



Washington County Recycling Program

It makes “cents” to recycle!

Below are the monthly and yearly totals for recycling collection in Washington County for 2008, 2009, and 2010. Washington County residents recycled over 900,000 lbs more in 2010 than in 2009. Residents also earned almost twice as much money from the sale of the recyclables collected in 2010 compared to 2009. This is due to the recovering recycling market that has occurred as the economy slowly recuperates from the recent recession.

Weight in Pounds of Recyclables

	2008	2009	2010
January		170,585	221,176
February		152,630	183,705
March		183,810	230,010
April		179,780	255,835
May		201,658	206,627
June		210,208	232,951
July		251,275	193,038
August		178,589	214,609
September		194,760	207,837
October	40,108	190,085	207,899
November	102,895	193,960	236,776
December	138,630	246,725	240,844
Total	281,633	1,723,295	2,631,307
Average	93,878	167,077	212,986

Money Earned in Dollars for Recyclables

	2008	2009	2010
January		\$1,493.91	\$5,994.30
February		\$1,383.05	\$6,362.14
March		\$2,253.46	\$6,166.70
April		\$2,267.19	\$7,093.07
May		\$2,224.03	\$6,122.44
June		\$2,392.66	\$5,897.50
July		\$2,833.40	\$4,523.57
August		\$3,434.43	\$5,266.24
September		\$3,772.97	\$5,135.89
October	\$1,001.13	\$4,467.70	\$5,598.93
November	\$1,387.95	\$5,094.12	\$5,870.41
December	\$1,784.05	\$5,656.48	\$6,509.58
TOTAL	\$4,173.13	\$39,282.40	\$72,550.77
AVERAGE	\$1,391.04	\$3,106.12	\$5,878.40