

Sarasota County

(Jan. 1, 2002 - Dec. 31, 2002)

1. Population ¹ 339,684

2. MSW Management (tons) ²

A. Landfilled	391,885
B. Combusted	0
C. Recycled	244,224
D. Total	636,109
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day ¹	10.26

3. MSW Collected & Recycled

	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
A. Minimum Five Wastes ³		
1. Newspaper	51,988	56
2. Glass	37,835	56
3. Aluminum Cans	1,944	56
4. Plastic Bottles	2,369	56
5. Steel Cans	3,029	56

B. Other Recyclables

6. C&D Debris	213,834	3
7. Yard Trash	169,421	56
8. White Goods	2,416	56
9. Tires	1,209	56
10. Process Fuel	0	0

C. Other Wastes 152,064 57

D. Total Recycling Rate (%) 38

E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%) ⁵ 38

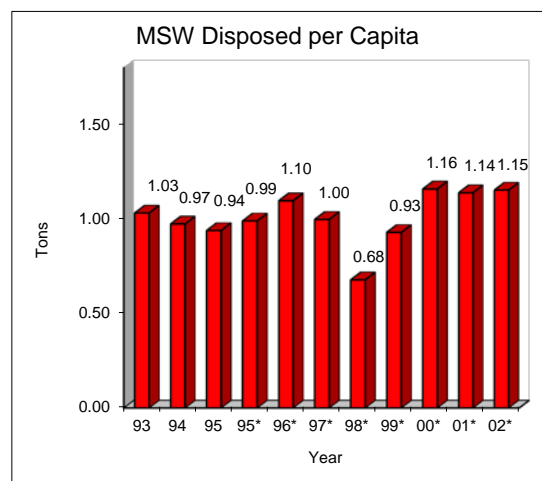
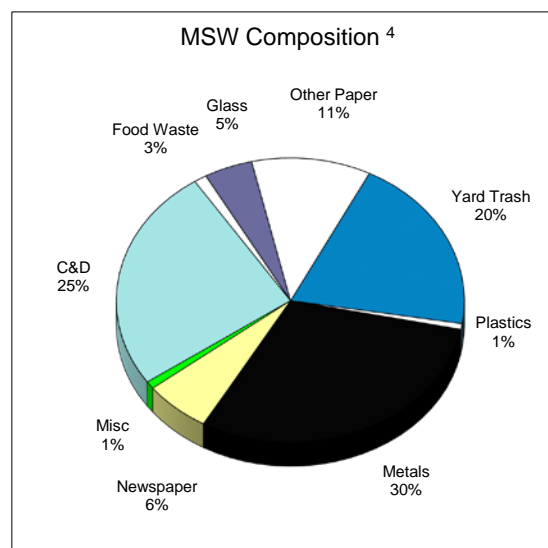
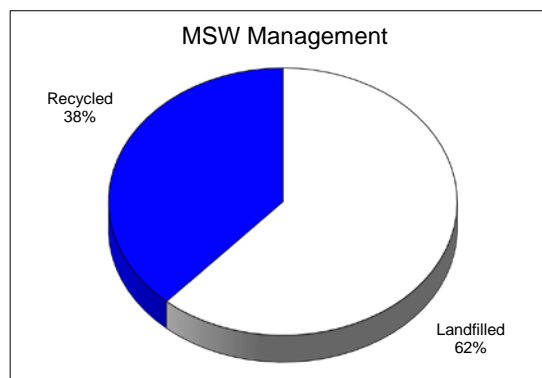
F. Waste Reduction Per Capita (%)

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

1. Base Year: July 1988-June 1989	32
2. Base Year: July 1989-June 1990	33
3. Base Year: July 1990-June 1991	26
4. Base Year: July 1991-June 1992	5
5. Base Year: July 1992-June 1993	-30
6. Base Year: July 1993-June 1994	-52

G. Participation in Recycling ⁶

	Units	Percent ⁷
1. Single-family Curbside	122,631	68
2. Multi-family Curbside ⁸	70,750	35
3. Commercial ⁹	28,560	
a) Scheduled collection		N/A
b) On call collection		N/A



¹ Official 2002 Governor's Office estimate.

² From 2002 Municipal Solid Waste Data Report.

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

⁴ 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.

⁵ The legislature established a goal of 30 percent by the end of 1994 for all counties with a population of over 75,000.

⁶ Participation means availability and usage of recycling services (As of June 1999).

⁷ Percentage of total county units (single/multi-family dwellings and commercial establishments) participating in recycling.

⁸ Includes apartments, condominiums and others.

⁹ May also include government and institutional.

* Calendar year data.