Wythe County

Trash Collection and Recycling Center Service

Request for Proposal

Wythe County Board of Supervisors

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I. Instruction to Bidders

A. Proposal Submittal

The Wythe County Board of Supervisors shall receive sealed Proposals, that will provide solid waste collection services for a 5year period, until 2:00 p.m. on Friday, March 29, 2019 at the Wythe County Administration Building; whereas, the bids shall be opened publicly. The bids must be clearly marked Proposals for Solid Waste Collection Services. The address for submitting bids is 340 South Sixth Street, Wytheville, Va. 24382. Proposals received after 2:00 p.m. local prevailing time shall not be accepted. Each bid shall include a bid bond in the amount equal to 5% of year one's bid price.

B. Bid Proposal – Solid Waste Collection Services

- 1. The bidder shall provide a guaranteed five-year bid price to service each convenience center to include labor, disposal, transportation, maintenance, repair, and complete operation cost for the twelve facilities owned by the Wythe County Board of Supervisors.
- 2. The operation schedule as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 pm, Thursday and Sunday 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- 3. The following holiday closing schedule shall be observed; New Years Day, Easter Sunday, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. Additional days can be requested in writing at least 30 days prior to the date requested off. Emergency days will be granted as needed with the approval of the County Administrator.
- 4. At least one attendant manning each of the stations during hours of operation,
- 5. Removal and servicing of open top containers and compactors.
- 6. Directing customers to the proper container(s), assisting the elderly and handicap customers,
- 7. Providing day to day maintenance of the facility to include mowing, painting, repairs of open top, recycling and compactor equipment, electrical bill, phone bill, porta toilets, grading to include addition of stone, snow removal, coordinating removal of recyclables, white goods, tires, etc.
- 8. The bidder shall also maintain accurate documentation of the types of goods that are collected and where they are disposed of and the disposal cost associated with each material. The break down shall consist of the minimum: refuse, plastic, paper, cardboard, white goods/metal, copper, and aluminum.
- The bidder shall also maintain accurate documentation as to the maintenance performed and the cost of repairs that is made at each site. These documents will be forwarded to the county representative on a monthly basis.

10. The list of site as as follows:

Apple House
Austinville
Barren Springs
Fort Chiswell
Ivanhoe
Max Meadows
Pump Hollow
Route 52
Rural Retreat
Slate Spring
Speedwell
Kents Lane

C. Site Inspection

Before submitting a proposal, each BIDDER is encouraged to review the equipment and operations at an existing Wythe County Convenience Center. Accompanied visits to the centers can be scheduled by contacting Billy Bowers by phone (276) 223-6119 or by email at wbbowers@wytheco.org. A pre-bid conference will be held at 2:00 p.m. on February 22, 2019 at the Wythe County Administration Building.

D. Prices

The bidder shall submit unit prices as indicated on the Bid Form. The quantities listed on the Bid Form are for the purposes of comparison and evaluation of the bids. The County reserves the right to reject any and all proposals that do not conform to the bid request. The contractor shall provide prices based on a base price for diesel of \$4.00 per gallon. A fuel adjustment factor shall be included in any contract awarded by the County as detailed in Section K.

The bidder shall submit prices based on disposal of refuse at the Wythe Bland Joint Public Service Authority. The bidder may submit, as Proposal Alternative #1, for disposal at an alternative location. The Alternative Proposal shall state location that refuse will be taken and the per ton price. The Wythe Bland Joint Public Service Authority Transfer Station fee is currently set at \$52.00/ ton. If the Wythe Bland PSA transfer station fee is changed, then the contract will be revised and changed to reflect the new waste disposal fee.

Payment for the disposal of the refuse shall be made by the County directly to the transfer station and the balance owed, based on monthly bid, will be paid to the contractor.

The contractor shall retain any monies collected as a result of the recycling operations.

Should the minimum wage rate be changed, then the contractor can at that time request in writing for the contract to be reopened for negotiation with the intent on making sure that all contract employees are paid according to the new minimum wage rates.

