

**CALHOUN COUNTY, TEXAS
SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING CENTER
900 OLD LANDFILL ROAD-PORT LAVACA, TEXAS
SITE OPERATION, WASTE HANDLING AND USER FEES**

1. The facility is located approximately 2 miles North Hwy. 87 from Hwy. 35. Turn right off 87 to Westerlund Grade Road and go 1 mile. Turn left on to Old Landfill Road. This site no longer operates as a municipal landfill and the amount and type of waste is limited. **We can not accept construction, demolition, or commercial waste.**

This facility is owned and operated by and for the citizens of **Calhoun County**.

2. HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday-Friday---8:00-12:00 & 1:00-5:00

Saturday---8:00-12:00 Noon **Closed on all County Holidays**

3. RULES FOR TRANSPORTING:

All waste must be bagged or in containers for ease of unloading. Loose waste will not be accepted and must be taken to the Victoria Regional Landfill. All waste should be covered and or secured to prevent loss on roadways.

4. USER FEES:

The following fees will be charged based on the type and quantity of waste brought to this site. Charges for quantities of mixed material types will be at the highest fee. All charges will be computed by the site attendant based on the following guidelines.

Household Waste

A. Compactable:

Minimum fee (one 33 gal. trash bag)-----\$ 5.00

Per Cubic Yard-----**\$14.00**

Per Pickup Loads (level in bed)

Full Size-----\$28.00

Short Bed-----\$20.00

Small Bed-----\$16.00

B. Bulk Waste

Couch-----\$10.00

Recliners-----\$ 6.00

Mattresses: (each piece)

Single-----\$ 3.00

Queen/double/king-----\$ 5.00

Appliances: (each)

Water heaters, water tanks-----\$ 2.00

Refrigerators, freezers, window units-----\$ 5.00

Washers, dryers, dishwashers-----\$ 4.00

TIRES: (see items #5 & #6) Call For Current Pricing and Acceptable Sizes

BRUSH:

Per pickup (level in bed)-----\$ 8.00
Per cubic yard-----\$ 4.00
Per 16 foot trailer-----\$30.00
No stumps/trunks accepted larger than 12 inch diameter

AUTO WASTE:

Antifreeze, Filters, Motor Oil, Hydraulic Oil, Auto Batteries-----N/C

SCRAP IRON, METALS

Per cubic yard rate, same as trash (does not include appliances)

5. RECYCLING NOTICE:

There will not be a charge for most recyclable items which are delivered to the Recycling Center and that are separated and placed in specially marked containers for recycling. See Attendant for information and instructions. Items accepted for recycling are:

- 1 Corrugated Cardboard (no food boxes or packages)
2. Office Paper (sorted)
3. Newspapers (with inserts, dry)
4. Magazines, Catalogs- No Phone Books
5. Tin Cans
6. Aluminum Cans
7. #1 Plastics (soda bottles)
8. #2 Natural Plastics (milk, water jugs)
9. #2 Mixed Plastics (soap, clorox, shampoo, etc.)
10. Motor Oil, Filters, Batteries

ALL UNACCEPTED RECYCLABLES WILL BE CHARGED FOR DISPOSAL IF LEFT AT OUR FACILITY

6. WASTE MUST BE SEPARATED INTO THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES

- Compactable
- Metals
- Furniture, bedding, carpet (whole room not accepted)
- Wire
- Automotive (see #8)

7. PROHIBITED ITEMS:

Basically any item designated by the Environmental Protection Agency and TCEQ as "Hazardous Material" is restricted from disposal, such as:

- Asbestos
- Fluorescent light ballasts
- Starting capacitors
- Herbicides, insecticides, fungicides
- Freon
- PCB's
- All Paints
- Construction and heavy equipment tires
- All Liquids

8. EXCEPTIONS:

- A. Refrigerated appliances may be accepted if they have been properly purged of oil and freon. Those that no longer have the compressor are accepted.
- B. Pesticide, herbicide, and fungicide containers that have been triple rinsed are accepted
- C. Ballasts that say "No PCB's are accepted
- D. Emptied oil containers are accepted with waste
- E. Auto Batteries are accepted separate from other waste
- F. Antifreeze is accepted separate from other waste

9. Please refer questions and comments concerning solid waste and the operation of the facility to the Calhoun County Solid Waste Coordinator and or the Solid Waste/Recycling Facility at 361-552-7791.

FEDERAL AND STATE DIRECTIVES MANDATE THESE PROCEDURES FOR THE DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE. PLEASE HELP US MAINTAIN COMPLIANCE BY GIVING US YOUR SUPPORT AND COOPERATION.

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