Follow-Up Questions for Recycling Coordinators

Curbside and Drop-off Recycling

I. *Amount of Material Recovered Through Residential Curbside and Drop-off Recycling Programs*

What is the most recent annual estimate of total tons (or cubic feet, etc.) of recyclable material collected from households through your residential curbside and drop-off recycling programs? If possible, we would like the information broken out by program and recyclable materials (e.g. paper, glass, plastic, etc.).

II. *Cost of Residential Curbside Recycling Program*

What is the most recent annual estimate of cost of residential curbside recycling program per household serviced (including trucks, labor, bins, rent on buildings, materials processing, marketing, public education, etc.)? Drop-off program? Ideally, we would like as much information as possible sent to us so that we can see how the annual cost of the programs are calculated.

III. *Revenues From Sale of Recyclable Materials*

If possible, we would like to know most recent annual revenues from sale of recyclable material collected from residences through the curbside program. Revenue from drop-off recycling program? If details on revenues per different type of material can be provided, we would appreciate it.

IV. *Number of Households Served by Program*

How many households are serviced by the curbside recycling program?

Non-Recycled Residential Waste

I. *Amount of Non-Recyclable Material Recovered Through Residential Garbage Collection*

What is the most recent annual estimate of total tons (or cubic feet, etc.) of non-recycled household waste collected/disposed.

II. *Cost of Residential Garbage Collection Service*

What is the most recent annual estimate of the cost of residential garbage collection service per household serviced (including landfill tipping fees)? We would like as much information as possible sent to us so that we can see how the annual cost of residential garbage collection service is calculated.
Additional Information Needed

1. Name and telephone number of landfill.

2. Are there any independent studies that have been done of your community’s recycling and waste disposal programs that we could reference?

3. Comments.