

# Putnam County

## (Jan. 1, 1999 - Dec. 31, 1999)

1. Population <sup>1</sup> 72,883

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

A. Landfilled	56,064
B. Combusted	0
C. Recycled	34,769
D. Total	90,833
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day <sup>1</sup>	6.83

### 3. MSW Collected & Recycled

A. Minimum Five Wastes <sup>3</sup>	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
1. Newspaper	1,850	52
2. Glass	1,850	2
3. Aluminum Cans	925	18
4. Plastic Bottles	925	14
5. Steel Cans	12,025	81

B. Special Wastes <sup>5</sup>	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
1. C&D Debris	14,984	0
2. Yard Trash	13,874	51
3. White Goods	2,775	63
4. Tires	925	64
5. Process Fuel	0	0

C. Other Wastes 40,700 35

D. Total Recycling Rate(%) 38

E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%) <sup>5,6</sup> 38

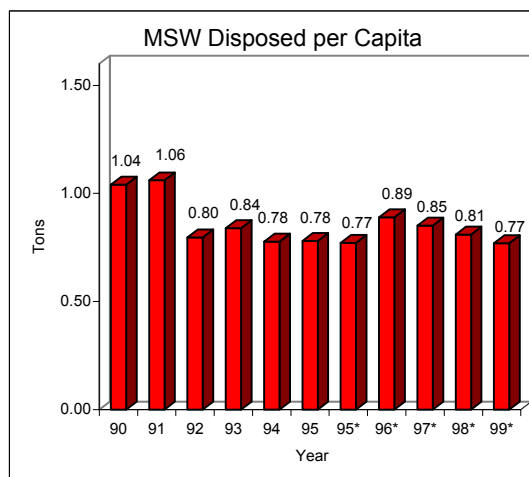
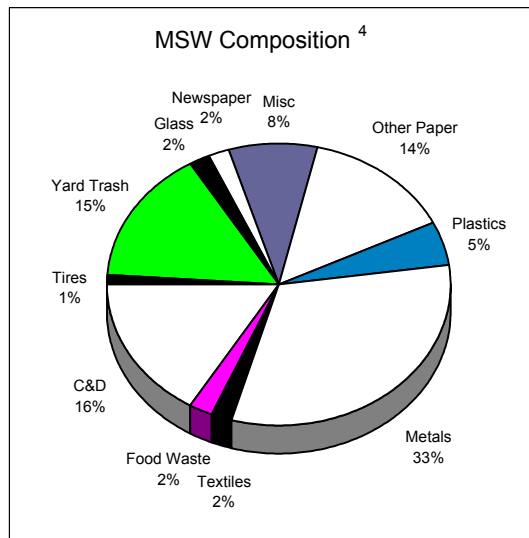
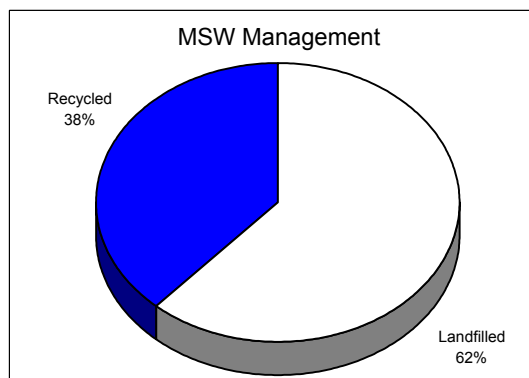
### F. Waste Reduction Per Capita (%)

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

1. Base Year: July 1988-June 1989	42
2. Base Year: July 1989-June 1990	26
3. Base Year: July 1990-June 1991	27
4. Base Year: July 1991-June 1992	3
5. Base Year: July 1992-June 1993	8
6. Base Year: July 1993-June 1994	1

### G. Participation in Recycling <sup>7</sup>

	Units	Percent <sup>8</sup>
1. Single-family Curbside	31,099	56
2. Multi-family Curbside <sup>9</sup>	384	71
3. Commercial <sup>10</sup>	1,158	
a) Scheduled collection		85
b) On call collection		85



<sup>1</sup> Official 1999 Governor's Office estimate.

<sup>2</sup> From 2000 - 2001 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.