

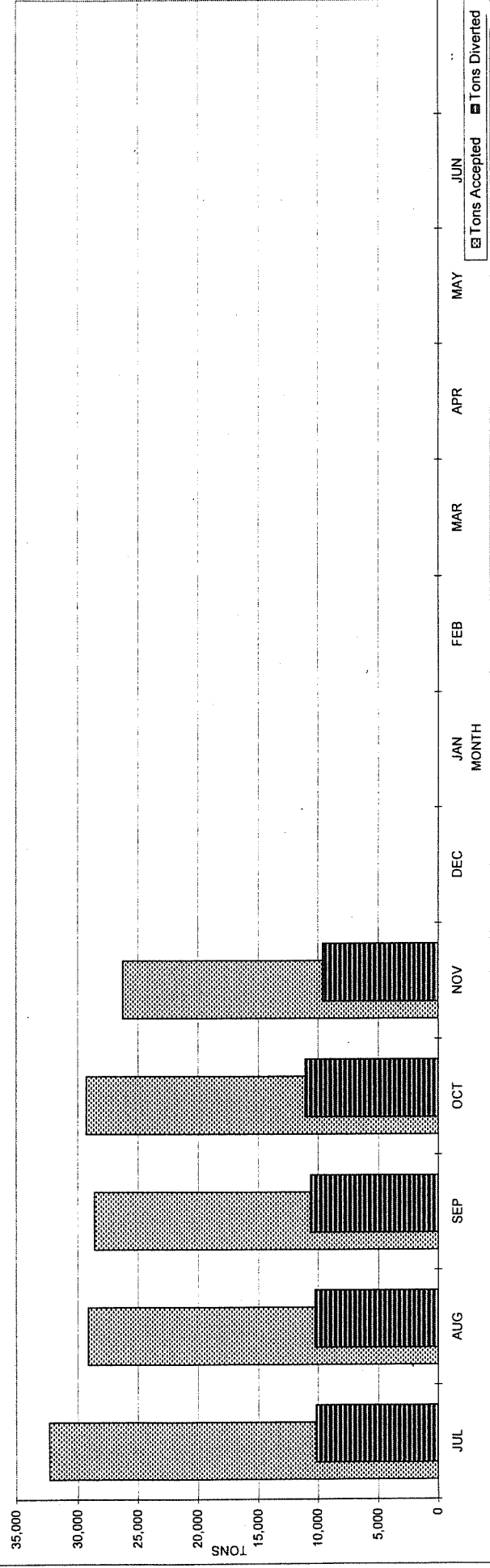
**MONTEREY REGIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
OPERATING REPORT (IN TONS)
FOR**

FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009

Period Ending November 30, 2008

PERIOD	Franchised Garbage		Commercial and Industrial Chgs		Cash Customers		Regional Waste		Total Solid Waste Accepted		Diverted Materials		Percent Diverted		Total Landfilled	
	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09	07-08	08-09
FOR THE MONTH OF:																
JULY	15,331	14,519	7,481	8,077	5,786	6,599	1,680	3,124	30,278	32,318	(10,026)	(10,154)	33%	20,252	22,164	
AUGUST	15,862	13,484	9,808	7,282	5,499	5,527	1,892	2,883	33,061	29,176	(12,035)	(10,239)	36%	21,026	18,937	
SEPTEMBER	13,508	13,205	9,305	7,780	4,706	4,979	1,621	2,666	29,140	28,629	(10,902)	(10,609)	37%	18,237	18,021	
OCTOBER	15,116	13,173	8,678	7,664	5,467	5,750	1,730	2,751	30,990	29,337	(9,820)	(11,066)	32%	21,170	18,271	
NOVEMBER	14,644	11,567	8,098	6,592	5,977	5,743	1,594	2,389	30,314	26,290	(8,952)	(9,603)	30%	21,362	16,686	
DECEMBER	14,356		5,042		4,386		1,526		25,309		(9,182)		36%	16,127		
JANUARY	15,572		8,022		5,367		1,722		30,682		(13,149)		43%	17,534		
FEBRUARY	13,435		5,752		5,276		1,646		26,108		(9,681)		37%	16,427		
MARCH	13,474		5,540		5,897		1,925		26,836		(9,269)		35%	17,567		
APRIL	13,932		7,625		5,264		2,562		29,383		(10,889)		37%	18,493		
MAY	13,839		9,882		5,606		2,709		32,035		(12,708)		40%	19,327		
JUNE	13,443		7,651		5,687		2,314		29,295		(11,365)		39%	17,929		
YEAR-TO-DATE TOTALS:	74,461	65,948	43,369	37,394	27,435	28,597	8,517	13,813	153,782	145,751	(51,735)	(51,671)	34%	102,046	94,080	
YEAR TOTALS:	172,511	65,948	93,082	37,394	64,916	28,597	22,920	13,813	353,429	145,751	(127,978)	(51,671)	36%	225,451	94,080	

