

Appendix F

Regulations Applicable to the Clark County Regional Solid Waste Management System

This table lists relevant regulations applicable to the Clark County Regional Solid Waste Management Systems. These are arranged in Federal, State & Local regulations.

Subject Area	Regulatory Agency(s)	Regulation	Summary	Electronic Link
Federal Regulations				
Clean Air	U.S. EPA	Clean Air Act	Regulates air pollutant emissions; establishing emissions standards for solid waste landfills.	http://www.epa.gov/oar/caa/
Clean Water	U.S. EPA	Clean Water Act	Regulates discharges to waters through: (a) the NPDES permit program and (b) pretreatment standards that regulate discharge to publicly owned waste water treatment facilities	http://www.epa.gov/lawsregs/laws/cwa.html
Clean Water	U.S. EPA	Safe Drinking Water Act	Sets maximum contaminant levels for drinking water supplies, including surface and groundwater sources	http://www.epa.gov/safewater/sdwa/index.html
Hazardous Waste	U.S. EPA	Universal Waste Rule	Streamlines regulation of certain hazardous wastes.	http://www.epa.gov/osw/laws-regs/regs-haz.htm
Hazardous Waste	U.S. Dept. of Labor	Hazardous Materials Transportation Act	Regulates the transportation of hazardous materials.	http://www.osha.gov/SLTC/trucking_industry/transportinghazardousmaterials.html
Hazardous Waste Management Act	U.S. EPA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act	The primary federal legislation addressing solid waste and hazardous waste management.	http://www.epa.gov/rcraonline/
Industrial Plant Sludge	U.S. EPA	40 CFR Part 503	Regulations and establishes classifications of sewage sludges	http://www.epa.gov/region6/water/npdes/biosolids/index.htm
Pesticides	U.S. EPA	Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA)	Regulates the manufacture, use, application and disposal of pesticides	http://www.epa.gov/agriculture/lfra.html
Superfund Amendments	U.S. EPA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA)	Establishes requirements related to emergency planning notification, emergency release notification and reporting of chemical releases by industry for community right to know information.	http://www.epa.gov/superfund/policy/sara.htm
Superfund Cleanup Sites	U.S. EPA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation & Liability Act (CERCLA)	Also known as Superfund, provides for the cleanup of sites contaminated by hazardous waste.	http://www.epa.gov/superfund/policy/cercla.htm

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Superfund sites	U.S. EPA	--	List of Superfund sites	http://cfpub.epa.gov/supercpad/cursites/srcsites.cfm
Toxic Substances	U.S. EPA	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)	Regulates the manufacture, distribution, use, processing and disposal of chemical substances	http://www.epa.gov/agriculture/lsc.html
State Regulations				
Ash from MSW incineration	Dept. of Ecology	RCW 70.138	Regulates ash from MSW incineration	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=70.138
Fees on solid waste collection	Dept. of Ecology	RCW 36.58; 36.58A	Authority to counties to generate revenue on solid waste collection	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/rcw/default.aspx?cite=36.58
Hazardous & Dangerous Waste	Dept. of Ecology	WAC 173.303	Regulates the transportation, treatment, storage and disposal of hazardous and dangerous waste.	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-303
Hazardous Waste	Dept. of Ecology	RCW 70.105.220	Hazardous Waste Management Act requires local governments to prepare and implement local hazardous waste management plans & establish programs to manage moderate risk waste	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=70.105
Hazardous Waste	Dept. of Ecology	RCW 70.105D	Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA) provides for the identification and cleanup of hazardous sites in Washington State.	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=70.105D
Small Quantity Generators	Dept. of Ecology	n/a	Searchable database for several different type of hazardous waste handling facilities located in Clark County	http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/hwtr/hwfacilities/
Solid Waste Handling Facilities	Dept. of Ecology	WAC 173.304	Regulations for solid waste handling facilities that were existing prior to 2/10/03	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-304
Municipal Solid Waste Landfills	Dept. of Ecology	WAC 173-351	Criteria for municipal solid waste landfills	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-351
Solid Waste Handling Facilities	Dept. of Ecology	WAC 173.350	Regulations for solid waste handling facilities permitted after 2/10/03	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-350
Solid Waste Management Plan	Dept. of Ecology	RCW 70.95	Washington Solid Waste Management, Reduction and Recycling Act requires counties to prepare and review (at least every five years) a Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=70.95
Solid Waste Management Plan	Dept. of Ecology	Ecology's Guidelines for the Development of Local Solid Waste Management Plans and Plan Revisions	Guidelines for the preparation of local solid waste management plans	https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/publications/publications/1007005.pdf
State's Solid Waste Management Plan	Dept. of Ecology	Beyond Waste Plan	State of Washington's Solid Waste Management Plan	http://www.ecy.wa.gov/beyondwaste/
Used Oil	Dept. of Ecology	Used Oil Recycling Act	Requires local hazardous waste management plans to include a used oil recycling element.	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=70.95I

