

#### Dear Commercial Business,

Thank you for completing this survey. The information you provide for your company is crucial to monitoring the Ross, Pickaway, Highland, Fayette (RPHF) Solid Waste Management District's progress towards achieving Ohio's recycling goals. In 2015, RPHF's commercial/residential waste reduction and recycling rate was 22%.

Your information will be combined with information submitted by other businesses and used to calculate the amount of material commercial businesses recycled in the Ross, Pickaway, Highland, Fayette Solid Waste Management District and Ohio in 2017. Your company's survey response <u>will not</u> be reported individually; all data will be summarized by the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) category.

For assistance completing this form or any questions related to the survey, please contact Tom Davis, the Ross, Pickaway, Highland, Fayette Solid Waste Management District's Coordinator, at tdavis@pickaway.org or (740) 420-5452.

Please complete and submit this survey no later than 4/13/2018.

# **Options for Returning the Completed Survey**

- Email directly to: Tom Davis at <a href="mailto:tdavis@pickaway.org">tdavis@pickaway.org</a>, Subject Line: 2017 Commercial Survey
- Fax to: (740) 420-5455, Attention: Tom Davis
- Mail to: RPHF SWD, Tom Davis at 141 West Main Street, Suite 400, Circleville, Ohio 43113

#### **Instructions for Table A:**

Please provide all information requested in *Table A* below. Even if your business does not currently recycle or is unable to report quantities of materials recycled, please complete *Table A*. Doing so will allow the Ross, Pickaway, Highland, Fayette Solid Waste Management District to contact you in the future to discuss your recycling needs.

Table A: Company Information					
Name:		County:		Store I.D.	
Address:		City:	City: Zip:		
Contact Person:		Title:	Title:		
Email:		Telephone	Telephone Number (include area code): ( ) —		
Primary NAICS:	Secondary NAICS:		Number of full-	Number of full-time employees:	
Would you like to be conta	cted by your local solid waste man	agement distri	ict for recycling assis	tance? Yes No	

# **Instructions for completing Table B:**

**Table B** provides a list of common materials that are recycled by commercial businesses in Ohio. Please indicate the unit of each quantity of material that is reported (pounds, tons or cubic yards). Provide any comments related to each material as necessary. Please do not report any liquid waste, hazardous waste or construction & demolition debris.

The list in *Table B* is not all-inclusive. If your business recycles a material that is not listed in *Table B*, please enter the name and quantity of that material on a line labeled "Other." Some materials may not apply to your operation. Some of the listed materials are broad categories. For example, "Plastics" includes plastics #1-7, plastic films etc. Please refer to the "Materials Cheat Sheet" attached to this document for examples of materials and definitions.

If you do not currently track this information internally, your solid waste hauler or recycling processor may be able to provide it upon request. The Ross, Pickaway, Highland, Fayette Solid Waste Management District may also be able to provide you with assistance.

Recyclable Material Category 201  Lead-Acid Batteries  Food Glass Ferrous Metals	ed in	Name of hauler or processor that takes the material/ othe Comments
Food Glass	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Glass		
	☐ Ihs ☐tons ☐ vd³	
Ferrous Metals		
	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Non-Ferrous Metals	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Corrugated Cardboard	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
All Other Paper	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Plastics	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Textiles	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Wood	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Rubber	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Commingled Recyclables	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Yard Waste	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
Other:	☐ lbs. ☐tons ☐ yd³	
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Thank you again for taking the time to complete this survey. Please contact Tom Davis with any questions.

Tom Davis, Coordinator

Ross, Pickaway, Highland, Fayette Solid Waste Management District

Phone: (740) 420-5452 Email: <u>tdavis@pickaway.org</u>

# **Materials Cheat Sheet**

#### Food

- Compostable food waste
- Food donations

#### Glass

- Bottles (any color)
- Jars

#### **Ferrous Metals**

- Mild Steel
- Carbon Steel
- Stainless Steel
- Cast Iron
- Wrought Iron

# **Non-Ferrous Metals**

- Aluminum
- Copper
- Brass
- Silver
- Lead
- Misc. Scrap Metals

# **All Other Paper**

- Office paper
- Paperboard
- Newspapers
- Folders
- Telephone Books
- Magazines
- Catalogs
- Junk Mail

#### **Plastics**

- Plastics #1-7
- Plastic Bottles
- Plastic Jugs
- Shrink Wrap
- Plastic Films
- Coat Hangers

# **Textiles**

- Fabrics
- Clothes
- Carpet

#### Wood

- Bark
- Woodchips
- Sawdust
- Scrap Wood
- Shipping Pallets
- Boards

### **Commingled Recyclables**

 This is a mix of several different materials that are placed into one container and hauled for recycling. It can include all or a combination of the materials listed above.

# Examples of materials that fall under "Other"

- Appliances
- Household Hazardous Waste
- Used Motor Oil
- Electronics
- Scrap Tires
- Dry Cell Batteries
- Any other solid waste that is recycled at your facility

**Estimating recycling tonnages** – if you are not able to obtain exact tonnages of materials recycled, there are numerous ways to estimate the amount of material recycled in any given year. Below are some common conversion factors that may assist you with your estimations:

Material Type	Density (lb/cu yd)	
Mixed Paper Recycling	484	
Bottles and Cans	200	
Single Stream Recycling	139	
Cardboard	100	

- (size of container (in cubic yards) X number of collections per month X 12) X density (see table above) = Total Pounds per Year
- 2,000 pounds = 1 ton

For more assistance, contact your solid waste management district.