TOTAL SOLID WASTE ACCEPTED AND TOTAL SOLID WASTE DIVERTED



Tons Accepted
 Tons Diverted

SOLID WASTE ACCEPTED TONNAGE - BY ORIGIN

2007

CITY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
CARMEL	1,057	877	1,158	1,078	1,062	924	1,003	980	924	1,015	837	859	11,775	3.40%
DEL REY OAKS	113	135	264	152	94	108	103	122	108	142	109	105	1,554	0.45%
MARINA	1,665	1,840	2,246	1,875	2,293	2,512	2,309	2,151	1,985	1,881	1,797	1,518	24,071	6.96%
MONTEREY	4,942	4,090	4,870	4,649	4,980	4,460	4,957	5,077	4,366	4,771	5,042	4,087	56,291	16.28%
PACIFIC GROVE	1,399	1,330	1,456	1,551	1,831	1,696	1,659	1,878	1,513	1,642	1,563	1,270	18,788	5.43%
PEBBLE BEACH	1,495	1,257	1,351	1,326	1,362	1,355	1,301	1,357	1,422	1,437	1,229	1,087	16,180	4.68%
SALINAS	801	599	668	823	833	1,055	493	703	592	727	615	694	8,603	2.49%
SAND CITY	333	236	319	266	204	261	293	314	224	268	257	257	3,231	0.93%
SEASIDE	2,812	2,466	2,922	2,798	3,148	2,561	2,693	2,769	2,361	2,841	2,396	2,337	32,105	9.28%
MO CO IN DIST	9,143	7,946	9,430	7,075	7,220	6,962	8,856	10,486	9,497	9,650	10,524	7,571	104,361	30.18%
MO CO OUT OF DIST	379	348	648	958	950	1,027	1,066	1,165	887	1,169	1,174	662	10,432	3.02%
MIXED ORIGIN	871	829	914	805	894	920	936	909	806	804	730	705	10,124	2.93%
IN COUNTY/SUBTOTAL	25,010	21,953	26,247	23,358	25,073	23,841	25,668	27,909	24,685	26,346	26,274	21,151	297,514	86.03%
CAPTOLA	735	618	757	689	653	648	738	720	621	688	664	629	8,159	2.36%
BEN LOMAND TRANS STATION	0	0	0	0	1,865	1,874	1,680	1,892	1,621	1,730	1,594	1,526	13,781	3.98%
SANTA CRUZ COUNTY-OTHER	777	413	479	591	698	378	544	541	707	762	407	424	6,719	1.94%
SAN BENITO COUNTY	106	175	290	220	128	124	157	106	81	88	59	68	1,601	0.46%
SANTA CLARA COUNTY	1,402	1,471	1,518	1,575	1,547	1,501	1,491	1,893	1,435	1,374	1,316	1,511	18,036	5.22%
SAN LUIS OBISPO	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	0.00%
OUT OF COUNTY/SUBTOTAL	3,022	2,677	3,045	3,076	4,891	4,523	4,609	5,152	4,465	4,643	4,040	4,158	48,301	13.97%
TOTAL	28,032	24,629	29,292	26,433	29,964	28,364	30,278	33,061	29,149	30,990	30,314	25,309	345,815	100.00%

