



May 24, 2023

To: Customers of Black Hawk County Landfill
From: John Foster, Administrator
Subject: Notice of Changes to Landfill Rates for July 1, 2023

The Black Hawk County Solid Waste Management Commission, the public owner of the Black Hawk County Landfill, approved at its April 27th meeting amended the attached rates for Fiscal Year 2024 (July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024). **This increase is due to an increase in the Iowa Department of Natural Resources imposed Tonnage Tax because of a change in the Planning Area diversion rate.**

Beginning July 1, 2023, the notable changes are the landfill tipping fee will increase to \$43.00 per ton and \$45.00 per ton for yard waste. All wastes which are subject to this tax was increased to reflect this change.

Enclosed, and posted at www.Wastetrac.org, is a copy of the Customer Pricing Schedule which will be effective as of July 1, 2023. Any changes from this amendment are highlighted in red.

This rate change is determined by IDNR as part of the Iowa Northern Region Council of Governments Solid Waste Comprehensive Plan Update. The Planning Area diversion rate went from 51.53% in 2015 to 44.12% in 2020. This report, along with the calculation, can be found at INRCOG.org.

Any questions can be directed to the Administrator for the Commission at jfoster@wastetrac.org or call (319) 234-8115.



EFFECTIVE: July 1, 2023 Customer Pricing Schedule

Black Hawk County Sanitary Landfill

1509 E. Washburn Road
 Waterloo, Iowa 50701
 (319) 296-2524
 (319) 296-1780 fax

Landfill Fees

Regular garbage and trash	\$ 43.00/ton
Minimum at Small Loads	\$ 15.00 – 1 st 700 lbs. then goes up
Mixed loads, Garbage and yard waste [^]	\$ 86.00/ton
Contaminated Soil ^{^*}	\$ 40.00/ton
Contaminated Soil Direct Bury ^{^*}	\$ 50.00/ton
Non-Friable Asbestos ^{^*}	\$ 48.00/ton
Friable Asbestos ^{^*}	\$ 75.00/ton
Industrial Special Wastes [^]	\$ 43.00 and up
Banned Item Removal Surcharge	\$ 50.00 each plus disposal fee

Composting Fees

Yard Waste	\$ 45.00/ton
Minimum Load	\$ 15.00 – 1 st 660 lbs. then goes up
Yard Waste, plastic bagged	\$ 90.00/ton
Stumps & Trees (Larger than 4" dia.)	\$ 49.00/ton

Recycling Fees

Appliances - includes light fixtures	\$ 15.00 each plus wt.
Damaged Appliances	\$ 25.00 each plus wt.
Appliances Small Commercial	\$ 30.00 each plus wt.
Appliances Large Commercial	\$ 776.00/ton
Tires – Auto & Light Truck	\$ 4.00 each plus wt.
Tires – Large Truck Tires	\$ 10.00 each plus wt.
Bulk Tires Recycling Fee	\$ 250.00/ton

[^] 1 ton minimum charged for item

* Fees double for material received outside service area