

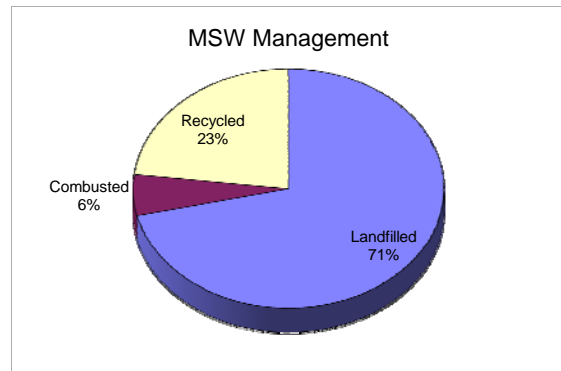
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(Jan. 1, 2003 - Dec. 31, 2003)

1. Population¹ 511,929

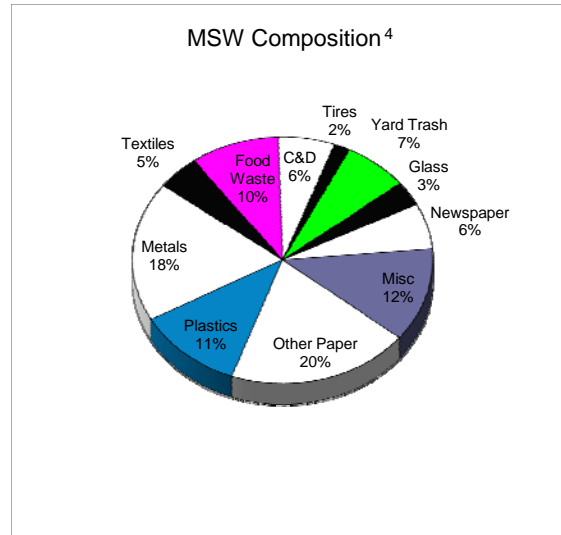
2. MSW Management (tons)²

A. Landfilled	652,198
B. Combusted	50,569
C. Recycled	210,861
D. Total	913,628
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day	9.78



3. MSW Collected & Recycled

	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
A. Minimum 4 of 8 ³		
1. Newspaper	55,248	22%
2. Glass	29,926	3%
3. Aluminum Cans	8,441	10%
4. Plastic Bottles	13,044	5%
5. Steel Cans	16,881	2%
6. Cardboard	83,907	29%
7. Office Paper	22,253	21%
8. Yard Trash	63,540	12%



B. Other Recyclables

9. C&D Debris	55,184	13%
10. White Goods	14,500	85%
11. Tires	15,797	6%
12. Process Fuel	0	0%

C. Other Wastes 534,907 26%

D. Total Recycling Rate (%) 23%

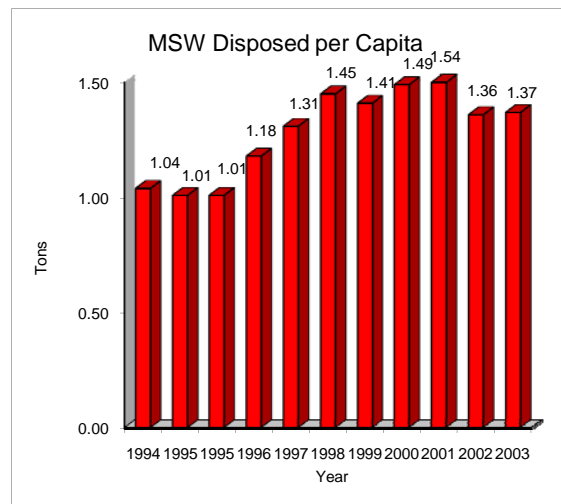
E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%)⁵ 23%

F. % Change In Waste Reduction Per Capita from Year to Year
(A negative number indicates an increase in the MSW disposal rate per capita.)

Year	MSW tons per capita	% Change
1998	1.45	10%
1999	1.41	-3%
2000	1.49	5%
2001	1.54	3%
2002	1.36	-12%
2003	1.37	0%

G. Participation in Recycling⁶

	Units	Percent ⁷
1. Single-family Curbside	188,730	13%
2. Multi-family Curbside ⁸	33,875	0%
3. Commercial ⁹	14,518	
a) Scheduled collection		100.18%
b) On call collection		0%



¹ Official 2003 Governor's Office estimate.

² From 2003 Municipal Solid Waste Data Report.

³ Counties must recycle a significant portion for a minimum of 4 out of 8 of these materials.

⁴ Some materials have been combined: Metals include Aluminum Cans, Steel Cans, Ferrous and Non-ferrous metals, and White Goods;

Other Paper includes Corrugated, Office and Other Paper; and Plastics include Plastic Bottles and Other Plastics.

⁵ The Legislature established a goal of 30 percent for all counties with a population of over 100,000.

⁶ Participation means availability and usage of recycling services.

⁷ Percentage of total county units (single/multi-family dwellings and commercial establishments) participating in recycling.

⁸ Includes apartments, condominiums and others.

⁹ May also include government and institutional.

* Calendar year data.