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Wa. State Recycling Goal	Dept. of Ecology	RCW 70.95.010	State's goal of a statewide recycling rate of 50%	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=70.95.010
Washington Contaminated Sites List	Dept. of Ecology	--	List of "Confirmed and Suspected Contaminated Sites List" in Washington State	http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites_brochure/SiteLists_CSCSinstr.htm
Water Quality from solid waste facilities	Dept. of Ecology	WAC 173.216; 173.220; 173.240	State waste discharge permit program; NPDES permit program; plans for construction of water facilities	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=173
Contracting for solid waste services	Dept. of Ecology & WUTC	RCW 36.58; 35.21; 35A.21; 81.77	Regulates how cities and counties contract for solid waste services and how they generate revenues to fund solid waste management activities	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/rcw/
Annexation of franchised areas	WUTC	RCW 35.02.160	Provides for the orderly cancellation or acquisition of franchises in territories that have been annexed into cities	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=35.02.160
Collection & transport of recyclable materials	WUTC	RCW 81.80	Collection and transport of recyclable materials from nonresidential generators is regulated by WUTC	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=81.80
Solid waste collection activities	WUTC	RCW 81.77	Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission regulates the collection of solid waste and the source separated recyclables from residences if the local government does not contract for this service	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=81.77
Solid waste collection activities	WUTC	WAC 480.70	Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission regulates the collection of solid waste	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=480-70
Oregon's Recycling Requirements	OR Dept. of Environmental Quality	ORS 459A	As Clark County uses a solid waste disposal facility located in Oregon, we must meet the applicable Oregon recycling requirements	http://www.deq.state.or.us/regulations/statutes.htm
Oregon's Solid Waste Management	OR Dept. of Environmental Quality	OAR 340-93	Regulates solid waste in the State of Oregon	http://arcweb.sos.state.or.us/pages/rules/oars_300/oar_340/340_093.html
Air Pollution	Southwest Clean Air Agency	WAC 173.400	General regulations for air pollution sources	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-400
Outdoor burning	Southwest Clean Air Agency	WAC 173.425	Prohibits outdoor burning in certain areas	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-425
Asbestos Disposal	Southwest Clean Air Agency	RCW 49.26	Regulates the handling and disposal of asbestos	http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=49.26&full=true
Poisons	Washington Poison Center	n/a	Information on poisons and prevention	http://www.wapc.org/

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Local Regulations				
Solid Waste Advisory Commission	Clark County	Chapter 24.16	Clark County Ordinance forming the Clark County's Solid Waste Advisory Commission (SWAC)	http://www.codepublishing.com/wa/clarkcounty.html
Solid Waste Disposal	Clark County	Chapter 9.32	Regulation for County designated transfer stations; removal of recyclables from containers & litter control	http://www.codepublishing.com/wa/clarkcounty.html
Solid Waste Management	Clark County	Chapter 24.12	Regulates and control solid waste management within Clark County	http://www.codepublishing.com/wa/clarkcounty.html
Solid Waste Zoning Permits	Clark County	Chapter 40.260.200	Regulates premises utilized for solid waste handling and/or disposal facilities.	http://www.codepublishing.com/wa/clarkcounty.html
Shoreline Master Program	Clark County	Chapter 40.460	Governs activities on and near lakes, streams, and rivers	http://www.cityofvancouver.us/ced/page/environmental-planning-0
Refuse dumping	City of Battle Ground	Title 8.04	Prohibits dumping of refuse in the City of Battle Ground.	http://www.mrsc.org/mc/battleground/battlgr08/battlgr0804.html
Refuse Collection and Disposal	City of Camas	Chapter 13 Division III	Regulates garbage collection and disposal in the City of Camas.	http://library.municode.com/index.aspx?clientId=16241
Solid Waste Plan	City of La Center	Chapter 8.35	Provides for the adoption of the solid waste management plan.	http://www.codepublishing.com/wa/lacenter/
Litter Control	City of La Center	Chapter 8.40	Adopts by reference the State's Waste Reduction, Recycling and Model Litter Control Act	http://www.codepublishing.com/wa/lacenter/
Solid Waste & Recycling	City of Ridgefield	Chapter 8	Regulates debris, garbage collection, recyclables collection & litter in the City of Ridgefield.	http://library.municode.com/index.aspx?clientId=16582
Recyclable Materials	City of Vancouver	Chapter 5.62	Regulates the collection of recyclable materials.	http://www.cityofvancouver.us/MunicipalCode.asp?menuid=10462&submenuID=10478&title=title_5&chapter=62&VMC=index.html
Garbage Disposal	City of Vancouver	Chapter 6.12	Regulates garbage disposal in the City of Vancouver.	http://www.cityofvancouver.us/MunicipalCode.asp?menuid=10462&submenuID=10478&title=title_6&chapter=12&VMC=index.html
Zoning of Solid Waste Facilities	City of Washougal	Title 18	Regulates premises utilized for solid waste handling and/or disposal facilities.	http://www.mrsc.org/wa/washougal/index_d_tsearch.html
Regulated Waste	City of Washougal	Title 16	Regulates the handling of hazardous and dangerous waste.	http://www.mrsc.org/wa/washougal/index_d_tsearch.html
Health & Sanitation	City of Washougal	Title 7	Regulates garbage and recycling collection.	http://www.mrsc.org/wa/washougal/index_d_tsearch.html