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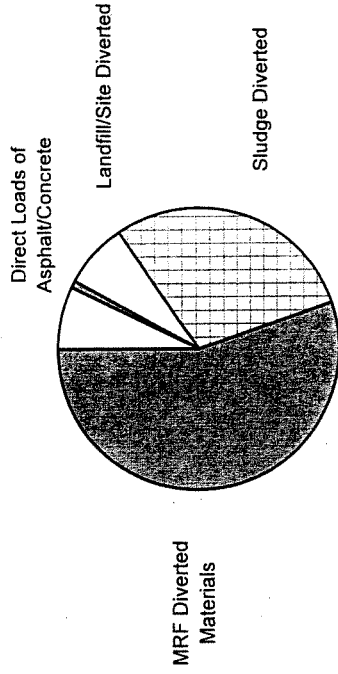
CITY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
CARMEL	1,309	1,043	1,083	1,121	973	947	1,127	1,022	830	843	719	124	11,017	3.19%
DEL REY OAKS	112	105	121	109	90	124	115	120	131	129	129	124	1,280	0.37%
MARINA	1,718	1,633	1,781	1,647	2,045	1,671	1,952	1,892	1,661	1,776	1,382	1,382	19,159	5.54%
MONTEREY	4,931	4,666	4,766	4,533	4,158	4,032	4,397	4,082	3,926	4,134	3,327	3,327	46,952	13.58%
PACIFIC GROVE	1,829	1,382	1,571	1,468	1,608	1,428	1,637	1,511	1,462	1,279	1,180	1,180	16,355	4.73%
PEBBLE BEACH	1,610	1,555	1,411	1,448	1,250	1,585	1,534	1,277	1,152	1,250	950	1,054	15,023	4.34%
SALINAS	556	684	523	489	761	694	799	542	602	721	1,054	721	7,425	2.15%
SAND CITY	286	249	224	230	271	282	295	213	219	211	169	169	2,648	0.77%
SEASIDE	2,852	2,358	2,667	2,722	2,545	2,848	2,951	2,566	2,417	2,586	2,369	2,369	28,882	8.35%
MO CO IN DIST	9,365	6,906	6,616	8,605	11,306	9,274	8,910	8,354	8,589	9,184	8,131	8,131	95,237	27.54%
MO CO OUT OF DIST	539	552	793	931	828	797	1,437	1,025	1,093	667	1,052	671	9,714	2.81%
MIXED ORIGIN	732	776	747	716	703	686	687	758	783	630	630	671	7,889	2.28%
IN COUNTY/SUBTOTAL	25,836	21,909	23,304	24,019	26,537	24,368	25,841	23,362	22,864	23,411	21,128	0	261,579	75.64%
CAPTOLA	731	628	657	610	664	689	731	640	638	621	592	592	7,201	2.08%
BEN LOMAND TRANS STATION	1,722	1,646	1,625	1,700	1,769	1,426	2,082	1,835	1,594	1,580	1,506	1,506	18,484	5.35%
SANTA CRUZ COUNTY-OTHER	417	458	773	1,400	1,557	1,586	2,088	1,909	1,895	2,066	1,790	1,790	15,940	4.61%
SAN BENITO COUNTY	164	121	126	282	201	71	247	227	498	355	170	170	2,462	0.71%
SANTA CLARA COUNTY	1,812	1,346	1,351	1,372	1,307	1,155	1,329	1,203	1,140	1,304	1,104	1,104	14,422	4.17%
SAN LUIS OBISPO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
OUT OF COUNTY/SUBTOTAL	4,846	4,199	4,532	5,364	5,498	4,927	6,477	5,814	5,765	5,926	5,162	0	58,510	16.92%
TOTAL	30,682	26,108	27,836	29,383	32,035	29,295	32,318	29,176	28,629	29,337	26,290	0	320,089	92.56%

**MONTEREY REGIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
RECYCLING REPORT
NOVEMBER 2008**

Site Diverted Materials

	Tons	
Direct Loads of Asphalt/Concrete	706	7.3%
On Site Recycle Dropboxes	65	0.7%
Landfill/Site Diverted	715	7.4%
Sludge Diverted	2,823	29.4%
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0.0%
MRF Diverted Materials	5,296	55.1%
Total	9,603	

