

Polk

(Jan. 1, 2005 - Dec. 31, 2005)

1. Population¹ 541,840

2. MSW Management (tons)²

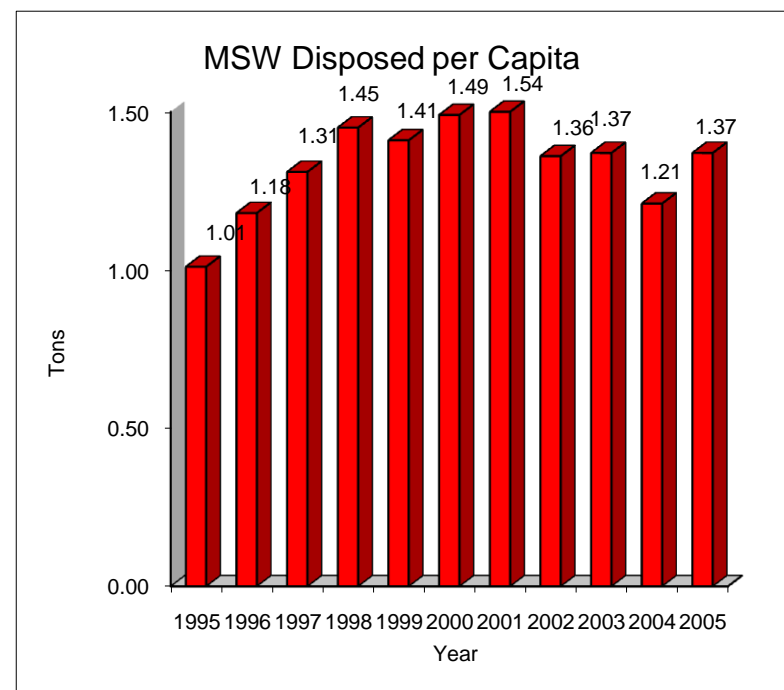
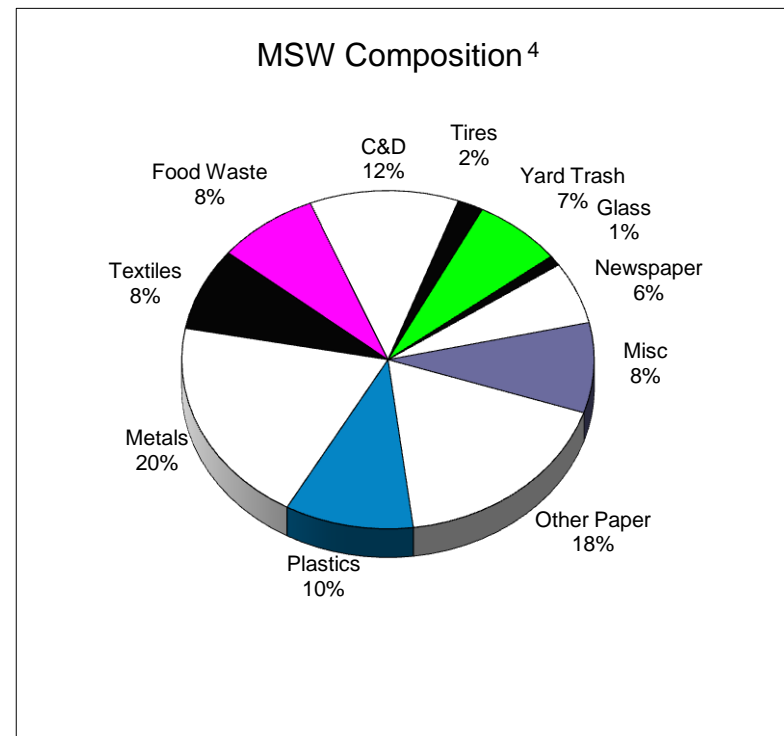
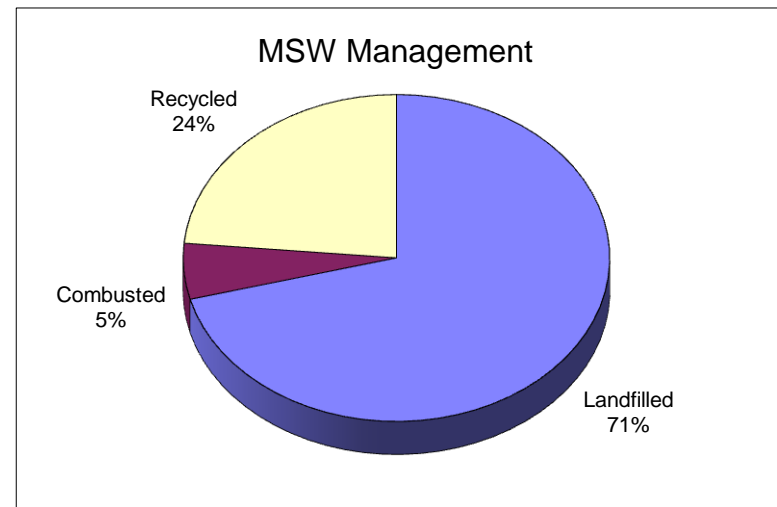
A. Landfilled	686,482
B. Combusted	53,380
C. Recycled	228,143
D. Total	968,005
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day	9.79

3. MSW Collected & Recycled	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
A. Minimum 4 of 8 ³		
1. Newspaper	57,539	17%
2. Glass	9,589	11%
3. Aluminum Cans	19,179	5%
4. Plastic Bottles	19,171	5%
5. Steel Cans	9,733	21%
6. Cardboard	87,488	47%
7. Office Paper	19,179	24%
8. Yard Trash	67,476	11%
B. Other Recyclables		
9. C&D Debris	113,436	0%
10. White Goods	47,949	30%
11. Tires	19,479	5%
12. Process Fuel	0	0%
C. Other Wastes	497,787	31%
D. Total Recycling Rate (%)		24%
E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%) ⁵		24%

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
2000	1.49	5%
2001	1.54	3%
2002	1.36	-12%
2003	1.37	0%
2004	1.21	-13%
2005	1.37	13%

G. Participation in Recycling ⁶	Units	Percent ⁷
1. Single-family Curbside	188,795	14%
2. Multi-family Curbside ⁸	33,902	0%
3. Commercial ⁹	16,438	
a) Scheduled collection		9.65%
b) On call collection		0%



1 Official 2005 Governor's Office estimate.

2 From 2005 Municipal Solid Waste Data Report.

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

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 for all counties with a population of over 100,000.

6 Participation means availability and usage of recycling services.

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.