



# Charter Township of Chocolay

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TO: Marquette County Solid Waste Management

Authority FROM: Chocolay Township

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

RE: Authorized Hauler Agreement Temporary \_\_\_\_\_ Permanent \_\_\_\_\_

This is to inform you the following named company / individual is authorized to dispose of refuse at the landfill:

<b>Dates Authorized:</b>
<b>Hauler's Name (Printed):</b>
<b>Hauler's Address:</b>
<b>Hauler's Phone Number:</b>
<b>Email Address:</b>

**MARQUETTE COUNTY LANDFILL - GUIDELINES FOR WASTE DISPOSAL**  
**LANDFILL HOURS ARE 7:00 A.M. TO 3 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY**  
**ALL WASTE MUST BE GENERATED FROM MARQUETTE COUNTY ONLY**  
**FOLLOW ALL SIGNS AND INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN BY LANDFILL EMPLOYEES**

**ALL LOADS MUST BE TARPED. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

Tarps prevent debris from blowing out of the loads prior to arriving in the dumping area. **The load will be turned away at the scale if it is not tarped.** Leave your load tarped until you are at the designated dump site.

**Upon Arrival:**

Stop **COMPLETELY** before **SLOWLY** driving onto the scale. Wait until the vehicle in front of you is completely off of the scale.

**PARK** vehicle on scale. Make sure vehicle is within the scale boundaries. This includes your truck and trailer. **LEAVE** vehicle on scale. Go into the office to give your information to the scale operator.

**Stay in line!** Dispose of your waste in the order that you came across the scale; do not cut in front of trucks that are waiting. Stay in your vehicle while waiting to dispose of your waste. **Discard your waste between the "X" signs, not on the "X" signs. Charges will be assessed to loads dumped in the wrong locations. Come back on to the scale after dumping or you will be charged the entire weight of your truck and trailer.**

**Safety Reminders:**

SPEED LIMIT ON THE MCSWMA PROPERTY is 15 MPH  
NO SMOKING is permitted on MCSWMA property  
LEAVE CHILDREN AND PETS AT HOME FOR THEIR SAFETY  
NO OPEN TOE OR DRESS SHOES, STEEL-TOE BOOTS recommended  
STAY AWAY from all equipment...Do not walk or drive near equipment. Do not pass landfill equipment on Authority property. Landfill equipment has the right of way. **Hauler and staff safety is paramount.**  
STAY OUT of trash/waste for your safety – NO SCAVENGING IS ALLOWED.  
LEAVE ANIMALS (birds) alone.

**The Following Waste is Prohibited in the Landfill:**

**Tires**-see schedule of fees

**Yard/Compost Waste**-see schedule of fees

**Refrigerant Devices**-see schedule of fees

For more information about prohibited waste see the Schedule of Fees.

I have read and agree to follow the Marquette County Landfill Guidelines for Waste Disposal. I also understand failure to do so may result in revoking of dumping privileges and/or additional charges for which I will be responsible. I also understand that the tipping fee for this disposal will be billed to the Municipality and the Municipality will bill the above authorized hauler directly. Tipping fees will be paid promptly upon receipt of billing from the Municipality. I also understand that failure to pay for such fees will result in suspension of landfill privileges and may initiate other actions as deemed necessary by the Municipality Board to recover unpaid amounts.

Authorized Hauler's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Municipal Official's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Note: Keep track of your weight slips – anyone going over half of their deposit will be automatically stopped from using the landfill until additional payment is made.**

**Township Office Use Only**

Driver's License No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Deposit Required**

Check# \_\_\_\_\_  Cash \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Receipt# In \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt# Out \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative Fee \$15.00

Line# \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt # \_\_\_\_\_

<b>1st Payment</b>	
Date Received	
Receipt Number	
<b>2nd Payment</b>	
Date Received	
Receipt Number	
<b>3rd Payment</b>	
Date Received	
Receipt Number	
<b>Date Deposit Applied</b>	
<b>Date Deposit Returned</b>	
<b>Amount Returned</b>	

**Signature**

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**MARQUETTE COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY  
SCHEDULE OF FEES**

**ALL HAULERS: LANDFILL PERMIT REQUIRED FOR DISPOSAL OF TYPE II, III, STUMPS, CONTAMINATED SOIL, SPECIAL WASTE, AND TIRES**

**\*NOTE: THESE ARE THE FEES WE BILL THE MUNICIPALITY YOUR LANDFILL PERMIT IS FROM. THERE MAY BE ADDITIONAL CHARGES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY.**

