**OPERATIONS POLICY MANUAL** 

LANDFILL

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## **GENERAL POLICY**

To discourage waste coming from outside of Benton County, the Benton County Solid Waste Disposal Commission has adopted an <u>Out Of County</u> Waste Policy.

## **SPECIFIC PROVISIONS**

The Benton County Solid Waste Disposal Commission defines the Benton County Landfill <u>Service Area</u> as the geo-political boundaries of Benton County, Iowa.

The Benton County Landfill accepts solid waste that is generated from inside the Benton County Landfill Service Area, from: Residents and Businesses located within Benton County, or commercial haulers delivering such solid waste.

Any individual bringing solid waste from outside the defined Service Area will be turned away and redirected to the waste facility serving the county where the waste was generated. Anyone that misrepresent the origin of their solid waste will be assessed double the current tipping fee <u>if identified</u>, and will also be banned from using the Benton County Landfill in the future.

Commercial haulers who transport solid waste to the Benton County Landfill that is generated outside of the Benton County Landfill Service Area will receive a verbal warning and charged four times the current tipping rate.

Pre-Approve Out of County Solid Waste Disposal Requests generated in the ECICOG planning area, will be assessed the tipping fee of four times the standard rate; contaminated soil is excluded from this policy and will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

## **ENFORCEMENT**

Operations Manager and landfill staff has the responsibility to enforce this policy.

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