E. Withdrawal of Bids

Bid proposals may be withdrawn by a written request that is received prior to the bid opening. After bids are opened, proposals may not be withdrawn except by the procedure outlined in the Code of Virginia.

F. Pre-Award Cost

The request for Bid Proposal does not commit the County to pay any cost incurred or associated with the development, preparation, and/or presentation of the proposal submitted by the bidder. All cost incurred by the bidder in responding to the RFP are the responsibility of the bidder.

G. Rejection of Bids

Wythe County reserves the right to reject any proposal if investigation of the bidder fails to satisfy the County that such a bidder is properly qualified to carry out the obligations and to complete the work contemplated therein. A Bid Proposal considered irregular may be rejected if it shows serious omissions, alterations to the bid form, additions not called for, conditions or unauthorized alterations, or irregularities of any kind. The County reserves the rights to reject any or all proposals for any reason it deems necessary. The County also reserves the right to waive any informality and/or technical errors that may be deemed necessary for the best interest of the County.

H. Insurance

The successful bidder shall provide a copy of their Worker's Compensation, Automobile Public Liability and Property Damage and General Liability insurance policies. The successful bidder shall provide and maintain insurance in the amount of \$2,000,000. The successful bidder shall provide the County a certificate of insurance or other evidence as required, which

show the insurance is in force and which requires that the County be notified of cancellation. The County shall be named as coinsured on the policy. The contract can be cancelled due to failure to maintain insurance policy.

I. Information not guaranteed

Information provided in the Request for Proposals relating to existing conditions is from the best information available. All such information on existing conditions is furnished only for the information and convenience of the bidder, and the bidder should use his/her own judgement and prerogatives in evaluating, checking, and verifying the information provided. The County shall make no guarantees and representations that the current convenience center operations will correspond to the proposed center in volume or operation.

J. Right to Inspect

The County reserves the right to inspect the proposed equipment that will be utilized by the vendor to service the sites prior to awarding the bid.

K. Fuel Adjustment Factor

A fuel adjustment factor shall be included in the contract. Contractor shall use a base price for diesel of \$4.00 per gallon. The average monthly diesel price at the Flying J will be collected by the contractor and presented to the County on a monthly basis. The adjustment factor may be either a negative or positive and shall be calculated as follows:

A = Base diesel fuel price

B = Five (5) miles per gallon

C = Total miles driven

D = Average monthly diesel price at Flying J – Exit 77

Monthly Surcharge = (C/B)(D-A)

II. GENERAL SPECIFICATION

A. Background

The Wythe County Board of Supervisors provides trash disposal sites throughout the County. The County population according to the 2010 census figures is approximately 29,235. The current 5-year average yearly disposal tonnage is 9329.38. The average 5-year annual recycling tonnage is 756.13. The average number of tires is 7,257 per year.

Wythe County, Virginia Summary of Recycling Center Pulls for 2018

	Pull Count		Tons Pulle	d	Billable Mi	les	Total Pull	Total Tons
	Compactor	Open Top	Compactor	Open Top	Compactor	Open Top	Count	Pulled
Jan	52	94	488.89	212.14	1128	1672	146	701.03
Feb	46	88	452.4	228.93	1034	1583	134	681.33
Mar	45	104	447.51	256.94	962	1907	149	704.45
Apr	51	129	536.02	335.92	1134	2368	180	871.94
May	47	132	490.55	364.01	1008	2475	179	854.56
Jun	52	133	546.19	347.14	1148	2474	185	893.33
Jul	52	125	559.92	322.46	1116	2347	177	882.38
Aug	51	108	554.25	288.35	1124	2047	159	842.6
Sep	46	86	493.47	247.93	1010	1690	132	741.4
Oct	51	87	536.55	259.44	1142	1615	138	795.99
Nov	51	83	513.28	228.59	1082	1699	134	741.87
Dec	55	71	508.94	176.68	1230	1390	126	685.62
Grand Total	5 599	1240	6,127.97	3,268.53	13118	23267	1839	9,396.50

B. Scope of Services

The successful bidder(s) shall provide equipment and/or provide equipment and perform all activities as specified in the instruction to bidders. The successful bidder(s) will furnish all labor, equipment and materials to provide the proposed service options, in compliance with all federal, state and local laws, ordinances and regulations, including the rules, regulations and guidelines promulgated and adopted by the EPA, state and local agencies and in accordance with the General Specifications and Instructions to Bidders of this RFP.