Type of Material	Description	Fee								
Type II	Includes non-hazardous household/residential municipal solid waste material	\$71.00/ton*								
Type III	Includes non-hazardous construction and demolition waste material	\$71.00/ton*								
Type II or III Special Projects	Non-hazardous debris or other materials generated from special projects in Marquette County	TBD based on type of material, analytical data, volume, and Authority utilization								
Compost (Leaves, Grass, & Brush)	Includes tree limbs, shrubs, logs, etc. Must not be mixed with other waste/debris. Maximum 2" diameter. <b>Compost material in plastic bags will not be accepted. Compost can NOT be disposed of in the landfill. It must be put in the compost area.</b>	No charge (No permit needed)								
Compost (Source-Separated Organics)	Includes food waste, and any other organic material. <b>Must be separated from other waste and disposed of in the compost area. Non-organic material, such as plastic bags, will not be accepted.</b>	No charge (No permit needed)								
Stumps	Any stumps or any load with stumps or logs greater than 2" diameter mixed in.	\$71.00/ton								
Contaminated Soil	Hydrocarbon contaminated material (contaminated soil) must be tested, and appointment required for disposal.	\$71.00/ton								
Recyclables - In County (Marquette)	Single Stream Recycling (SSR) - Cardboard, mixed paper, plastic & metal containers per recycling guideline. Separated glass bottles, jars, containers <b>No plastic bags or film material accepted.</b>	No charge - In County (No permit needed)  *Unacceptable/contaminated loads: solid waste tipping fee rate applies								
Recyclables - Out of County	Single Stream Recycling (SSR) - Cardboard, mixed paper, plastic & metal containers per recycling guideline. Separated glass bottles, jars, containers <b>No plastic bags or film material accepted.</b>	\$30/ton / TBD by volume - Out of County  *Unacceptable/contaminated loads: solid waste tipping fee rate applies								
Confidential Document Destruction	<b>Proper notice by 3:00 pm on the day preceding delivery is required.</b> Documents must be in boxes and taped shut.	\$25.00 for certificate of destruction No charge if you don't need certificate of destruction (No permit needed)								
Special Waste**	<b>Includes medical waste, asbestos, special material, etc.</b>	<b>See Fees Below</b>								
a. Medical Waste <b>Proper notice by 3:00 pm on the day preceding delivery is required</b>	Medical Waste	\$565.07 per ton								
b. Asbestos: <b>Proper notice by 3:00 pm on the day preceding delivery is required</b>		<b>Current tipping fee per ton</b>								
	0 to 6 cyd (pickups, vans, small trailers)	plus \$200/vehicle*								
	7 to 20 cyd (large vans and trailers, trucks, roll off containers)	plus \$400/vehicle*								
	21 to 30 cyd (large tractor trailers and roll off containers)	plus \$550/vehicle*								
	31 to 40 cyd (large tractor trailers and roll off containers)	plus \$700/vehicle*								
	<b>*Loads in excess of 40 cyd will incur appropriate additional charges.</b>									
<p><b><u>*The Marquette County Landfill is a non-hazardous facility. Random sampling of loads is periodically conducted. Delivery of loads not designated as asbestos is prohibited. Loads discovered to contain asbestos via the random sampling program are subject to additional fees and may result in the loss of landfill privileges.</u></b></p> <p>In addition to tipping fees paid by the authorized company, contractor, or hauler the following per ton rates apply to loads containing asbestos:</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;">0 - 6 tons</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$800.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7 - 20 tons</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$1,600.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>21 - 30 tons</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$2,200.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>31 - 40 tons</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$2,800.00</td> </tr> </table> <p><b>All fees assessed will be billed to the host municipality who authorized the company, contractor, or hauler</b></p>			0 - 6 tons	\$800.00	7 - 20 tons	\$1,600.00	21 - 30 tons	\$2,200.00	31 - 40 tons	\$2,800.00
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Special Material	<b>Proper notice by 3:00 p.m. on the day preceding delivery is required.</b>	\$75.00/load								
Tires***	Passenger car and truck tires.	\$455.00/ton - Marquette County \$555.00/ton - Out of County								
<b>Surcharges/Fines</b>										
a. Mixed Loads****	A charge will be assessed to loads that are disposed in an area not designated for that waste and/or are mixed with prohibited wastes. <b>(See Prohibited Wastes)</b>	\$20.00 per ton with a \$100 minimum charge.								
b. Leaves, Grass, & Brush	Garbage (such as Type II or Type III) in the load, or compost material in plastic bags, will result in additional charges for separation at overtime rates.	\$20.00 per ton with a \$100 minimum charge.								
c. Container Dig out	Unloading or breaking loose material in a container	\$40.00/per 15 minutes								
d. Clean-Up Charge	Clean up after hauler disposal in the wrong area in landfill or building	\$25.00/per 15 minutes								
e. Weigh-In Charge	Charge for use of the scale for obtaining a vehicle weight only.	\$10 per weight - residential \$25 per weight - commercial \$0 - military move								
f. Refrigerant Removal #	Charge for removal of refrigerant from refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, etc.	\$40 per appliance								
g. Signs	Driving over/destroying landfill signs	\$25 charge if repairable \$55 for new								
h. Equipment Damage	Damage to equipment, doors, etc. will be charged at repair costs									
i. Jump Start	Jump start vehicle	\$50.00								
j. Administrative Fee	Charge for correcting tickets/statements when incorrect information is given by the hauler at the scale	\$50.00								

\* For hauler requested services such as dig outs, securing roll off boxes, vehicle recovery, and jump starts the MCSWMA and/or its employees will not be liable for hauler equipment damage.

