

HORRY COUNTY SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY

SPECIAL WASTE HANDLING REQUIREMENTS

The Horry County Solid Waste Authority has a Special Waste Analysis and Implementation Plan in place to address any waste that is considered non-hazardous, non-residential or commercial wastes that may require special handling or unique management at a Class 3 landfill.

This plan specifically states that the potential special waste must be evaluated by identifying the physical, chemical and biological characteristics in addition to any potential operational hazards that it may impose.

The following steps must be completed in the evaluation process of a special waste:

1. The waste type and characteristics must be determined through Generator Acknowledgement. The Generator Acknowledgement must include the following information:
 - a. Generators name, location and contact person including phone number.
 - b. A thorough description of the industrial process that produces the waste stream.
 - c. A Generator knowledge document specifying known constituents.
2. An initial assessment must be made by the HCSWA (Horry County Solid Waste Authority) to identify any potential operational issues or hazards.
3. The Generator and/or Industry seeking disposal of waste at the landfill must provide a copy of the Sampling and Analysis Plan to the HCSWA.
4. The HCSWA will review the Sampling and Analysis Plan and forward a copy to the Department (SCDHEC). The Department **prior to samples being collected** must approve this plan.
5. Once the Department has granted approval to proceed, samples may be collected and submitted for a **complete Waste Characterization Report** prepared by a certified laboratory with quality assurance and control data included.
6. The Waste Characterization Report will be forwarded to the HCSWA from the Generator for review.
7. A copy of the Waste Characterization Report will be forwarded from the HCSWA to South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control for their review.
8. Upon review completion, SCDHEC will notify the HCSWA as to whether or not the material may be accepted at the Class 3 landfill.

Please be aware that it may take up to three (3) months to obtain final approval to dispose of a material. If the material is approved for disposal in the Class III landfill the tipping fee is \$50.00 per ton. Please contact the SWA at 843-347-1651 for more information.