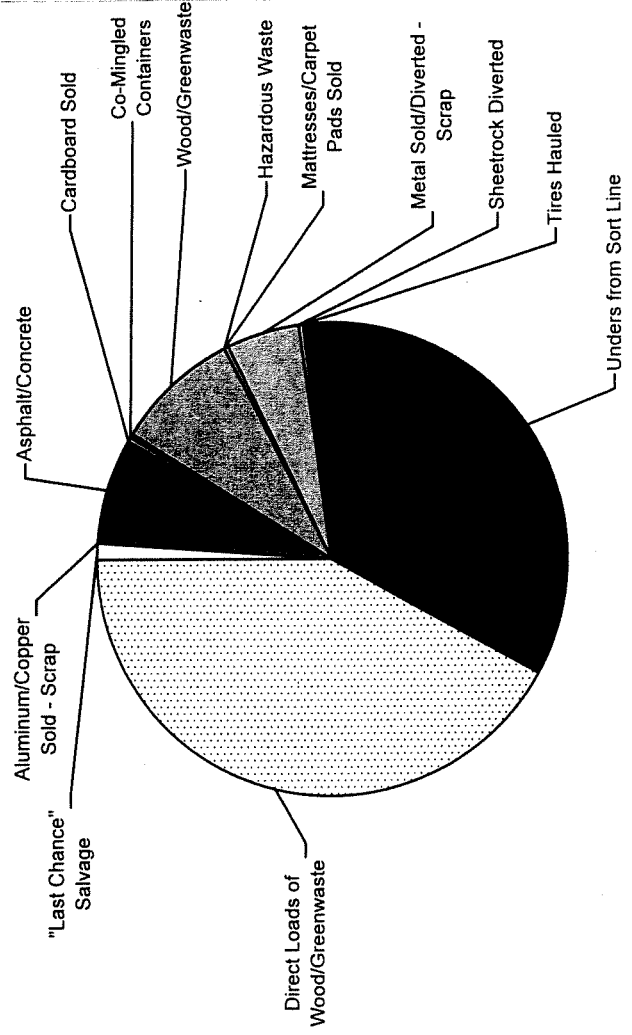
Site Diverted Materials



MRF Diverted Materials

	Tons	
"Last Chance" Salvage	54	1.0%
Aluminum/Copper Sold - Scrap	0	0.0%
Asphalt/Concrete	384	7.2%
Cardboard Sold	20	0.4%
Co-Mingled Containers	6	0.1%
Wood/Greenwaste	469	8.9%
Hazardous Waste	1	0.0%
Mattresses/Carpet Pads Sold	11	0.2%
Metal Sold/Diverted - Scrap	269	5.1%
Mixed Paper Sold	0	0.0%
Sheetrock Diverted	11	0.2%
Tires Hauled	0	0.0%
Unders from Sort Line	1,845	34.8%
Direct Loads of Wood/Greenwaste	2,226	42.0%
Total	5,296	

MRF Diverted Materials



Monterey Regional Waste Management District - Jul through Dec 2008 Tonnage

SITE Tonnage	July	August	September	October	November	December	Year Totals
Accepted Materials							
Refuse - Landfill	15,377	14,214	13,516	13,526	11,998		148,247
Asphalt/Concrete	1,350	1,249	746	1,018	706		11,739
Dropboxes	58	60	54	49	65		577
Problem Waste	810	765	863	930	2,430		9,475
Sludge	3,255	3,256	4,142	3,610	2,893		38,324
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	0	0		2
Water Treatment/Concrete Sludge	9	22	16	0	0		844
MRF Accepted Materials	11,459	9,611	9,292	10,205	8,198		110,881
Total Accepted Materials	32,318	29,176	28,629	29,337	26,290		320,089
Diverted Materials							
Direct Loads of Asphalt/Concrete	1,350	1,249	746	1,018	706		11,739
Dropboxes	58	60	54	49	65		577
Landfill/Site Diverted	0	0	0	240	715		1,120
Sludge Diverted	3,180	3,209	4,087	3,522	2,823		37,599
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	0	0		2
MRF Diverted Materials	5,565	5,721	5,721	6,237	5,296		67,694
Total Diverted Materials	10,154	10,239	10,609	11,066	9,603		118,732
Landfilled	22,164	18,937	18,021	18,271	16,686		201,357
Percent Diverted	31%	35%	37%	38%	37%		37%
Percent Diverted - No Sludge	24%	27%	27%	29%	29%		29%