1. General

The successful bidder agrees to furnish all labor, equipment and materials necessary to complete the work.

a. Technical Qualifications

At a minimum, the Proposal should include the following information:

- Include a description of services to be provided which demonstrates an understanding of the scope of services necessary. This description should include all requirements necessary to provide the services bid.
- ii. Demonstrates that the bidder has the necessary qualifications licenses and permits, and at least three (3) years experience for the bid specified. If subcontractors are proposed, they must be identified.
- iii. A list of any complaints made against the company in the last (3) years.
- iv. A list of references. The list shall include the following information:
 - Name and address
 - Telephone number
 - Years and amount of contracts
 - Type of service provided

C. Organizational Qualifications

At a minimum, the Proposal shall include the following information:

- i. A list of key personnel who will be involved in the operation and management of the proposed project(s). Resumes of each person may be included.
- ii. Additional services that may be required but not included in the request for Bid Proposal.
- iii. A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid for the first year.
- iv. A list of equipment the bidder shall have to perform the work.

The bidder agrees to furnish all labor, equipment and materials necessary to successfully provide the level of services the Wythe County Board of Supervisors deem necessary to service the equipment as listed.

D. No Assignment of Subletting

Neither the contract nor any of the payments to become due under it shall be assigned in whole or in part by the Contractor, nor shall any part of the work by sublet by the contractor, without the prior written consent of the Owner, and such consent shall not relieve the Contractor from full responsibility and liability for the work and for the due performance of all terms and condition of the contract.

E. Nondiscrimination

The Contractor shall not discriminate against any person because of race, sex, age, creed, color, religion or national origin.

F. Indemnity

The Contractor will indemnify and save harmless the Wythe County Board of Supervisors, its officers, agents, servants, and employees from and against any and all suits, actions, legal proceedings, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses, and attorney's fees to the extent resulting from a willful or negligent act or omission of the Contractor, its officers, agents, servants, and employees in the performance of the contract; provided, however, that the Contractor shall not be liable for any suits, actions, legal proceedings, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses and attorneys' fees arising out of the award of the contract of a willful or negligent act or omission of the Wythe County Board of Supervisors, its officers, agents, servants and employees.

In addition to the liability imposed on the Contractor on account of damage to property or personal injury, including death, arising through operations under this contract, the Contractor agrees to indemnify the Owner against any expense, liability or payment damage for property or personal injury, including death and including injuries to the Contractor's employees, caused or in any manner arising from operations hereunder, including the use by the Contractor of equipment furnished by the Owner.

G. Licenses and Taxes

The Contractor shall obtain all licenses and permits (other than the license and permit granted by the contract) and promptly pay all taxes required by the federal, state, town and/or county authorities.

H. Performance Bond/Payment Bond/Bid Bond

The bidder shall provide a Bid Bond in an amount of 5% of the base bid for the first year of service. The Bid Bond may be in the form of an irrevocable letter of credit or cashier's check. The successful bidder shall provide a performance and payment bond in the amount of equal to three (3) months of service for the five-year contract period in the amount shown on the bid form or a callable letter of credit in the same amount to the owner as a guarantee of performance and payment. All Proposals must include a statement from a bonding company or financial institution of the bidder's capacity to furnish such security.

I. Contract Terms

All items included in this RFP must be included with the Proposal. The bidder must indicate that this RFP and the bidder's written material submitted in response will be included as part of the contract. All contracts between parties shall be governed by and enforced in accordance with laws of the State specified. The County shall draw up a contract, which shall be executed by the County and successful bidder.

