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Mr. Brian May Marion County Environmental Services 5155 Silverton Road NE Salem, OR 97305

Dear Mr. May:

On the back of this letter is the 2019 DEQ Material Recovery and Waste Generation Summary for your wasteshed. This report is derived from the 2019 Material Recovery Survey, which is required under Oregon Revised Statute 459A.010. This statute also incorporates your wasteshed's recovery rate goals set for 2025. Your wasteshed should be proud of the efforts your recovery rate represents.

The Material Recovery and Waste Generation Summary includes your wasteshed's 2019 recovery rate, the amounts of materials disposed and recovered, per capita disposal, recovery and generation rates, and a chart comparing this year's results with previous survey years. The full 2019 Oregon Material Recovery and Waste Generation Rates Report will be available on the DEQ Web site at www.oregon.gov/deq/recycling/Pages/Survey.aspx by June 7, 2021.

DEQ Materials Management staff will be happy to work with your wasteshed to assist in improving data collection and waste reduction efforts. For assistance with your waste recovery and prevention efforts, please call Cathie Rhoades at 503-378-5089. If you would like more information about data collection or the material recovery survey, please call Michelle Shepperd at 503-229-6724, or toll free in Oregon at 1-800-452-4011 x6724.

Sincerely,

CC:

Brian Fuller (Jun 2, 2021 08:49 PDT)

Brian Fuller, Manager Materials Management Western Region

Attachment: 2019 Recycling Collector Data Summary - Marion

City Managers of Keizer, Salem, Silverton, Stayton, Woodburn

Garbage Collection Companies, Marion



2019 DEQ Material Recovery and Waste Generation Summary MARION COUNTY

CALCULATED RECOVERY RATE: 47.8%

GOAL (2025): 64%

In 2019, Marion disposed of 266,209 tons of waste and recovered 243,658 tons of waste.

Year	1996	2006	2009	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Calculated	28.1%	51.9%	52.2%	53.8%	52.2%	49.4%	48.5%	48.5%	47.8%
Credits*	-	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%	-	-	-	-
Total	28.1%	57.9%	58.2%	59.8%	58.2%	49.4%	48.5%	48.5%	47.8%

^{*}Credits were only available between the years of 1997 and 2015

Per capita waste disposal for wasteshed (pounds per person):

The average per-capita waste disposed in Oregon during 2019 was 1,569 pounds. Marion's per-capita waste disposal was 1,532 pounds. As shown in the following table, per-capita waste disposal in Marion has *increased* 22% since 2014 (five year change) and *increased* 22% since 2009 (ten year change).

Per capita waste recovery for wasteshed (pounds per person):

The average per-capita waste recovered in Oregon during 2019 was 1,135 pounds. Marion's per-capita waste recovery was 1,402 pounds. As shown in the following table, per-capita waste recovery in Marion has *decreased* 4% since 2014 (five year change) and *increased* 2% since 2009 (ten year change).

Per capita waste generation for wasteshed (pounds per person):

Waste generation is the sum of disposal and recovery. It is a rough measure of the total discards in a wasteshed. In 2001, the Oregon Legislature established waste generation goals for the State; revised by the Legislature in 2015. The waste generation goals require that the generation of solid waste in the years 2025 to 2049 shall be 15 percent below the amount of solid waste generated in 2012, and for 2050 and beyond, the generation goal is 40 percent less than the waste generated in 2012.

The average per-capita waste generation in Oregon during 2019 was 2,703 pounds. Marion's per-capita waste generation was 2,934 pounds. As shown in the following table, per-capita waste generation in Marion has *increased* 8% since 2014 (five year change) and *increased* 11% since 2009 (ten year change).

Year	1996	2006	2009	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
PER-CAPITA DISPOSED*	1,648	1,600	1,261	1,258	1,336	1,457	1,556	1,541	1,532
PER-CAPITA RECOVERED*	645	1,724	1,376	1,463	1,460	1,421	1,463	1,527	1,402
PER-CAPITA GENERATED*	2,293	3,324	2,637	2,721	2,796	2,878	3,020	3,068	2,934

^{*}Pounds per person per year.

Regional Technical Assistant Contact:

Contact Cathie Rhoades at 503-378-5089 for assistance in identifying ways to help reduce waste generation and disposal through waste prevention, reuse, recycling, and composting.

Survey Coordinator:

Contact Michelle Shepperd by email, <u>michelle.shepperd@deq.state.or.us</u>, or in Portland at 503-229-6724, or toll free in Oregon at 1-800-452-4011 x6724, for more information on the survey.

NOTE: DEQ routinely updates recovery rates for prior years as we receive new information. These are the current corrected figures for all years.

Wasteshed:	Marion			
Material	Tons2017	Tons2018	Tons2019	Comments
Aluminum	3,479.312	3,283.831	3,829.139	
Animal Waste/grease	739.228	1,267.128	1,131.516	
Antifreeze	202.413	200.542	200.381	
Cardboard/Kraft	33,181.113	33,281.692	33,065.437	
Composite Plastic	37.700	9.000		
Electronics	2,231.406	2,110.949	2,146.667	
Fluorescent Lamps	36.848	19.436	27.468	
Food Waste	3,844.051	1,811.593	2,918.783	
Glass Containers	10,418.088	10,188.878	7,830.068	
Gypsum Wallboard	20.800	292.670	55.960	
Lead Acid Batteries	668.578	568.546	441.289	
Mercury	-	0.010	1.634	
Mixed Batteries	57.405	73.091	150.881	
Paint	317.115	343.839	227.439	
Paper Fiber	16,794.676	14,932.703	13,689.312	
Plastic Film	1,708.387	1,235.387	1,348.651	
Plastic Other	855.262	798.046	593.666	
Rigid Plastic Cont.	2,915.973	3,114.191	3,018.862	
Roofing - Asphalt	32.500	31.500	11.550	
Scrap Metal - Other	61,979.231	69,657.628	63,513.326	
Solvents	2.760	2.450	4.240	
Textiles	42.624	89.600	14.649	
Tinned Cans	660.002	547.411	508.164	
Tires	3,342.589	1,908.567	3,584.795	
Used Motor Oil	2,548.145	2,893.261	2,959.802	
Wood Waste	55,161.845	61,205.119	54,634.595	
Yard Debris	46,759.972	52,682.368	47,750.116	
Total Recovery	248,038.023	262,549.436	243,658.390	
2019 Disposal			289,291.256	
Less HB3744			15,169.060	
Less SCM recovery			7,913.070	
Adjusted 2019 disposal			266,209.126	
2019 Calculated Rate			45.7%	