MRF Tonnage							
MRF - Accepted Materials							
Refuse - MRF	8,139	6,799	6,818	7,651	5,955		78,118
Free Cardboard/Paper/Metal/Tire Lds	11	21	16	22	17		277
Wood/Greenwaste	3,309	2,791	2,457	2,532	2,226		32,486
Total MRF Accepted Materials	11,459	9,611	9,292	10,205	8,198		110,881
MRF - Diverted Materials							
"Last Chance" Salvage	58	56	54	60	54		658
Aluminum/Copper	3	0	0	0	0		47
Asphalt/Concrete	192	219	338	329	384		3,126
Cardboard	21	30	29	28	20		341
Co-Mingled Containers	3	15	9	7	6		81
Wood/Greenwaste	381	497	512	574	469		5,833
Hazardous Waste	1	1	1	1	1		10
Mattresses/Carpets/Pads	19	12	19	15	11		194
Metal - Scrap	237	250	225	281	269		3,037
Mixed Paper	0	0	0	0	0		58
Sheetrock	23	34	17	23	11		293
Tires Hauled	11	0	13	14	0		99
Unders from Sort Line	1,307	1,816	2,047	2,374	1,845		21,430
Total Sort Line Diversion	2,256	2,931	3,264	3,705	3,070		35,208
Direct Loads of Wood/Greenwaste	3,309	2,791	2,457	2,532	2,226		32,486
Total MRF Diverted Materials	5,565	5,721	5,721	6,237	5,296		67,694
Percent Diversion - Sort Line	28%	43%	48%	48%	51%		45%
Percent Diversion - Entire MRF	49%	60%	62%	61%	65%		61%

Other Activity							
Organic Mix Sales	226	119	184	180	29		2,786
Mulch Sales	1,350	656	625	691	222		9,789
Regular Woodchips Sales	365	313	293	289	190		4,208
Color Woodchips Sales	17	0	0	0	0		103
Compost Sales	121	84	55	54	83		885
Top Soil Blend Sales	106	95	116	101	117		1,079
Biomass Wood Fuel	779	578	503	91	554		3,914
Liquid Waste - Landspread	5	3	0	20	0		51
Clean Soil (Estimate)	8,516	4,358	6,839	4,869	1,384		66,352
Marginal Cover Material	1,460	924	796	1,002	663		18,723

Monterey Regional Waste Management District - Jan through Jun 2008 Tonnage

SITE Tonnage	January	February	March	April	May	June	Jan-Jun Totals
Accepted Materials							
Refuse - Landfill	13,738	12,103	12,898	13,397	14,673	12,806	79,616
Asphalt/Concrete	828	1,278	1,203	1,257	1,011	1,093	6,671
Dropboxes	9	38	62	51	74	57	291
Problem Waste	400	342	386	638	745	1,167	3,677
Sludge	4,421	2,044	1,499	3,458	5,564	4,183	21,169
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Water Treatment/Concrete Sludge	3	0	189	605	0	0	796
MRF Accepted Materials	11,282	10,303	10,599	9,975	9,969	9,989	62,117
Total Accepted Materials	30,682	26,108	26,836	29,383	32,035	29,295	174,338
Diverted Materials							
Direct Loads of Asphalt/Concrete	828	1,278	1,203	1,257	1,011	1,093	6,671
Dropboxes	9	38	62	51	74	57	291
Landfill/Site Diverted	0	57	109	0	0	0	166
Sludge Diverted	4,355	1,962	1,438	3,390	5,521	4,112	20,778
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
MRF Diverted Materials	7,956	6,346	6,456	6,190	6,103	6,103	39,154
Total Diverted Materials	13,149	9,681	9,269	10,889	12,708	11,365	67,061
Landfilled	17,534	16,427	17,567	18,493	19,327	17,929	107,277
Percent Diverted	43%	37%	35%	37%	40%	39%	38%
Percent Diverted - No Sludge	33%	32%	31%	29%	27%	29%	30%