J. Evaluation Criteria

All Proposals submitted on time will be reviewed and considered. Selection will be based upon, but not limited to, the following considerations:

Expertise of key project team
Prior experience of same type of project
Understanding of Scope of Work
Prior experience with local governments
Financial strength and track record
Cost factors
Additional services beyond Bid Form(s)

K. Penalties

The County shall have the right to bar any of the selected contractor's personnel from any convenience center for any reason. The selected contractor shall be obligated to remove roll off containers, compactors, recycling containers, white goods, tires, etc from any convenience center. The Contractor shall have four hours from the time of notice to remove the requested container or goods. After four hours, the County has the right to remove or have the goods removed at the contractor's expense. The cost shall be deducted from the Contractors next payment.

Definitions:

<u>Addenda</u> – Any written or graphic modification or interpretation of the RFP documents issued by the Wythe County Board of Supervisors prior to the proposal openings.

<u>Bid Proposal</u> – The bidder, applicant, person, firm, or corporation's written response to this Request for Bid Proposal. Used interchangeably with "Proposal."

<u>Bond</u> – Either a bid bond, performance bond, payment bond, or a guaranteed letter of credit.

<u>Compactor</u> – A container that has a device to compact trash at a preset PSI and accepts household waste and must be serviced by a roll of truck.

<u>Open Top Boxes</u> – Containers that are typically filled by opening a door. Open top boxes usually contain bulky items such as sofas, shingles, wood debris, etc. that cannot be recycled.

<u>County</u> – Wythe County Board of Supervisors

<u>Contractor</u> – The applicant, person, firm, corporation, or partnership proposing to provide services transport and/or disposal of solid waste or recyclable materials to a transfer station or other location which accepts recycling material, and who submits a written proposal in response to this Request for Bid Proposal. Used interchangeably with "bidder."

<u>Disposal Site</u> – A refuse depository including the Wythe Bland Joint Public Service Authority Transfer Station, sanitary landfills, and waste recycling centers, which have been approved by all local, state and federal agencies, which have approval authority.

<u>Hazardous waste</u> – Waste, in any amount, which is defined, characterized or designated as hazardous by the United States Environmental protection Agency or appropriate State Agency by or pursuant to Federal or State Law, or waste, in any amount, which is regulated under Federal or State Law. For purposes of this RFP, the term hazardous waste shall also include motor oil, gasoline and batteries.

<u>Infectious Medical Waste</u> – Waste resulting from medical procedures, which may cause or is capable of causing disease, such as:

- (I) Biological waste, including blood and blood products, excretions, exudates, secretions, suctionings and other bodily fluids that cannot be directly discarded into a municipal sewer system, including solid or liquid waste from renal dialysis and waste materials reasonably contaminated with blood or body fluids.
- (ii) Cultures and stocks and etiologic agents and associated biologicals, including specimen cultures and dishes and devices used to transfer, inoculate, and mix cultures; wastes from production of biologicals; and serums and discarded live and attenuated vaccines. Cultures under this subsection do not include throat and urine cultures.
- (iii) Sharps that have been removed from their original sterile containers, including needles, IV tubing with needles attached, scalpel blades lancets, glass tubes that could be broken during handling and syringes.

Household Solid Waste - Waste that is generated by a residential home and is defined in the Wythe County Solid Waste Ordinance. Household solid waste may include paper, cans, plastics and typically can be placed into a plastic bag that can be tied at the top to prevent spillage and littering. Bulky items may be a sofa, chair, debris from small household repair jobs if done by the homeowner or tenant to include roof repairs of up to 10 square feet, wood debris, siding, sheet rock, etc.; however, no loads that exceed one foot above a full-size pickup bed rail will be accepted. A more detailed description may be found in the Wythe County Solid Waste Ordinance.

Owner - Wythe County Board of Supervisors

<u>Request for Bid Proposal</u> – All documents including addenda issued by Wythe County Board of Supervisors as part of this proposal. Used interchangeably with "RFP."

