



## Quick Reference

### Locations:

**PWC Sanitary Landfill**, 14811 Dumfries Rd., Manassas, VA, 20112. Dumfries Rd. (Route 234 ) at the intersection of Dumfries Rd. and Bristow Rd. (Route 619) (near Independent Hill area).

**Balls Ford Road Yard Waste Compost Facility**, 13000 Balls Ford Rd., Manassas, VA, 20109. (Off PW Pkwy./ Route 234, before I-66).

### Landfill and Compost Facility Hours

Monday-Friday: 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Saturday & Sunday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Most holidays\*: Normal hours

### Holidays:

\*Facilities are closed New Year's Day, Independence Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day

\*Facilities close at 2 p.m. on Memorial Day, Labor Day and Christmas Eve.

### Household Hazardous Waste & Electronics:

**Landfill:** Wednesdays & Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

### Saturday Weekly Collection Sites (when site is available)

Evergreen Fire Department 3510 James Madison Hwy Haymarket, VA 22069 7 a.m. to 12 p.m.	The Nokesville School 12375 Aden Road Nokesville, VA 20181 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
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### Important Phone Numbers:

Landfill —703-792-5750  
Recycling —703-792-4670  
Household Hazardous Waste —703-792-5750  
Balls Ford Yard Waste Facility —703-792-8477  
Solid Waste Admin. Office — 703-792-4670  
Keep Prince William Beautiful —571-285-3772  
Neighborhood Services — 703-792-7018  
Environmental Health —703-792-6310

**Solid Waste Division Administrative Office**, Department of Public Works, 5 County Complex Ct, Ste. 250, Prince William, VA, 22192.

A to Z Disposal Guide available at  
[www.pwcva.gov/disposalguide](http://www.pwcva.gov/disposalguide)



# Resident's Guide to Solid Waste Management Services



Department of Public Works  
Solid Waste Division

[www.pwcva.gov/trashandrecycling](http://www.pwcva.gov/trashandrecycling)

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**Solid Waste Fee** was adopted September 1, 1998, by the Board of County Supervisors to fund landfill operations and related services, as well as repay the debt. The landfill will serve the County's solid waste disposal needs until approximately 2060.

The solid waste fee appears as a separate line item on the real estate property tax bill, sent out each year in June and November.

### Annual fee:

- Single-family detached home - \$70
- Townhouse - \$63
- Mobile home - \$56
- Condo - \$47

This fee covers the cost of programs including the convenience center areas, recycling, household hazardous waste disposal, electronics recycling, yard waste and composting. It also provides collection sites for residents in rural areas to dispose of their waste.

All residents, businesses, non-profit organizations, and government agencies are required to pay the solid waste fee. Residents and businesses that have paid the fee may transport their *regular* trash to the facilities at no charge. Some special wastes (e.g. tires, manure, pallets, construction debris, etc.) may require an extra fee. Call 703-792-5750 about specific wastes.



**Solid Waste Residential User Decal** acts as proof of residency in Prince William County. **To expedite entry**, we recommend County residents display this decal on the front windshield, inside, lower left, above State inspection sticker. However, it is not a requirement. Residency can be established by showing a driver's license, or the top portion of personal property or real estate tax bill and other ID. To apply for a Solid Waste decal, email [TaxpayerServices@pwcva.gov](mailto:TaxpayerServices@pwcva.gov) or call 703-792-6710.

**Trash and Recycling Collection** in Prince William County is provided by private refuse haulers. Incorporated towns and many homeowner associations (HOA) arrange for residential trash and recycling services. Please check with your town or HOA before personally arranging for services. To locate a service provider, view a full list of all County-permitted haulers on the Solid Waste website.

**Recycling is mandatory** for residents and businesses. Refuse haulers are required to provide residents with at least weekly recycling collection (mixed paper and food and beverage containers). Most haulers provide trash carts and recycling bins and/or carts.

**Weekly Collection Sites** are located at **The Nokesville School** and **Evergreen Fire Station** on Saturday mornings. For convenience, PWC residents from rural areas can bring their bagged household waste and recycling to one of these sites. These collection sites may not be available during community events. Bulky items like furniture, construction and demolition debris, dirt, concrete, yard waste, etc., are not accepted and should be taken to the Landfill or Balls Ford Road facility. *See the Quick Reference section times.*



**Recycling Trailers** are located throughout the County for residents to recycle bottles, cans, cardboard and mixed paper. Purple bins for glass bottles, jugs and jars are also available at some locations. For trailer locations visit [www.pwcva.gov/trashandrecycling](http://www.pwcva.gov/trashandrecycling).

## Cover Your Load Please...

Debris blown from vehicles is a major source of roadside litter. Please be sure to cover or secure refuse before traveling. This is a requirement per the Prince William County Code (Section 22-145). People who fail to cover their loads are subject to fines (a Class 3 misdemeanor).

**It's the Law!**



## Prince William County Landfill

### Convenience Center

Prince William County (PWC) residents can bring most waste generated in PWC to the landfill at no charge. Waste from other areas will not be accepted and there are penalties for attempting to dispose of waste generated outside the County. The landfill offers a full-service trash disposal area, recycling collection and yard waste disposal.