\* **All municipalities, inclusive of all haulers, will be charged \$71.00/ton (which includes a \$.07/ton HHW charge) for Type II, Type III, special waste, and contaminated soil, and \$565.07 per ton for medical waste.**

\*\* Special waste charges have been computed to reflect the cost of disposal of material that requires special handling and cover. **Proper notice by 3:00 pm on the day preceding delivery is required for asbestos, medical waste, and special material.**

\*\*\*\* In general, waste that is not placed in the designated area will be charged a mixed load fee. **Prohibited waste will be rejected.**

# Refrigerant will be removed from appliances. Must be delivered separately and not mixed in loads. A mixed load charge will be assessed to loads with appliances containing refrigerant that are disposed in the landfill, along with the \$40 removal fee.

#### **ADDITIONAL CHARGES WILL BE ASSESSED TO LOADS CONTAINING PROHIBITED WASTES.**

##### **The following are materials prohibited from disposal in a Michigan landfill:**

**Beverage containers** – A beverage container containing one gallon or less of a soft drink, soda water, carbonated natural or mineral water, or other nonalcoholic carbonated drink, beer, ale, or other drink of whatever alcohol content. Loads containing more than 12 beverage containers will be charged a mixed load fee and the hauler will be required to retrieve the beverage containers.

**Whole motor vehicle tires** – Whole motor vehicle tires **are** accepted and charged the rates on the fee schedule but are prohibited from disposal in the landfill. Prior to landfill disposal, the tires will be split or processed into pieces by landfill staff. Whole tires found mixed in loads that are disposed in the landfill will be assessed a mixed load fee.

**Yard clippings** - Yard clippings are defined as leaves, grass clippings, vegetable or other garden debris, shrubbery, or brush or tree trimmings.

**Used oil** – Used oil is defined as petroleum-based oil that through use, storage, or handling, has become unsuitable for its original purpose due to the presence of impurities or loss of original properties.

**Lead acid batteries** - these are defined as a storage battery in which the electrodes are grids of lead containing lead oxides that change in composition during charging and discharging, and the electrolyte is dilute sulfuric acid.

**Low-level radioactive waste** – Low-level radioactive waste (LLRW) includes items that have become contaminated with radioactive waste through exposure to neutron radiation.

**Hazardous waste** – Hazardous wastes are materials that are identified by specific processes or exhibit certain properties that require more stringent controls on disposal, as specified by Michigan law.

**Mercury** – Mercury-containing devices must not be disposed of in landfill. Mercury will be taken free of charge if brought in separate from the loads. This includes thermostats, thermometers, furnace controls and switches.

**Liquid waste** - Liquid waste means any waste material that is determined to contain free liquids as defined by Method 9095, the paint filter liquids test.

**Sewage** – Sewage means untreated domestic wastewater. Sewage sludge is not prohibited.

**PCBs** – Means PCBs as defined in 40 CFR 761.3. This includes both PCB items and PCB-contaminated material.

**Hot Ashes** - Fire hazard.

**Nuclear Waste** – Nuclear or by-product materials as defined by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 as amended, 42 USC 2011 et seq.

**Infectious Waste** – as defined and regulated by the Michigan Department of Public Health

**Refrigerant** – Refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, water coolers and any other refrigerant-containing appliance. These are accepted but must come in separately and are charged \$40 per appliance for the refrigerant removal.

**Condensed Gas Cylinders:** Call 249-4125 for disposal information

#### **SPECIAL WASTES**

**Asbestos waste** - All asbestos waste regulated by federal regulations is prohibited from disposal in a Michigan landfill unless the landfill complies with 40 CFR 61.154. All waste must be segregated and packaged per Authority and EGLE guidelines. Asbestos waste must not be mixed with other wastes.

**Medical waste** – Under certain conditions medical waste can legally be disposed of in a Michigan landfill. All waste must be segregated and packaged per Authority and EGLE guidelines. Medical waste must not be mixed with other wastes.

**MARQUETTE COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY**

**SCALE 3-** AUTHORIZED HAULERS WHO WERE ISSUED A CARD.

**SCALE 1-** ALL OTHER HAULERS WHO DON'T HAVE CARDS OR THAT HAVE SPECIAL WASTE/ITEMS (TIRES, REFRIGERANT ITEMS ETC). YOU WILL WEIGH IN AND OUT ON THIS SCALE.

**SCALE 2-** AUTHORIZED HAULERS WHO WERE ISSUED A CARD WILL WEIGH OUT ON THIS SCALE.

**MATERIALS MANAGEMENT BUILDING-**

DOOR B- CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENTS

DOOR C- FIBER AND RIGIDS RECYCLING

DOOR D- METAL RECYCLING, REFRIGERANT ITEMS

**HHW #15-** HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE BUILDING

**PLEASE READ AND FOLLOW ALL SIGNS! DRIVE SLOW AND PAY ATTENTION!**