<u>Solid Waste</u> – Any garbage, refuse, including without limitation recyclable materials when they become discarded, or sludge from a waste treatment plant, water supply treatment plant, or air pollution control facility, and any other discarded materials, including solid, liquid, semi-solid, or contained gaseous material resulting from industrial, commercial, and agricultural operations, and from community activities, but does not include solid or dissolved materials in domestic sewage, or solid or dissolved materials in irrigation return flows or industrial discharges which are point sources subject to permits under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (compiled at 33 U.S.C. 1342) as amended, or source, special nuclear, or by-product material as defined by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (complied at 42 U.S.C. 2011 et seq).

<u>Special Waste</u> – Solid wastes that are either difficult or dangerous to manage and may include sludges, bulky wastes, pesticide wastes, medical wastes, industrial wastes, hazardous wastes which are not subject to regulation under the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality Rules 1200 –1-11-.03 through 1200-1-11-.07, to include liquid wastes, friable asbestos wastes, and combustion wastes.

<u>VDEQ</u> – VA Department of Environmental Quality

<u>Transfer Station</u> – A combination of structures, machinery or devices at a place or facility which receives solid waste taken from municipal and private collection vehicles and which is placed in other transportation units for movement to another solid waste management facility.

<u>Unacceptable Waste</u> – Shall mean, but is not limited to, "Infectious Medical Waste" and "Hazardous Waste."

BID FORM

Wythe County Board of Supervisors Convenience Center Service

The BIDDER agrees to provide all labor, equipment, materials and associated items to provide the services as listed in each Option as listed below.

The bidder shall provide a guaranteed five-year bid price to service all of the refuse collection and recycling centers to include labor, disposal, transportation, maintenance, repair, and complete operation cost for the twelve facilities owned by the Wythe County Board of Supervisors to the Wythe Bland PSA Transfer Station under the current schedule as described in the bid package:

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
TOTAL MONTHLY BID					
Wythe Bland PSA Disposal Fee per ton					
Alternative Bid #1					
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year
TOTAL MONTHLY BID					_
Landfill/Transfer Fee Location:					
Landfill/Transfer Station	Disposal Fe	ee per Ton: _			

List equipment to be provided by bidder:				

Section A

Company Affidavit

The affiant states with respect to this Proposal to Wythe County Board of Supervisors:

I (we) hereby certify that if the contract is awarded to our firm that no member or members of the governing body, elected official or officials, employee or employees of said County, or any person representing or purporting to represent the County, or any family member including spouse, parents, or children of said group, has received or has been promised, directly or indirectly, any financial benefit, by way of fee, commission, finder's fee or any other financial benefit on account of the act of awarding and/or executing a contract.

I hereby certify that I have full authority to bind the company and that I have personally reviewed the information contained in the RFP and this Proposal, and all attachments and appendices, and do hereby attest to the accuracy of all information contained in this Proposal, including all attachments and exhibits.

I acknowledge that any misrepresentation will result in immediate disqualification from any consideration in the proposal process.

I further recognize that Wythe County reserves the right to make its award for any reason consideration advantageous to Wythe County. The company selected may be without respect to price or other factors.

Signature:	Date:
Name:	Phone:
Title:	_
Firm Name:	
Type of business organization (For exa proprietorship)	mple: corporation, LLC, partnership,
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	

Appendix A:

Questions presented by CFS.

