

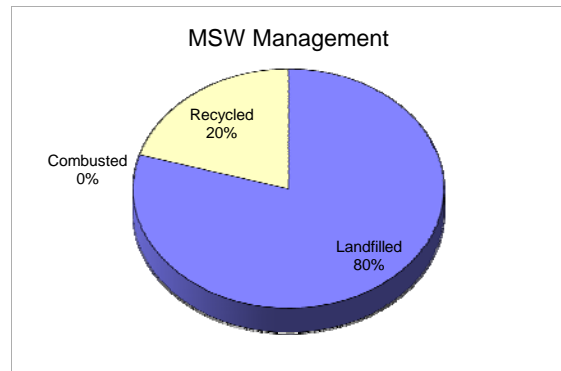
# Highlands

(Jan. 1, 2003 - Dec. 31, 2003)

1. Population<sup>1</sup> 90,393

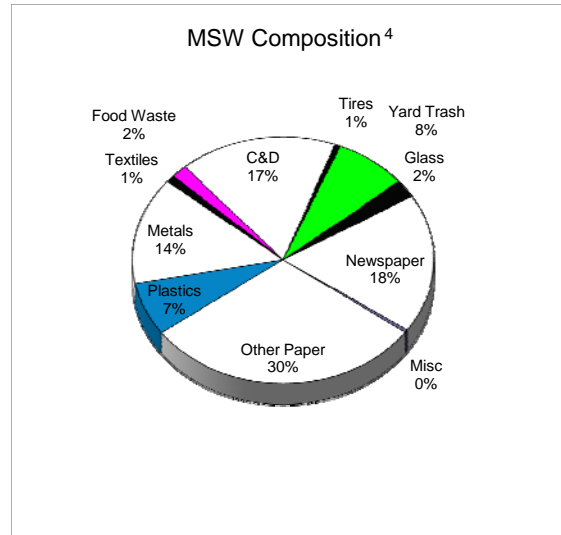
2. MSW Management (tons)<sup>2</sup>

|                                    |        |
|------------------------------------|--------|
| A. Landfilled                      | 78,487 |
| B. Combusted                       | 0      |
| C. Recycled                        | 20,147 |
| D. Total                           | 98,634 |
| E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day | 5.98   |



3. MSW Collected & Recycled

|                                | Collected (tons) | Recycled (%) |
|--------------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| A. Minimum 4 of 8 <sup>3</sup> |                  |              |
| 1. Newspaper                   | 18,027           | 14%          |
| 2. Glass                       | 2,347            | 0%           |
| 3. Aluminum Cans               | 2,831            | 4%           |
| 4. Plastic Bottles             | 1,494            | 0%           |
| 5. Steel Cans                  | 4,357            | 1%           |
| 6. Cardboard                   | 26,254           | 27%          |
| 7. Office Paper                | 983              | 17%          |
| 8. Yard Trash                  | 7,678            | 92%          |



B. Other Recyclables

|                  |        |     |
|------------------|--------|-----|
| 9. C&D Debris    | 16,592 | 4%  |
| 10. White Goods  | 596    | 30% |
| 11. Tires        | 587    | 73% |
| 12. Process Fuel | 0      | 0%  |

C. Other Wastes 16,888 20%

D. Total Recycling Rate (%) 20%

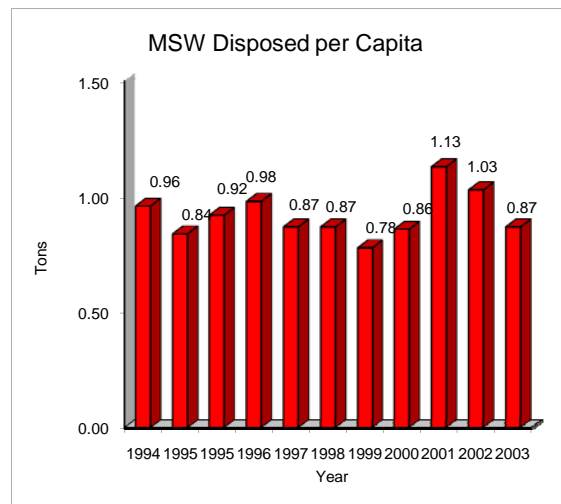
E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%)<sup>5</sup> 20%

F. % Change In Waste Reduction Per Capita from Year to Year  
(A negative number indicates an increase in the MSW disposal rate per capita.)

| Year | MSW tons per capita | % Change |
|------|---------------------|----------|
| 1998 | 0.87                | -1%      |
| 1999 | 0.78                | -10%     |
| 2000 | 0.86                | 10%      |
| 2001 | 1.13                | 30%      |
| 2002 | 1.03                | -9%      |
| 2003 | 0.87                | -16%     |

G. Participation in Recycling<sup>6</sup>

|                                       | Units  | Percent <sup>7</sup> |
|---------------------------------------|--------|----------------------|
| 1. Single-family Curbside             | 40,906 | 0%                   |
| 2. Multi-family Curbside <sup>8</sup> | 7,940  | 0%                   |
| 3. Commercial <sup>9</sup>            | 1,905  |                      |
| a) Scheduled collection               |        | 2.78%                |
| b) On call collection                 |        | 0%                   |



<sup>1</sup> Official 2003 Governor's Office estimate.

<sup>2</sup> From 2003 Municipal Solid Waste Data Report.

<sup>3</sup> Counties must recycle a significant portion for a minimum of 4 out of 8 of these materials.

<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 legislature established a goal of 30 percent for all counties with a population of over 100,000.

<sup>6</sup> Participation means availability and usage of recycling services.

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

<sup>8</sup> Includes apartments, condominiums and others.

<sup>9</sup> May also include government and institutional.

\* Calendar year data.