

Solid Waste Facility Annual Report for 2005

2005 proved to be an average year as far as quantities disposed and cost to dispose of our solid waste were concerned. We experienced our second best year in revenues collected from recycling and tipping fees.

During the summer Woodstock Foundation Company constructed a concrete pad that will assist us in being able to continue to crush the construction and demolition containers. As a result of crushing the contents of these containers, we were able to put .22 ton more in the containers this year compared to last year, giving us our highest tons per haul yet. For a comparison in 1998, we averaged 5.79 tons per haul of C&D [construction & demolition] and in 2005 we averaged 11.13 tons per haul. Savings like this are the reason that we have not increased our tipping fees in eight years.

We will be holding another hazardous household waste collection during the summer of 2006. We plan to hold it between July and September, so check local newspapers and stay tuned to Channel 3, as we will advertise before we have the collection.

We would like to thank all of you for doing your part in continuing to recycle. I would also like to acknowledge Linwood Pierce and Rockland Jones for a job well done. They continue to assist our guests and townspeople in efforts to dispose of all of their waste and recyclables in a safe and economical manner. As always, if you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact us at the facility and we will look at them.

Respectfully submitted,

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Solid Waste Facility Manager

Lincoln-Woodstock Solid Waste Facility: 2005 Statistics

	Amount	Cost	Revenue	Cost Avoidance
Co-Mingle	140/ tn	\$6,905	\$0	\$9,520
MSW	1,052/tn	\$72,084	\$0	\$0
C&D	468/tn	\$33,072	\$40,273	\$0
Newsprint	44/tn	\$0	\$3,324	\$2,992
Scrap Steel	154/tn	\$0	\$9,415	\$10,472
Cardboard	177/tn	\$0	\$13,520	\$10,608
Aluminum Cans	4,200/lb	\$0	\$2,100	\$143
Textiles	8/tn	\$0	\$0	\$544
Brush	30/yd	\$50	\$95	\$0
Waste Oil	1,000/gal	\$0	\$0	\$1,500
Fryolator Grease	740/gal	\$527	\$386	\$0
Compost	180/tn	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
Totals		\$114,638	\$69,113	\$35,779

Cost avoidance by recycling is equal to the current disposal rate multiplied by the tons recycled.