

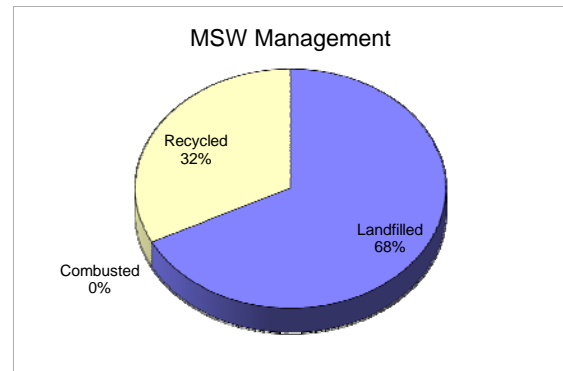
Charlotte

(Jan. 1, 2010 - Dec. 31, 2010)

1. Population¹ 159,978

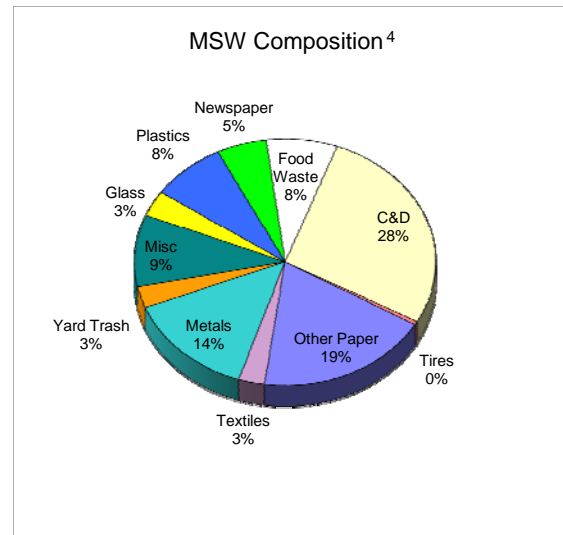
2. MSW Management (tons)²

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|------------------------------------|---------|
| A. Landfilled | 130,643 |
| B. Combusted | 0 |
| C. Recycled | 62,694 |
| D. Total | 193,337 |
| E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day | 6.62 |



3. MSW Collected & Recycled

| | Collected (tons) | Recycled (%) |
|---|------------------|--------------|
| A. Minimum 4 of 8 ³ | | |
| 1. Newspaper | 10,293 | 80% |
| 2. Glass | 6,543 | 45% |
| 3. Aluminum Cans | 2,117 | 27% |
| 4. Plastic Bottles | 2,887 | 29% |
| 5. Steel Cans | 2,502 | 8% |
| 6. Cardboard | 15,203 | 42% |
| 7. Office Paper | 1,924 | 1% |
| 8. Yard Trash | 5,449 | 67% |
| B. Other Recyclables | | |
| 9. C&D Debris | 53,107 | 36% |
| 10. White Goods | 2,125 | 7% |
| 11. Tires | 901 | 100% |
| 12. Process Fuel | 0 | 0% |
| C. Other Wastes | 90,286 | 24% |
| D. Total Recycling Rate (%) | | 32% |
| E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%) ⁵ | | 32% |

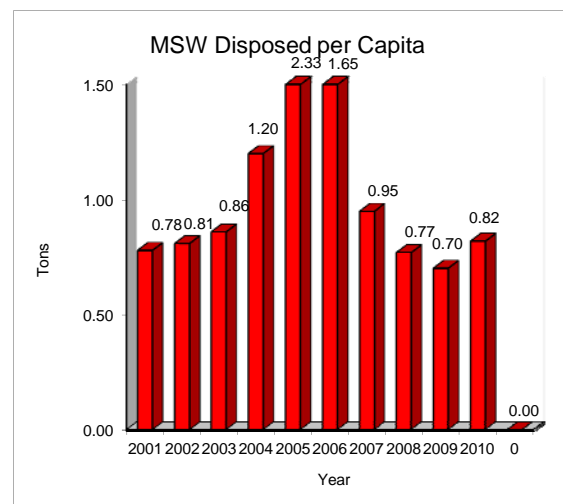


F. % Change In Waste Reduction Per Capita from Year to Year
(A negative number indicates an increase in the MSW disposal rate per capita.)

| Year | MSW tons per capita | % Change |
|------|---------------------|----------|
| 2005 | 2.33 | 93% |
| 2006 | 1.65 | -30% |
| 2007 | 0.95 | -43% |
| 2008 | 0.77 | -19% |
| 2009 | 0.70 | -11% |
| 2010 | 0.82 | 17% |

G. Participation in Recycling⁶

| | Units | Percent ⁷ |
|---------------------------------------|--------|----------------------|
| 1. Single-family Curbside | 71,669 | 50% |
| 2. Multi-family Curbside ⁸ | 16,287 | 50% |
| 3. Commercial ⁹ | 4,708 | |
| a) Scheduled collection | | 20.01% |
| b) On call collection | | 0% |



¹ Official 2010 Governor's Office estimate.

² From 2010 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.