MRF Tonnage

MRF - Accepted Materials							
Refuse - MRF	6,444	7,167	7,531	7,228	7,204	7,183	42,756
Free Cardboard/Paper/Metal/Tire Lds	78	44	22	12	18	14	189
Wood/Greenwaste	4,760	3,091	3,047	2,735	2,747	2,792	19,172
Total MRF Accepted Materials	11,282	10,303	10,599	9,975	9,969	9,989	62,117
MRF - Diverted Materials							
"Last Chance" Salvage	71	71	61	58	58	55	375
Aluminum/Copper	0	6	22	4	3	9	44
Asphalt/Concrete	247	302	274	256	292	292	1,663
Cardboard	40	29	36	38	42	28	213
Co-Mingled Containers	5	0	3	17	3	13	42
Wood/Greenwaste	541	566	532	626	550	586	3,400
Hazardous Waste	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Mattresses/Carpets/Pads	16	22	15	25	19	21	118
Metal - Scrap	315	297	329	313	264	258	1,776
Mixed Paper	34	12	13	0	0	0	58
Sheetrock	28	28	45	39	28	17	186
Tires Hauled	15	10	12	11	0	12	60
Unders from Sort Line	1,884	1,912	2,066	2,066	2,095	2,018	12,041
Total Sort Line Diversion	3,196	3,254	3,409	3,455	3,356	3,311	19,982
Direct Loads of Wood/Greenwaste	4,760	3,091	3,047	2,735	2,747	2,792	19,172
Total MRF Diverted Materials	7,956	6,346	6,456	6,190	6,103	6,103	39,154
Percent Diversion - Sort Line	49%	45%	45%	48%	46%	46%	47%
Percent Diversion - Entire MRF	71%	62%	61%	62%	61%	61%	63%

Other Activity

Organic Mix Sales	396	209	404	388	332	319	2,048
Mulch Sales	1,468	845	1,083	835	845	1,168	6,245
Regular Woodchips Sales	469	681	446	329	399	434	2,758
Color Woodchips Sales	3	11	12	16	19	25	86
Compost Sales	9	44	104	139	94	98	489
Top Soil Blend Sales	30	79	102	109	125	99	544
Biomass Wood Fuel	0	0	0	116	436	857	1,409
Liquid Waste - Landspread	12	0	12	0	0	0	24
Clean Soil (Estimate)	4,557	10,895	5,522	5,668	3,257	10,487	40,385
Marginal Cover Material	1,555	9,241	738	519	558	1,266	13,877

Monterey Regional Waste Management District - Jul through Dec 2007 Tonnage

SITE Tonnage	July	August	September	October	November	December	Year Totals
Accepted Materials							
Refuse - Landfill	14,954	15,638	13,453	17,023	15,594	12,675	167,394
Asphalt/Concrete	1,459	1,212	1,148	1,380	1,212	647	14,883
Dropboxes	42	68	53	21	12	20	528
Problem Waste	666	626	619	889	1,978	599	8,666
Sludge	3,002	4,671	4,820	4,399	3,735	3,184	40,357
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Water Treatment/Concrete Sludge	0	0	21	0	11	47	79
MRF Accepted Materials	10,153	10,846	9,026	7,279	7,771	8,137	113,897
Total Accepted Materials	30,278	33,061	29,140	30,990	30,314	25,309	345,807
Diverted Materials							
Direct Loads of Asphalt/Concrete	1,459	1,212	1,148	1,380	1,212	647	14,883
Dropboxes	42	68	53	21	12	20	528
Landfill/Site Diverted	0	0	0	9	9	0	42
Sludge Diverted	2,763	4,409	4,787	4,367	3,619	3,096	36,437
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
MRF Diverted Materials	5,762	6,346	4,915	4,042	4,099	5,419	69,687
Total Diverted Materials	10,026	12,035	10,902	9,820	8,952	9,182	121,579
Landfilled	20,252	21,026	18,237	21,170	21,362	16,127	224,228
Percent Diverted	33%	36%	37%	32%	30%	36%	35%
Percent Diverted - No Sludge	27%	27%	25%	21%	20%	28%	28%

