



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM  
**SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT ANNUAL REPORT**

<b>1. REGION IDENTIFICATION (A-T)</b> Q	<b>2. SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT NAME</b> Ozark Foothills SWMD	<b>3. FISCAL YEAR PERIOD:</b> FROM JULY 1, 2,012.( TO JUNE 30, 2,013.(
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**GOALS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

**4. (A) WHAT WASTE REDUCTION GOALS DID THE DISTRICT HAVE FOR THE MOST RECENTLY COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR AND WHAT ACTIONS DID THE DISTRICT TAKE TO ACHIEVE THESE GOALS?**

Goal 1: Collect and process recyclable materials for proper reuse.

Goal 1 Accomplishments: Materials were collected and processed at the District's Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) for proper reuse. Each of the District's programs were used to accomplish this goal. As a direct result of the operation of the District's programs, 1,267 tons of recyclable materials were diverted from landfills. Without the existence of the Ozark Foothills Solid Waste Management District Q programs, the majority of these items would have been illegally dumped, burned, or transported to landfills. The District is, without a doubt, impacting the attitudes and practices of citizens of the region with regard to recycling. Evidence of this is the volume of materials processed at the Ozark Foothills Recycling Center.

Goal 2: Maintain efficient District's operation.

Goal 2 Accomplishments: The District maintained an efficient operation. White paper collection services were continued via the continuation of collection trailer placement upon two of the region's school campuses. As of the end of the fiscal year, community service workers continued to be utilized for emptying of the trailers and sorting of the recyclables, though the hours contributed remained far less than what was needed.

The District maintained the decrease in its fleet of collection trailers during Fiscal Year 2013. Collection trailers continued to be located in each of the region's five counties--in Doniphan, Ellington, Piedmont, Poplar Bluff, and Van Buren.

**4. (B) WHAT WASTE REDUCTION GOALS DOES THE DISTRICT HAVE FOR THE UPCOMING FISCAL YEAR? WHAT ACTIONS ARE PLANNED TO ACHIEVE THESE GOALS? INCLUDE THE TYPES OF GRANT PROPOSALS THAT HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED TO ASSIST IN MEETING THESE GOALS.**

The Ozark Foothills Solid Waste Management District adopted the two before listed goals at its inception. While the goals have been reviewed and modified, the basic premise of collection and processing of recyclable materials "waste" for proper reuse continues to be the underlying purpose.

The upcoming fiscal year goals for the Ozark Foothills Solid Waste Management District Q will be similar, if not the same, as those stated above. Project proposals sought will have to prove contribution to the waste goals. Specifically, projects must be collection, process, and reuse focused. In addition, the projects must be sustainable and present a long term commitment to the Ozark Foothills Region. Further, only projects from organizations located in the region will be considered. Though eligible, for-profit projects will receive low priority.

**5. (A) WHAT RECYCLING GOALS DID THE DISTRICT HAVE FOR THE MOST RECENTLY COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR AND WHAT ACTIONS DID THE DISTRICT TAKE TO ACHIEVE THESE GOALS?**

1. Goal 1. To collect recyclable goods. Please see attached Addendum for actions taken.
2. Goal 2. Items would continue to be delivered to the MRF for processing. Please see attached Addendum for actions taken.

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**11. DESCRIBE YOUR DISTRICT'S GRANT PROPOSAL EVALUATION PROCESS.**

Grant proposals received are presented to the Solid Waste Management District's Executive Board. Each proposal is evaluated on a 100-point scale. A copy of the evaluation form is attached. Proposals are scored by every member. The project with the highest point total based upon the evaluation criteria is awarded funds.

The District does fund projects presented by previous recipients. Funding is based on previous project performance, responsiveness to the request for proposals, reasonable and attainable project goals, and alignment with established project criteria.

Funding of on-going operations is allowed. The project, however, must provide documentation that significant progress has been made in attaining previous project goals, funds were used properly, and further funding will result in recyclable materials being diverted from landfills.