- 1. Who does this work now? V&M Recycling out of Galax, VA
- 2. Who owns the compactors and open top cans in place? The County owns all compactors and open top containers except for 11 30 yard open tops that is owned by V&M Recycling. The 11 owned by V&M are used for the removal of white goods and metal.
- 3. If the compactors are owned by the County, and will remain in place, how old are they and are maintenance records available for each? Compactors range in age from 22 years old to brand new. There has not been maintenance logs keep on the compactors.
- 4. Does disposal have to go to the transfer station at \$52 per ton (paid by the County) or can it go elsewhere if the pricing is advantageous to the County? If there is an advantage for the County it would be considered.
- 5. Please provide copies of the electric bills for the last 90 days. V&M will have the utility bills please contact them at 276-744-2444
- 6. Please provide copies of the phone bills for the last 90 days. V&M will have the utility bills please contact them at 276-744-2444
- 7. Please provide copies of the power bills for the last 90 days. V&M will have the utility bills please contact them at 276-744-2444
- 8. How often are the properties graded, and how often is new gravel spread? As needed
- 9. Are there security cameras at the sites? The County does not currently have or provide cameras at the sites.
- 10. The bid document states the contractor is to general property maintenance such as grass mowing upkeep, and repairs. Since this is County property, what defines the contractor responsibility and the County responsibility? Is the County responsible for everything exterior to the perimeter fence? The contractor is responsible for the property that is inside the fence and outside of the fence. The responsibility would extend to extent of the property that the site sits on.
- 11. Where are the white goods currently recycled? Contractor is responsible for the recycling of the white goods.
- 12. Where are the tires currently recycled? Contractor is responsible for the recycling of the white goods.
- 13. Would the County be opposed to a tractor trailer installation for the removal of tires? No, with the right proposal.
- 14. What date is the county proposing for the successful bidder to commence operations? July 1, 2019
- 15. Please provide a list of equipment currently in place at each of the twelve sites. See question 16
- 16. In section F. Indemnity, the last line in the bid document states "...including the use by the contractor of equipment furnished by the Owner". What equipment is furnished by the owner?

Rural Retreat 330 Gienow Road Rural Retreat, VA 24368

- (2) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (3) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Apple House 5194 W. Lee Highway Wytheville, VA 24382

- (1) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

52 North 3790 Stoney Fork Road Wytheville, VA 24382

- (2) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (5) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Kents Lane 259 Kents Lane Wytheville, VA 24382

- (1) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd open tops
- (1) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) 20yd open top used for white goods and metal

Max Meadows 288 Max Meadows Rd Max Meadows, VA 24360

- (1) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (3) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Fort Chiswell

828 Fort Chiswell Road

Max Meadows, VA 24360

- (2) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (3) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Speedwell 6449 Grayson Turnpike Speedwell, VA 24374

- (1) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Slate Spring Branch Road 793 Slate Spring Branch Road Wytheville, VA 24382

- (1) Compactors
- (1) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Pump Hollow 174 Pump Hollow Road Wytheville, VA 24382

- (1) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Ivanhoe 187 Kings Chapel Road Ivanhoe, VA 24350

- (1) Compactors
- (1) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Austinville 235 Store Hill Road Austinville, VA 24312

- (1) Compactors
- (1) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal

Barren Springs 1657 Wysor Highway Barren Springs, VA 24313

- (1) Compactors
- (2) 40 yd open tops
- (2) 20 yd Recycling containers
- (2) 8 yd front load boxes used for cardboard
- (1) Contractor supplied 30yd open top used for white goods and metal
 - 17. Please provide a list of observed holidays, and how the County citizens are notified of these closings. Is the County willing to post these observances on the County website? New Years Day, Easter Sunday, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day. Posted at least two weeks in advance at the sites and also listed on the County website and Facebook page. Additional days are granted on a yearly as needed basis.
 - 18. In case of an emergency, accident, or other necessary closure, what is the expected procedure for notifying the County, and who needs to be notified, and how? Contact the county representative via phone after necessary emergency services have been contacted. Additional phone numbers will be provided in the event that the county representative is not available.
 - 19. What type of power is supplied at the sites? (i.e. single phase, three phase?) How far are the compactors from the disconnects? Is the contractor responsible for any electrical work beyond hooking contractor's equipment to the disconnect? Will the County provide electrical work/repair to the facility's existing electrical structure if necessary? Single phase power is supplied at all sites. Compactor to disconnect is between 15-20 feet. Contractor is responsible for the maintenance of the site. Any work that is not classified as maintenance is the responsibility of the county.