## Balls Ford Road Compost Facility

Convenience Center offers many of the same services as the Landfill for residents' recycling and disposal needs. Trash disposal, recycling collection and yard waste disposal are available. However,



construction/demolition debris and bulky items (furniture, mattresses, large items) are limited to Monday-Friday disposal at Ball Ford Road and some materials are accepted in limited amounts. No commercial disposal, except yard waste, is accepted at the facility. Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Recycling is not available.

## Construction/Demolition Debris

### Landfill and \*Balls Ford Road

Residents may dispose of small amounts of construction and demolition debris (up to a pick-up truck load/2.5 cubic yards) from home improvement projects. Construction debris disposal at the \*Balls Ford Road facility is limited to Monday-Friday.

**Contractors may only bring construction and demolition debris to the Landfill.** Limit: pick-up truck load/2.5 cubic yards, fee \$25, paid by credit/debit card. Call 703-792-5750 to inquire about where to dispose of large amounts of construction and demolition debris.

## Tires

### Landfill and \*Balls Ford Road

Residents may dispose of up to four (4) **passenger car and truck tires** per month at no charge. For 5 -10 tires, there is a \$2/tire charge. \*More than 10 tires, must be brought to the Landfill and will be weighed and charged the appropriate per ton fee. Businesses must pay for disposal of all tires.

## Battery and Auto Fluid Collection Area

### Landfill and \*Balls Ford Road

Used motor oil, antifreeze, oil filters, and automotive batteries (hybrid car batteries are not accepted) may be disposed of at the Landfill and Balls Ford Road facility during regular business hours. \***Maximums:** Landfill 15 -gal./visit; BFR 5-gal./visit.

Household batteries should not be placed in the regular trash. All household batteries may be recycled at the Landfill and Balls Ford Road locations, during regular business hours. Place tape over terminals or place each battery in its own plastic bag. Loose batteries may leak or catch fire during transportation. Rechargeable batteries may also be recycled at most Best Buy, Staples, Mom's Organic Market, Home Depot, Lowes and uBreakiFix stores.



## Household Hazardous Waste & Electronics Recycling Program

### Landfill: Wednesdays & Saturdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Residents are encouraged to bring potentially hazardous material from their homes for proper disposal. **Items accepted:** pesticides, fertilizers, cleaning substances, paints, stains, thinners, lacquers, varnishes, caulks, adhesives, pool treatment chemicals, propane tanks (20 pounds or less), gasoline, waxes, yard care products, driveway sealers, chemicals, cooking oil, ant bait/traps, pet supplies, and fluorescent light bulbs. Items should be in original containers.

Electronics and computers (up to three units) are also accepted. Residents of Prince William County and the towns of Occoquan, Quantico, Dumfries, and Haymarket may use these services at no extra charge.

Electronics and household hazardous waste are not accepted from businesses or residents of the cities of Manassas or Manassas Park.

## Yard Waste

Includes leaves, grass, brush, logs (up to 24 inches in diameter and no more than four feet long), plant waste, mulch, and brush. Residents may bring this material to either location loose in a container, or in paper bags. No plastic bags.



Yard waste is about 13% of what goes into the landfill. Composting turns yard waste into a nutrient rich material that can help improve soil. It also allows the County to divert grass, leaves, brush and branches from the County landfill, saving landfill space for other materials.

## Yard Waste Composting at Home

The Solid Waste Division sells composting bins at the Balls Ford Road facility. Payment by credit /debit card required.



Visit the [www.pwcva.gov/yardwaste](http://www.pwcva.gov/yardwaste) or call 703-792-8477, for details on composting, grasscycling and preparation for yard waste curbside pick up.

## Compost and Mulch Sale

A private contractor processes yard waste materials into compost, mulch, and enriched topsoil. It is available for purchase. For availability and prices, please call Freestate Farms 703-542-4540, or visit [www.freestatefarmsva.com](http://www.freestatefarmsva.com)



Sign up for **PWC Alerts** on the website menu to receive service updates and event information from the Solid Waste Division .

[www.pwcva.gov/trashandrecycling](http://www.pwcva.gov/trashandrecycling)



## Clothing, Shoes & Household Items Reuse/Donation Program

Visit the Solid Waste website *Reuse* page for a list of thrift, donation and consignment stores in the County. There also numerous bins around the County that accept donations of clothing, shoes and other textiles.

**Keep Prince William Beautiful** is a non-profit environmental organization that serves Prince William County through partnering with residents, businesses, and government to educate and inspire people to be environmental stewards and Keep Prince William Beautiful. For more details visit [www.kpwb.org](http://www.kpwb.org) or call 571-285-3772.

**Neighborhood Services Division** of Prince William County is comprised of property management, neighborhood improvements, illegal dumping prevention, graffiti abatement, roadside and spot clean-ups of debris/litter. For more information call 703-792-7018.

## Medication Drop Boxes

Residents can dispose of unwanted or unused pills, patches, ointment, or other medications at one of three permanent drop boxes at designated Prince William County Police Stations, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Liquids, needles, vape devices, or vape cartridges are not to be disposed of in the drop boxes.



### Drop off locations:

- Western District Police Station
- Central District Police Station
- Eastern District Police Station

Visit [www.pwcva.gov/department/community-services/resources](http://www.pwcva.gov/department/community-services/resources) for more details.