*Sulicity Prady, Executive Director 9-27-2013*

**12. BOARD AND COUNCIL MEMBERS**

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**5. (A). Actions Taken to Achieve Recycling Goals**

Goal 2. Items would continue to be delivered to the MRF for processing.

Goal 2. Accomplishments: Items collected through the District's recycling trailer, appliance, institutional generators, community clean-up, tire and drop-off programs were processed at the MRF. Center staff continued to notice an increase in the volume of materials dropped off through self-service at the Center by members of the public. This continued to create staffing challenges, but contributed to much-needed increases in project income. To ensure continual availability of recycling for residents of the community, Center personnel continued to place a collection trailer outside of the Center's gates during evenings and weekends. Doing so permitted continuous collection of recyclable goods.

Recovered materials were shipped both baled and loose. Program income was generated from the sale of the products and from collection services offered. In Fiscal Year 2013, program income amounted to \$140,120.81

**6. (A). Resource Recovery Goals**

Goal 1: Successfully collect recyclable goods at the local level.

Goal 1 Accomplishments: The population center of each county was identified as a central collection site to which local residents brought recoverable materials. Each site was provided with drop-off structure, or collection trailer. The existence of the recycling collection sites was widely advertised throughout the region primarily via word-of-mouth. Citizens were asked to bring their recoverable materials (including white paper, aluminum, newspapers, cardboard, tin, and plastics) to their local drop-off trailer. Once full, a truck was then used to haul the mobile drop-off trailers to the regional Materials Recovery Facility. There, the trailers were emptied and returned to the drop-off site. The trucks ran routes providing service to all five participating locations on an as-needed basis.

At the Materials Recovery Facility all recyclables items mentioned above were accepted. Furthermore, the white paper collection effort continued. The two-pronged effort consisted of a local commercial collection route and educational institutional generators program. Currently, two secondary schools are participating in the collection effort. In total, the drop-off locations and special collection routes assisted the District in diverting 1,267 tons of recyclables.

Goal 2: Continue appliance (white goods) collection program.

Goal 2 Accomplishments: In addition to the collection of recyclable materials within the participating cities, five community clean-ups were held throughout the project period specifically to collect appliances (or white goods). For appliances, the collection events utilized a semi-truck with a 24-foot dump bed equipped with a 1-ton knuckle boom. Appliances were collected in the Center's knuckle boom truck and transported to the Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) in Poplar Bluff. Once at the MRF, the appliances were processed and transported to a scrap metal dealer for reuse. Many tons of appliances were diverted from landfills under this program during Fiscal Year 2013.

Goal 3: Maintain institutional generator's program.

Goal 3 Accomplishments: The institutional generators program was continued during the project period. Seventy-one eight-yard and one two-yard recyclable bins located at hospitals, schools, newspaper publishers and other mid-size organizations were used to collect significant volumes of cardboard and newspaper. This program was primarily responsible for the reuse of cardboard and newspaper.

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Goal 4: Process and sell items brought to the Materials Recovery Facility.

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Goal 4 Accomplishments: Waste items brought to the Materials Recovery Facility were processed and sold. To accomplish this task Center personnel continued to seek new markets and nurture relationships with brokers. The sale of items to be recycled generated \$140,120.81 in project income over the twelve-month period. Total revenues for the project year equaled \$230,577.81 and consisted of grant revenue from the Ozark Foothills Solid Waste Management District via the State of Missouri's Solid Waste Management Fund (\$90,457.00) and project income (\$140,120.81).

Goal 5: Offer tire collection services to the general public and businesses.

Goal 5 Accomplishments: The small-scale tire collection program continued utilizing existing equipment and facility space to provide waste tire collection at community clean-ups and disposal services for commercial businesses, on an as-requested basis, throughout the 5-county service area. Tires were collected through the effort and transported to Tire Shredders Unlimited in Fenton, Missouri for processing.

Goal 6: Ensure proper use of collected goods.

Goal 6 Accomplishments: Items removed from the waste stream, were properly used. All recyclables obtained through the project were sold or transported to end markets depending upon the type of material collected. The markets were accessed either through pick-up by the local buyer or transportation of such goods to buyers through use of the MRF's own equipment and operators.