EFFECTIVE DATE: JULY 1, 2026

POLK COUNTY TRANSFER STATION GUIDELINES

Polk County Residences have several options for the disposal of household waste

For those wishing to haul their own garbage

Polk County Solid Waste Transfer Station Options:

- $15.00 - Per Trip Fee – Each trip to the PCSW Transfer Station
- $120.00 - Yearly Permit Fee – No limit on trips to the PCSW Station

PAYMENT TYPES ACCEPTED – ***CASH & CHECK***

(NO CREDIT OR DEBIT)

'**YEARLY PERMITS'** and '**SINGLE TRIP FEES**' **INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING STIPULATIONS:**

1. A permit may ***not*** be purchased OR used by anyone not residing in Polk County.
2. May not be used for ***ANY*** commercial/business activity.
3. It may ***NOT*** be purchased ***or*** used for waste resulting from ***ANY*** multi-family dwelling, such as a trailer park, rest home, apartment complex, communal living facility or campground, etc.
4. Intended for the dumping of ***household waste*** only and from ***one*** *residence* only.
5. May not be used for dumping quantities *GREATER* than ***300lbs***:
   Loads in ***excess* of ***300lbs*** are weighed and charged by the ton for the ***entire*** load***
   ***$80.00 a ton with minimum charge of $15.00 ***
6. ***ALL*** Construction waste - weighed and charged by the ton:
   ***$80.00 a ton with minimum charge of $15.00 ***
7. Yearly Permit – Proof of Purchase: (1) Sticker and (1) Scale Ticket Receipt.
   Upon each trip: Permit Sticker or Permit Receipt must be shown to the Scale Attendant.
   Please note: A $15.00 Single Trip Fee will apply if proof of purchase is not provided.
8. ***EFFECTIVE - JULY 1, 2016'***
   - **Computers, Monitors, TVs - $10.00 PER ITEM**

POLK COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY

$35.00 AVAILABILITY FEE

Included with each *annual property tax bill* is a $35 solid waste availability fee.
This fee is assigned to each improved property.
OUR '$35.00 AVAILABILITY FEE' PAGE HAS FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING OUR RECYCLING PROGRAM. PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR 'RECYCLING GUIDELINE' PAGE FOR THE 'MOBILE RECYCLING' SCHEDULE.

Recyclables:

- **Food and Beverage Containers (Glass, Plastic, Steel, Tin and Aluminum)**
- **Mixed paper – Newspapers - Junk Mail - Books and Magazines**
- **Cardboard (Please break down/flatten)**
- **Petroleum Waste Oil (household quantities)**
- **Antifreeze (household quantities)**
- **Scrap Tires**
- **Metal - Scrap**
- **Appliances**
- **All Batteries - including automotive batteries**
- **Furniture - household quantities (less than 300lbs per load)**
- **Yard Waste (less than 300lbs per load)**
- **Paint (household quantities – maximum - 3 gallons per trip)**
- **Fluorescent bulbs**

HOURS OF OPERATION

MONDAY- FRIDAY
8:00a – 4:30p

SATURDAY
8:00a – 4:00p

SUNDAY
CLOSED

PLEASE NOTE:
GATES WILL CLOSE AT:
4:30p: M-F and 4:00p: SAT

Phone - (828) 894-3737

PHYSICAL ADDRESS:
322 LANDFILL ROAD
MILL SPRING, NC 28756