes, stores and restaurants. This type includes apple pomace and other processed residues or material from canneries, wineries or other industrial sources.

34. Branches and Stumps means trees, stumps, branches, or other wood greater than 1 inch in diameter generated from landscapes, clearing land for commercial or residential development, road construction, agricultural land clearing, storms, or natural disaster.

35. Prunings, Trimmings, Leaves and Grass means plant material, except woody material 1 inch or less in diameter from any public or private landscapes. Examples include branches, prunings, shrubs, leaves, grass clippings, and plants. This subtype does not include woody material greater than 4 inches in diameter.

36. Manures means manure and soiled bedding materials from domestic, farm, wild, or ranch animals. Examples include manure and soiled bedding from animal production operations, racetracks, riding stables, animal hospitals, laboratories, zoos, nature centers, and other sources.

37. Remainder/Composite Organic means organic material that cannot be put in any other type or subtype. This type includes items made mostly of organic materials but combined with other materials. Examples include cork, hemp rope, hair, cigarette butts, full vacuum bags, sawdust, and animal feces.

Construction and Demolition (in the MSW stream)

38. Asphalt Pavement, Brick, and Concrete includes asphalt pavement, brick, and concrete from construction activities and demolition of buildings, roads, and bridges and similar sources. Asphalt pavement also includes other black or brown, tar-like material mixed with aggregate and used as a paving material. Brick also includes masonry brick, landscaping or walkway brick. Concrete also includes pieces of building foundations, concrete paving, and cinder blocks.

39. Aggregates, Stone, Rock, Soil, Fines includes non-organic material from construction and landscaping activities. May also include products made predominately from these materials (i.e. granite counters).

40. Wood - Treated means wood that contains an adhesive, paint, stain, fire retardant, pesticide or preservative.

41. Wood - Untreated refers to any wood which does not contain an adhesive, paint, stain, fire retardant, pesticide or preservative; includes such items as pallets, skids, spools, packaging materials, bulky wood waste or scraps from newly built wood products. Does not including land clearing debris or yard waste prunings and trimmings

42. Asphalt Roofing means composite shingles and other roofing material made with asphalt. Examples include asphalt shingles and attached roofing tar and tar paper.

43. Drywall/Gypsum Board means interior wall covering made of a sheet of gypsum sandwiched between paper layers. Examples include used or unused, broken or whole sheets of sheetrock, drywall, gypsum board, plasterboard, gypsum board, gyproc, and wallboard.

44. Carpet and Carpet Padding means flooring applications consisting of various natural or synthetic fibers which maybe bonded to some type of backing material and plastic, foam, felt, or other material used under carpet to provide insulation and padding.

45. Remainder/Composite Construction and Demolition means construction and demolition material that cannot be put in any other type or subtype. This type may include items from different types combined, which would be very hard to separate.

Household Hazardous Waste

46. Ballasts, CFLs, and Other Fluorescents include ballasts, which are devices that electrically control fluorescent light fixtures and that include a capacitor, CFLs, which are compact fluorescent bulbs, and other fluorescent lighting, which includes tubular fluorescent lamps, neon lamps, black lights, and other lamps used for sanitation or cosmetic purposes.

47. Batteries – Lead Acid means lead acid storage batteries most commonly used in vehicles such as cars, trucks, boats, etc.

48. Batteries – Other means alkaline (including alkaline rechargeable) or household batteries such as AA, AAA, C, D, 4.5-volt, button cell, rechargeable and 9-volt used for flashlights, small appliances, and electronic devices.

49. Paint means containers with paint in them. Examples include latex paint, oil-based paint, and tubes of pigment or fine art paint. This type does not include dried paint, empty paint cans, or empty aerosol containers.

50. Bio-Hazardous - means discarded animal or human medical/treatment wastes including needles, first aid wastes, diapers and other products which are used in relation to animal or human care. This category does not include cat litter or animal feces.