MRF Tonnage							
MRF - Accepted Materials							
Refuse - MRF	7,377	8,045	6,633	4,726	5,039	5,812	80,896
Free Cardboard/Paper/Metal/Tire Lds	60	47	40	73	78	72	780
Wood/Greenwaste	2,717	2,753	2,353	2,479	2,655	2,253	32,221
Total MRF Accepted Materials	10,153	10,846	9,026	7,279	7,771	8,137	113,897
MRF - Diverted Materials							
"Last Chance" Salvage	62	81	68	30	48	68	814
Aluminum/Copper	4	3	0	7	0	7	44
Asphalt/Concrete	356	247	247	155	128	347	3,775
Cardboard	34	30	20	20	24	36	441
Co-Mingled Containers	4	12	2	4	2	3	76
Feedstock	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Wood/Greenwaste	426	545	405	291	273	510	5,490
Hazardous Waste	1	2	1	1	1	2	16
Mattresses/Carpets/Pads	21	21	14	18	18	10	203
Metal - Scrap	327	316	244	259	225	327	3,935
Mixed Paper	14	24	11	9	32	12	256
Sheetrock	34	34	11	39	28	28	389
Roofing Material	88	127	0	0	0	0	1,399
Tires Hauled	12	13	11	0	12	0	99
Unders from Sort Line	1,663	2,140	1,528	730	653	1,816	20,524
Total Sort Line Diversion	3,045	3,593	2,563	1,563	1,445	3,166	37,466
Direct Loads of Wood/Greenwaste	2,717	2,753	2,353	2,479	2,655	2,253	32,221
Total MRF Diverted Materials	5,762	6,346	4,915	4,042	4,099	5,419	69,687
Percent Diversion - Sort Line	41%	44%	38%	33%	28%	54%	46%
Percent Diversion - Entire MRF	57%	59%	54%	56%	53%	67%	61%

Other Activity							
Organic Mix Sales	445	436	450	157	0	224	3,519
Mulch Sales	1,035	1,384	888	656	0	607	8,142
Regular Woodchips Sales	527	428	403	422	124	461	5,818
Color Woodchips Sales	7	12	10	24	3	0	157
Compost Sales	57	90	49	40	48	53	784
Top Soil Blend Sales	133	136	119	135	110	53	1,406
Biomass Wood Fuel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquid Waste - Landsread	539	150	22	124	10	60	906
Free Clean Soil (Estimate)	11,112	14,552	6,829	11,744	6,044	2,927	133,933
Marginal Cover Material	1,068	1,830	1,519	7,403	6,467	4,380	38,669

Monterey Regional Waste Management District - Jan through Jun 2007 Tonnage

SITE Tonnage	January	February	March	April	May	June	Jan-Jun Totals
Accepted Materials							
Refuse - Landfill	12,831	11,097	12,707	12,717	14,766	13,939	78,058
Asphalt/Concrete	1,118	1,036	1,442	1,404	1,556	1,270	7,825
Dropboxes-Metal	62	55	54	48	46	47	312
Problem Waste	239	244	694	905	597	609	3,288
Sludge	3,984	3,820	3,735	1,691	1,687	1,629	16,546
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Water Treatment/Concrete Sludge	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MRF Accepted Materials	9,798	8,378	10,660	9,669	11,311	10,868	60,685
Total Accepted Materials	28,032	24,629	29,292	26,434	29,964	28,364	166,716
Diverted Materials							
Direct Loads of Asphalt/Concrete	1,118	1,036	1,442	1,404	1,556	1,270	7,825
Dropboxes-Metal	62	55	54	48	46	47	312
Landfill/Site Diverted	4	0	20	0	0	0	23
Sludge Diverted	3,404	3,154	3,072	994	1,406	1,368	13,397
Tires - Cut/Chipped	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
MRF Diverted Materials	5,703	5,464	7,190	6,819	7,265	6,662	39,103
Total Diverted Materials	10,290	9,708	11,777	9,265	10,273	9,348	60,662
Landfilled							
	17,742	14,921	17,515	17,169	19,691	19,016	106,054
Percent Diverted	37%	39%	40%	35%	34%	33%	36%
Percent Diverted - No Sludge	29%	31%	34%	33%	31%	30%	31%

