

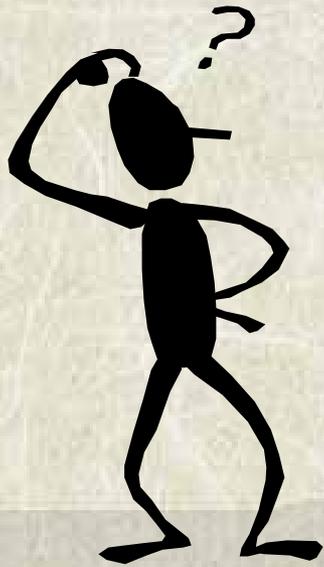


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SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANS



Why are SWMP's important?
and

How do I get it over with?

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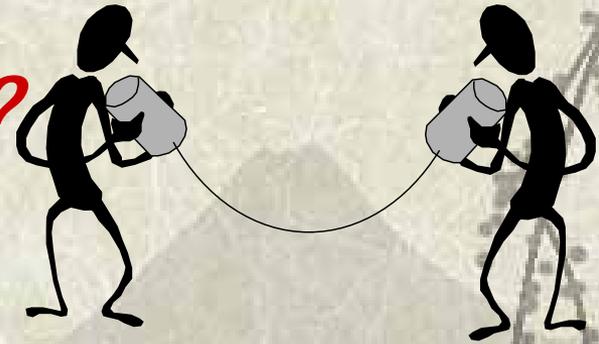
KDHE - BUREAU OF WASTE MANAGEMENT



WHY DO I HAVE TO DO THIS???

- ❖ Where have you been and where are you headed, what's working and what isn't???
- ❖ Are new programs successful in reducing waste volume?
- ❖ A current SWMP can allow grant money to become available to those that apply.
- ❖ SWMP's provide KDHE information that can be used to help other counties/regions as well as make your program better.

HOW DO I GET STARTED?



Meet with the members of the
Solid Waste Committee/Co. Commission.

Discuss.....

- ❖ Current waste management practices
- ❖ Future ideas, needed materials/\$\$\$
- ❖ What changes have taken place since the last 5 year SWMP was written?
- ❖ Discuss plan with various planning agencies for consistency with other plans.



FUTURE WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANS/PROGRAMS (TIMELINE)

E-Waste

Composting

Special Waste

C&D

HHW

Recycling

Yard Waste

White Goods

MSW

Disaster waste

etc. etc. etc. etc. etc. etc.

NUMBERS, NUMBERS, NUMBERS!!!!

County/ Region

Population

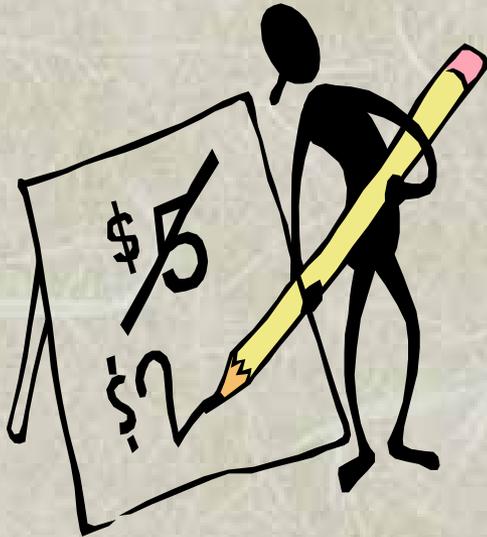
Industry

Growth patterns

Waste Management Funding

Solid Waste Generated....

residential / commercial / special



Recycled / Disposed

Compost/HHW/E-waste...

WASTE COLLECTION AND CHARACTERIZATION

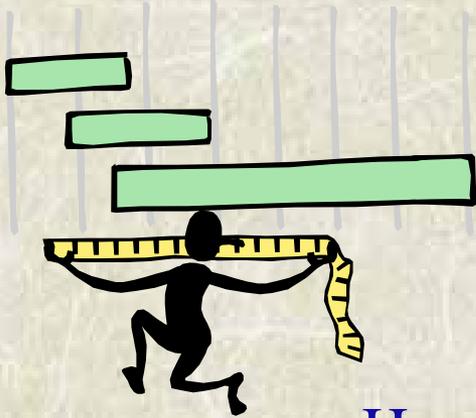


Whose hauling waste and where's it going?

If you have a landfill; what is the life expectancy, plan for post-closure? 5-10+ year plan?

What waste types make up the highest volume of waste disposed at your landfill or is brought to the transfer station?

Can a reduction in waste be made with recycling, HHW, etc.?



WASTE REDUCTION STRATEGIES

Has your county/region incorporated any new waste reduction strategies into you SWMP?

What were those strategies that were implemented?

HHW, composting, E-Waste,

How was the public informed/educated about your new programs?

LAST BUT NOT LEAST

- ❖ Update SWM Committee list

- ❖ Conduct public hearing

Hearing must be conducted between 15-30 days after public notice is posted

- ❖ SWMP must be adopted by commission

- ❖ Are you part of a region? If yes, what advantages/disadvantages can you identify? Obstacles involved?



Need A Hand??

If you have any questions or comments please contact....

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