51. Vehicle and Equipment Fluids in containers and oil filters means containers with fluids used in vehicles or engines. Examples include antifreeze, oil, and brake fluid. This type does not include empty vehicle and equipment fluid containers. Oil filters include vehicle engine oil filters.

52. Empty Metal, Glass, and Plastic Containers (that originally contained toxic materials) means all containers that are empty but that at one time contained toxic or hazardous fluids or other materials. Examples include empty antifreeze, oil, or lye containers.

53. Other Hazardous or Household Hazardous Waste means all household or commercial products characterized as toxic, corrosive, flammable, ignitable, radioactive, poisonous, or reactive. Includes pesticides and fertilizers.

Electronics

54. Computer-related Electronics includes computer CPUs, laptop computers, notebook computers, processors, printers, scanners, keyboards, etc. This category does not include automated typewriters or typesetters, portable handheld calculators, portable digital assistants or other similar devices.

55. Other “Brown Goods” includes cell phones, iPods, PDAs, small electronic appliances such as toasters, telephones, stereos, radios, clocks, hair dryers etc.

56. Televisions and Computer Monitors means a stand-alone display system containing a CRT or any other type of display primarily intended to receive video programming via broadcast. Examples also include non-CRT units such as plasma and LCD monitors.

APPENDIX A

Other Materials

57. Tires and other rubber means a continuous solid or pneumatic rubber covering intended for use on any type of vehicle (including bicycles), or trailer to be used in tandem with any type vehicle and other rubber products.

58. Textiles means natural or man-made textile materials such as cottons, wools, silk, nylon, polyester. Includes clothing, curtains, towels and other fabric materials.

59. Mattresses – means mattresses and box springs.

60. Bulky Materials means products made from multiple materials and large in size, which are meant for extended use. Includes furniture (non-plastic), sinks, toilets, and other non-metal items

61. Restaurant Fats, Oils and Grease means any fats, oils and grease generated from the food preparation process.

62. Other Miscellaneous means any other type of waste not listed in any other sort category.

APPENDIX B

VEHICLE SURVEY SHEETS

This page intentionally left blank.

Driver Questionnaire

501

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 0900

Truck ID No. 27682 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Parks + Rec *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No 1x week
How is it scheduled? _____

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Containers only +

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No Some Drains

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

502

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 0920

Truck ID No. Rental Hauler Company KLT Carting

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility USPS

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Weekly

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? what's in container

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S03

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1015

Truck ID No. 26857 Hauler Company LeTourneau

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? • Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? No

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S06

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1230

Truck ID No. 27559 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? YES

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

504

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1040

Truck ID No. 26199 Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? M-F

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Recyclables, Glass

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No PAYT Bags

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

SOS

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 11:30

Truck ID No. 27313 Hauler Company Harvey

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Supermarket *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? _____

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? ~ 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? _____

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

500

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1230

Truck ID No. 27559 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? No PAYT only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No accepted (yellow Bag)

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

So 7

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1240

Truck ID No. 5001 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? yellow Bag PAYT only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes ~~No~~ J.V.

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S08

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1250

Truck ID No. 27403 Hauler Company Berry Bros.

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Various ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? yes

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Loose Mat'l

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

509

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 1:25

Truck ID No. 27597 Hauler Company Town of Natick

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? metals, Bulky, C&D

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury SIO *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 220

Truck ID No. 153174 Hauler Company WM

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: Side Loader

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

~~shrewsbury~~ shrewsbury

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? _____

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Blue Bag program - only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Bags picked up.

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/3/22 Time: 3:15

Truck ID No. 5018 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yellow PAYT Bags only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S12

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 0730

Truck ID No. 557 Hauler Company LeTourneau

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Various ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Only what's in container

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S13

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 0830

Truck ID No. 26918 Hauler Company Worcester DPW

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yellow Bag PAYT only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

514

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 10:00

Truck ID No. 27678 Hauler Company JRM

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

Walmart

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? Weekly

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Only what's in container

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S15

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 1045

Truck ID No. 26175 Hauler Company Worcester DPW

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Accepts yellow Bag PAYR only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Freezing Rain