MRF Tonnage

MRF - Accepted Materials							
Refuse - MRF	7,104	6,157	7,472	6,797	7,921	7,813	43,263
Free Cardboard/Paper/Metal/Tire Lds	84	60	67	63	57	78	411
Wood/Greenwaste	2,610	2,161	3,122	2,809	3,333	2,977	17,011
Total MRF Accepted Materials	9,798	8,378	10,660	9,669	11,311	10,868	60,685
MRF - Diverted Materials							
"Last Chance" Salvage	68	71	92	87	77	62	458
Aluminum/Copper	2	3	4	2	7	5	24
Asphalt/Concrete	384	347	512	402	329	320	2,294
Cardboard	54	42	38	48	46	50	277
Co-Mingled Containers	5	8	11	8	10	8	49
Feedstock	7	0	0	0	0	0	7
Wood/Greenwaste	407	500	605	515	523	491	3,040
Hazardous Waste	1	1	2	1	1	2	8
Mattresses/Carpets/Pads	13	21	17	14	19	18	101
Metal - Scrap	353	349	423	371	363	379	2,238
Mixed Paper	50	21	27	22	24	10	154
Sheetrock	51	34	39	51	28	11	214
Roofing Material	205	117	147	284	225	205	1,183
Tires Hauled	12	11	0	15	13	0	51
Unders from Sort Line	1,480	1,778	2,153	2,191	2,268	2,124	11,993
Total Sort Line Diversion	3,093	3,303	4,069	4,010	3,933	3,684	22,091
Direct Loads of Wood/Greenwaste	2,610	2,161	3,122	2,809	3,333	2,977	17,011
Total MRF Diverted Materials	5,703	5,464	7,190	6,819	7,265	6,662	39,103
Percent Diversion - Sort Line	43%	53%	54%	58%	49%	47%	51%
Percent Diversion - Entire MRF	58%	65%	67%	71%	64%	61%	64%

Other Activity

Organic Mix Sales	458	29	0	242	564	515	1,807
Mulch Sales	660	199	11	540	1,060	1,104	3,574
Regular Woodchips Sales	457	456	399	1,022	685	433	3,452
Color Woodchips Sales	5	2	23	23	18	31	102
Compost Sales	34	33	124	87	85	82	447
Top Soil Blend Sales	67	57	134	153	162	148	721
Biomass Wood Fuel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquid Waste - Landspread	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Free Clean Soil (Estimate)	9,524	7,844	14,473	14,728	16,144	18,012	80,724
Marginal Cover Material	1,245	9,714	1,519	1,196	1,192	1,137	16,002

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Recycled Materials Going Through Shakeup: State Agency Working To Keep California's Environment Protected

SACRAMENTO--The California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) is pledging to work with California cities and counties, as well as the many recyclers, brokers, and processors who are trying to cope with the rapid decline in commodity prices for recycled paper, metals and plastic goods.

CIWMB staff are monitoring market trends and prices and examining regulatory and non-regulatory options to keep these materials from being disposed. The CIWMB will hold a special public meeting in Sacramento in early December to explore measures it can enact to ease the current situation. The Board will hear from brokers and others about possible short-term and long-term solutions.

"We're aware of the potential dilemma facing our state's recycling infrastructure," said Board Chair Margo Reid Brown. "We cannot undo the incredible progress our local cities and counties have done to reduce our waste in landfills. By working together, I'm confident we can develop short-term measures that will get us through these challenging times, while ensuring we remain true to our overall environmental goals."

Keeping waste paper and cardboard out of California landfills is one of the strategies being used to combat global warming. Paper products and other organic materials decompose in landfills and generate methane, which scientists say is 23 times more potent than carbon dioxide as a greenhouse gas.

California's environment may face a potential set-back as the depressed global economy and an excess in global inventory have reduced prices being paid for recycled newspapers, old corrugated cardboard and plastics around the world. Prices being paid to recyclers have, in some instances, fallen more than 50 percent in one month. An aggressive recycling program is why California leads the nation in diverting more than half of its solid waste away from landfills. The state converts an estimated 52 million tons of solid waste each year into new, higher-value products that add billions of dollars to California's economy.

Local jurisdictions are scrambling to find additional storage space to accommodate the steady flow of old newspapers and cardboard being set aside for recycling by California residents, businesses and industry.

"We must consider the health and safety of California as we look for short-term relief in the current situation and for long-term solutions such as locating new manufacturing and energy-producing facilities in California," Brown added.

The current drop-off in recycled paper exports could help encourage the development of additional local and regional markets for converting these recycled materials into new products or as a source of energy and fuel.

China is the primary export market for U.S. recycled paper products but has seen a global slowdown in demand for Chinese-made products using recycled materials imported from the United States.

The California Integrated Waste Management Board is the state's leading authority on recycling and waste reduction. It promotes reducing waste whenever possible, managing all materials to their highest and best use and protecting public health and safety and the environment.

The California Integrated Waste Management Board is one of six boards, departments, and offices within the California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA).

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