

# Pasco

**(Jan. 1, 2008 - Dec. 31, 2008)**

1. Population<sup>1</sup> 438,668

2. MSW Management (tons)<sup>2</sup>

A. Landfilled	212,704
B. Combusted	263,003
C. Recycled	237,176
D. Total	712,883
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day	8.90

3. MSW Collected & Recycled

Collected  
(tons) Recycled  
(%)

A. Minimum 4 of 8<sup>3</sup>

1. Newspaper	25,000	18%
2. Glass	15,867	14%
3. Aluminum Cans	3,556	22%
4. Plastic Bottles	5,000	33%
5. Steel Cans	4,979	45%
6. Cardboard	28,450	82%
7. Office Paper	6,700	6%
8. Yard Trash	53,500	32%

B. Other Recyclables

9. C&D Debris	181,865	88%
10. White Goods	5,500	52%
11. Tires	6,401	0%
12. Process Fuel	0	0%

C. Other Wastes 376,065 11%

D. Total Recycling Rate (%) 33%

E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%)<sup>5</sup> 33%

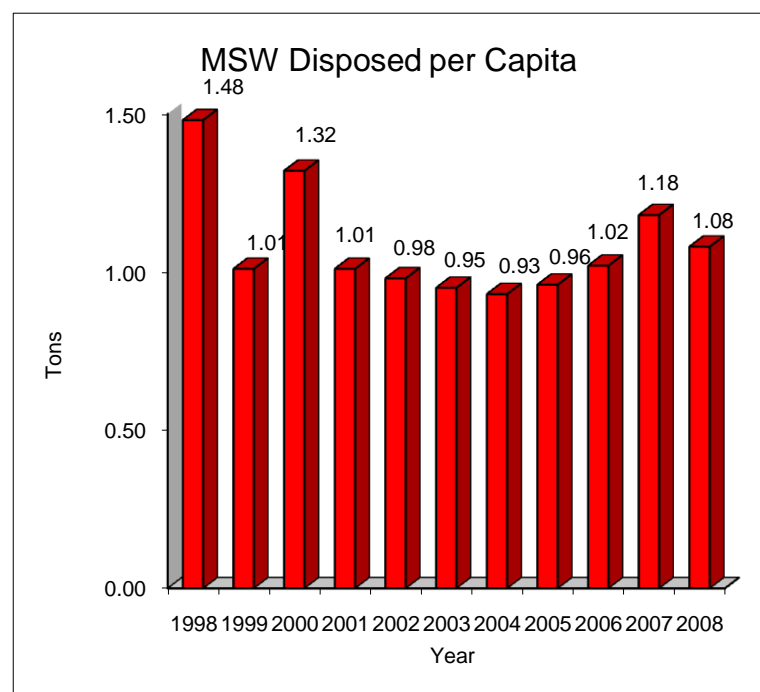
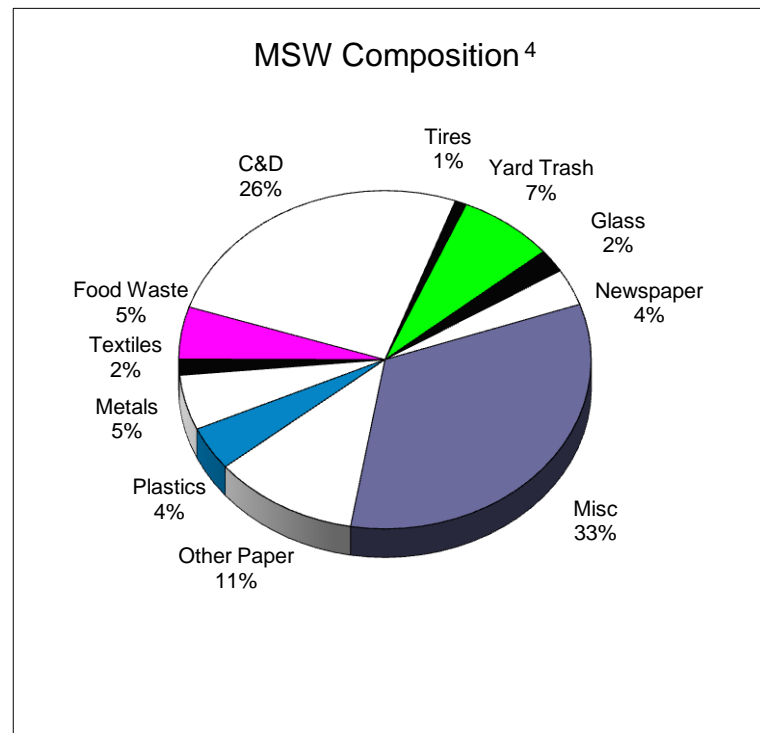
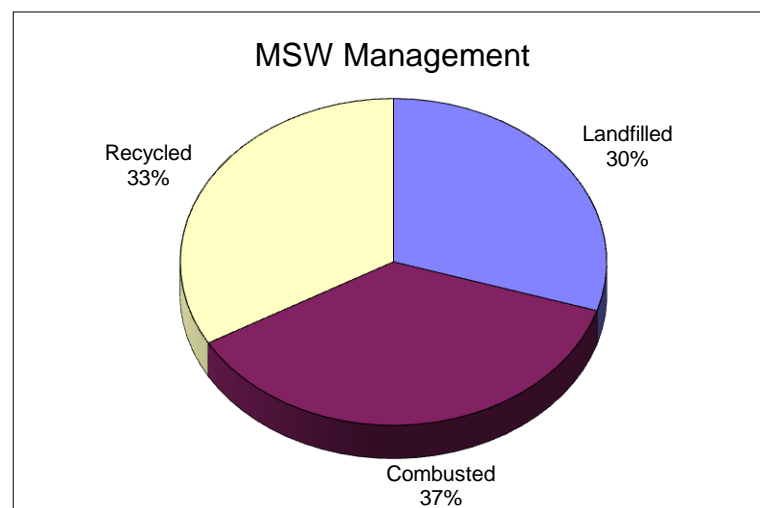
F. % Change In Waste Reduction Per Capita from Year to Year  
(A negative number indicates an increase in the MSW disposal rate per capita.)

Year	MSW tons per capita	% Change
2003	0.95	-4%
2004	0.93	-2%
2005	0.96	2%
2006	1.02	5%
2007	1.18	15%
2008	1.08	-8%

G. Participation in Recycling<sup>6</sup>

Units Percent<sup>7</sup>

1. Single-family Curbside	182,116	14%
2. Multi-family Curbside <sup>8</sup>	22,498	0%
3. Commercial <sup>9</sup>	15,859	
a) Scheduled collection		0%
b) On call collection		0%



<sup>1</sup> Official 2005 Governor's Office estimate.

<sup>2</sup> From 2005 Municipal Solid Waste Data Report.

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

<sup>4</sup> 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.

<sup>5</sup> The legislature established a goal of 30 percent for all counties with a population of over 100,000.

<sup>6</sup> Participation means availability and usage of recycling services.

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

<sup>8</sup> Includes apartments, condominiums and others.

<sup>9</sup> May also include government and institutional.

\* Calendar year data.