Driver Questionnaire

S/L6

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 10:49

Truck ID No. ~~26800~~ 26199 Hauler Company Worcester DPW

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Confused to yellow PAYT only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No
Yes - Freezing Rain

Driver Questionnaire

S17

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 1130

Truck ID No. 26800 Hauler Company Waste Management

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Dedham

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? Extra Truck, As Needed

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? As Needed

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes, Bulky, C+D, Yard

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? As Yes

Sleet / Freezing Rain

Driver Questionnaire

S18

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 1140

Truck ID No. 27565 Hauler Company Worcester DPW

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Accept only yellow

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No PAYT Bags

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No
Yes, Freezing Rain

Driver Questionnaire

S19

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 1230

Truck ID No. 26125 Hauler Company Worcester DPW

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Accepts only yellow Bag material
Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Freezing Rain

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury ⁵²⁰ *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 1:30

Truck ID No. 106401 Hauler Company Waste Management

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: Side Loader

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Cost Program Only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Freezing Rain, Snow, sleet

Driver Questionnaire

S21

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 1:40

Truck ID No. 106400 Hauler Company Waste Management

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: Side Loader

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Certs accepted only

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Freezing Rain + sleet.

Driver Questionnaire

S22

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/4/22 Time: 2:30

Truck ID No. 103487 Hauler Company Waste Mgmt

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: Side Loader

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Newton

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Cart System

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? sleet

Driver Questionnaire

523 + 524

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/5/22 Time: 9:20

Truck ID No. 26189 Hauler Company Casella

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type: 20%

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: MF 20%; General ICI 80% *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) 20%/80%
Multifam ICI

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? YES C+D

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Very icy conditions

Driver Questionnaire

S25 + S26

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 2/5/22 Time: ~~0930~~ 0940

Truck ID No. 26830 Hauler Company Waste Management

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: General ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? YES - Bulky, C+D, Green Waste

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Slippery, icy

Driver Questionnaire

501

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/22 Time: _____

Truck ID No. 216181 Hauler Company _____

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader
*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer
*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons
Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:
*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility
*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? When Requested

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? Depends

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Can't see what is in Bar

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S02

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 915

Truck ID No. 27378 Hauler Company Town of Natick

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

~~*Residential~~ *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
~~Mall/Store~~ *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Unknown ICF *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Daily

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Not Really

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Load appears to be from a compact or soil operation? Plastic frame balls + soil, also metal, styrofoam, wood pallets

Driver Questionnaire

503

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: _____

Truck ID No. 511 Hauler Company _____

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi-Site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By Day

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Bulky mattresses, Non-compactable

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S04

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 10:45

Truck ID No. 1280 Hauler Company Republic

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: ICI - Multi Site *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By Day

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Standard

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? Some
Facilities had too much OCC

S04

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 10:45

Truck ID No. 1280 Hauler Company Republic

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi-site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By Day

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

SOS

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/27/2022 Time: 11:30

Truck ID No. 26943 Hauler Company LeTourneau

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi-Site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No By Day
How is it scheduled? By Day

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? yes - Bulky

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today?
Mattresses Rejected

Driver Questionnaire

506

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/22 Time: _____

Truck ID No. 27597 Hauler Company Town of Natick

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Weekly Pickup of Bulky

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1X

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Barrels of Trash / Yard Waste

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

2019 Wheelabrator Waste Characterization Study

Bulky materials in load such as products made from multiple materials and are large in size, which are meant for extended use. Items such as mattresses, furniture (non-plastic), sinks, toilets, and other non-metal items.

Description of Item	Estimated Weight
Mattresses in Sample: 4	90
Treated Wood	45
Bulky Materials (Furniture)	125
Entire Load was ~ 40% mattresses	
50% Furniture	
5% Wood	
5% Loose Trash	

507

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: _____

Truck ID No. 26199 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x sometimes 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No - Just the Rain

Driver Questionnaire

508

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 12:45

Truck ID No. 5-601 Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1 or 2

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver noticed more recycling labels in trash.

