

# Columbia County

## (Jan. 1, 2000 - Dec. 31, 2000)

1. Population <sup>1</sup> 56,513

2. MSW Management (tons) <sup>2</sup>

A. Landfilled	59,287
B. Combusted	0
C. Recycled	18,624
D. Total	77,911
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day <sup>1</sup>	7.55

3. MSW Collected & Recycled

A. Minimum Five Wastes <sup>3</sup>	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
1. Newspaper	3,925	16
2. Glass	2,355	3
3. Aluminum Cans	785	22
4. Plastic Bottles	1,570	2
5. Steel Cans	785	0

B. Special Wastes <sup>5</sup>	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
1. C&D Debris	9,806	0
2. Yard Trash	2,333	0
3. White Goods	140	100
4. Tires	236	0
5. Process Fuel	0	0

C. Other Wastes 55,976 31

D. Total Recycling Rate (%) 24

E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%) <sup>5,6</sup> 24

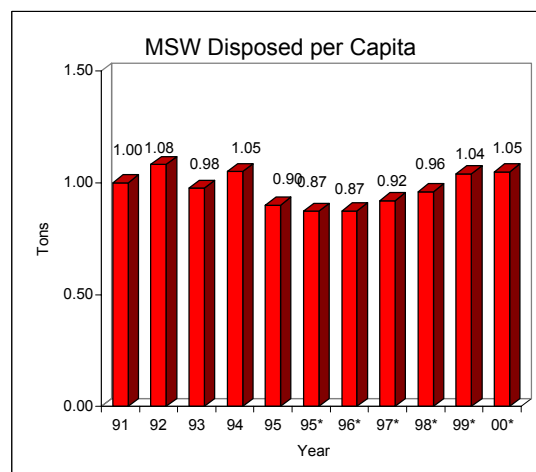
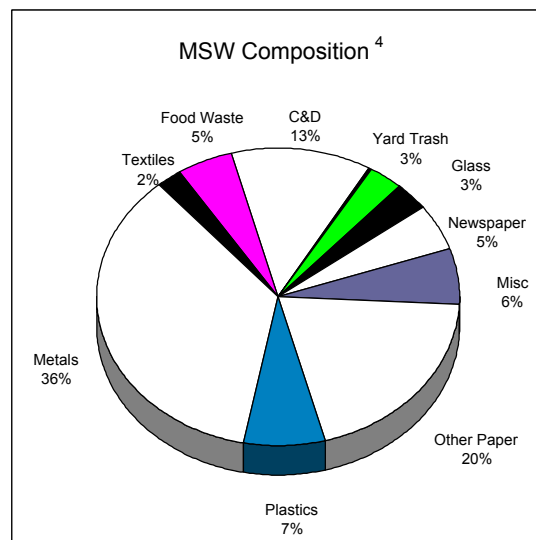
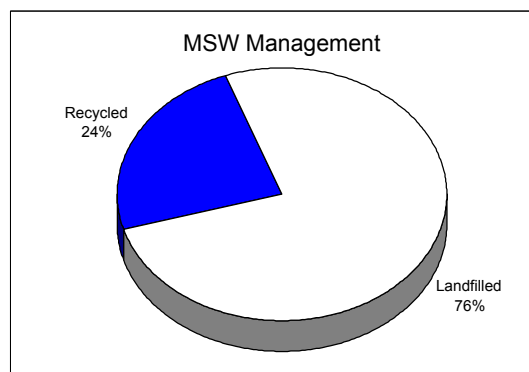
F. Waste Reduction Per Capita (%)

(A negative number indicates an increase in the MSW disposal rate per capita.)

1. Base Year: July 1988-June 1989	-2
2. Base Year: July 1989-June 1990	-6
3. Base Year: July 1990-June 1991	-5
4. Base Year: July 1991-June 1992	3
5. Base Year: July 1992-June 1993	-8
6. Base Year: July 1993-June 1994	0

G. Participation in Recycling <sup>7</sup> Units Percent <sup>8</sup>

1. Single-family Curbside	19,712	9
2. Multi-family Curbside <sup>9</sup>	5,820	0
3. Commercial <sup>10</sup>	1,224	
a) Scheduled collection		0
b) On call collection		0



<sup>1</sup> Official 2000 Governor's Office estimate.

<sup>2</sup> From 2001 - 2002 Recycling and Education grant applications.

<sup>3</sup> The Legislature established a goal of 50 percent for each material by the end of 1994.

<sup>4</sup> Some materials have been combined: Metals include Aluminum Cans, Steel Cans, Ferrous and Non-ferrous metals, and White Goods; Other Paper includes Corrugated, Office and Other Paper; and Plastics include Plastic Bottles and Other Plastics.

<sup>5</sup> The total of Special Wastes can count towards no more than one half of the recycling goal for each county.

<sup>6</sup> The legislature established a goal of 30 percent by the end of 1994 for all counties with a population of over 75,000.

<sup>7</sup> Participation means availability and usage of recycling services (As of June 1999).

<sup>8</sup> Percentage of total county units (single/multi-family dwellings and commercial establishments) participating in recycling.

<sup>9</sup> Includes apartments, condominiums and others.

<sup>10</sup> May also include government and institutional.

\* Calendar year data.