Driver Questionnaire

S09

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/22 Time: 1:15

Truck ID No. _____ Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

- *Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
- *Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1 or 2

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? _____

Driver Questionnaire

S10

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 1:30

Truck ID No. _____ Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By the Day

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1 or 2

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S11

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 1:50

Truck ID No. _____ Hauler Company Netek

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Mondays

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1 x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? No

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Bulky Waste (Res) pickup

S12

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/24/2022 Time: 3:00 PM

Truck ID No. 14 Hauler Company Al's Rubbish

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

RES
Sutton +
Millbury, Ma

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S13

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: ~~0845~~ 0745

Truck ID No. 1290 Hauler Company Republic

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi Site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S14

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 0810

Truck ID No. 1305 Hauler Company Republic

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi site IOI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

2019 Wheelabrator Waste Characterization Study

Bulky materials in load such as products made from multiple materials and are large in size, which are meant for extended use. Items such as mattresses, furniture (non-plastic), sinks, toilets, and other non-metal items.

S14

Description of Item	Estimated Weight
Upholstered Sofa in Sample	80 lbs

Driver Questionnaire

S15

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/22 Time: 0900

Truck ID No. 213532/27547 Hauler Company WM

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi-Site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S/b

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 10:15

Truck ID No. _____ Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? _____

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? Day of week

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

S17

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 10:30

Truck ID No. 5-005 Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? D.O.W.

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S18

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 10:45

Truck ID No. 5-008 Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? D.O.W.

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? ~~#~~ 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S19

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/22 Time: 11:00

Truck ID No. 5-002 Hauler Company City of Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? D.O.W.

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

S20

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/22 Time: 1120

Truck ID No. _____ Hauler Company Worcester

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? D.O.U.

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1 maybe 2

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

S21

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 12:15

Truck ID No. 128 Hauler Company United Hauling

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
/*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

and
*Other: Multi-Site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) 80 ICI
20 RES

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Hauler said RES, But it's apparently
urban collection with many small businesses.
Load appeared 80% ICI / 20% RES

S22

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 1230

Truck ID No. 153176/27667 Hauler Company WM

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: SIDE LOADER

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____

Tare _____

Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse

*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

Shrewsbury

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No

How is it scheduled? Day of week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? YES

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

S23

Driver Questionnaire

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/25/2022 Time: 1:15

Truck ID No. _____ Hauler Company Town of Natick

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S24

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/26/2022 Time: 7:30

Truck ID No. 26990/413276 Hauler Company WMI

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Meat Packaging ~~_____~~ ~~_____~~ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No Call-in / As Needed
How is it scheduled? _____

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1x - 2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Unknown - Roll off

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

Driver Questionnaire

S25

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/26/2022 Time: 8:00

Truck ID No. 2291 Hauler Company Republic

Truck Type: *Dumpster Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: _____ *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? By Day

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No

* This is yesterday's pick up
Inbound Dump was Delayed to today.

Driver Questionnaire

S26

Site: *Wheelabrator North Andover *Wheelabrator Millbury *Wheelabrator Saugus

Date: 10/26/22 Time: 8:50

Truck ID No. 1305 Hauler Company Republic

Truck Type: *Dumpster *Front Loader *Rear Loader

*Roll-off open top *Roll-off closed top *Roll-off compactor *Transfer Trailer

*Other: _____

Truck Weight: lbs or Tons

Gross _____
Tare _____
Net _____

Waste Type:

*Residential *Multifamily *School *Church *Office *Warehouse
*Mall/Store *Factory *Hotel *Manufacturing Facility

*Other: Multi-Site ICI *Mixture: (Estimate Distribution) _____

Is your route scheduled: Yes No
How is it scheduled? Day of Week

How many loads do you pick up per truck per day? 1-2x

Are there contractual exclusions of certain waste material? Yes

Was it raining today on your collection route? Yes No

Was there anything unusual or different about your route today? No





11875 High Tech Avenue, Suite 150
Orlando, FL 32817
800.679.9220 | mswconsultants.com