

## Solid Waste Disposal

In order to safeguard the public health and ensure waste disposal sites for residents who live in the rural and unincorporated areas of the county, Hidalgo County has approved a Solid Waste Disposal Program .

### PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

This program requires a vehicle permit which can be purchased at your corresponding Hidalgo County Precinct Office. Permits can be paid in cash, money order (preferred), credit cards or debit cards.

To purchase or renew a permit, you must:

- Fill out an application
- Provide proof of Hidalgo County rural residency (current water bill or water company receipt)
- Provide any form of personal identification with corresponding name & address same as bill
- Provide the year, make, model, color and license plate number of the vehicle being used

### PERMIT FEE

<b>Amount</b>	\$25	\$50	\$75	\$100
<b>Duration</b>	90 Days	180 Days	270 Days	365 Days

You will have access to any of the thirteen (13) Collection Stations located countywide.

Once the permit is purchased, residents will receive only one (1) permit/sticker. This permit is not transferable and limited to one (1) vehicle.



In order to obtain disposal site services, stickers must be adhered on the upper left corner inside the vehicle windshield .

**Residents can purchase a user permit at their corresponding Hidalgo County Administrative Precinct Office.**

### QUALIFIED RESIDENTS

Only Hidalgo County rural and unincorporated residents will qualify for a permit .

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## Hidalgo County



**KEEP OUR COUNTY CLEAN!**

## NOTICE

As per Health & Safety Code Section 365.012, a person commits an offense and is in violation of the law, if the person:

- Disposes, allows, receives, transports or authorizes the disposal of solid waste at a place that is not an approved solid waste site
- Disposes solid waste in a dumpster that is controlled by someone else without permission

An offense under this section shall result in prosecution.

**To report illegal dumping, please contact your local Constable's Office**

Constable Precinct 1 <b>7:00 am—4:00 pm</b> <b>(956) 447-3775</b>	Constable Precinct 2 <b>8:00 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>(956) 784-3510</b>
Constable Precinct 3 <b>8:00 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>(956) 581-6800</b>	Constable Precinct 4 <b>8:00 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>(956) 383-8560</b>
Constable Precinct 5 <b>8:00 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>(956) 262-4200</b>	





## ACCEPTED ITEMS

- ✔ **Residential Waste:** includes normal household garbage (paper, plastic, cans, food and vegetable scraps)
- ✔ **Tires:** Only four (4) regular tires per month
- ✔ **Bulky Items:** Tanks, mattresses, chairs, furniture, electronics and couches
- ✔ **White goods:** Bath tub, heater, hot water heater, refrigerator, sink or washer and dryer (Freon must be removed previously)
- ✔ **Scrap Metal:** Metal that can be sold as scrap
- ✔ **Brush and Yard Waste (only at selected stations):** leaves, grass clippings, tree trimmings and brush. Brush should be cut in 3 to 4 foot lengths and securely tied

## NON ACCEPTED ITEMS

- ✘ **Commercial Construction Waste:** building material, brick, concrete, shingles, wood, gypsum, and sheet rock  
*Must be taken to nearest landfill*



- ✘ **Automotive Parts:** car batteries, fenders, vehicle doors, body and frame parts, engines, transmissions, canoes, boats and commercial truck/tractor tires

- ✘ **Hazardous Waste:** pesticides, fertilizers, herbicides, chemicals, cleaners, paint thinners, toxins, poisons, asbestos, petroleum products (such as gas, oil and kerosene), drums, paint cans, liquids or solvents of any kind, items with Freon or dead animals.



## CITIZEN COLLECTION STATIONS IN HIDALGO COUNTY

No.	COLLECTION STATION	HOURS OF OPERATION
1.	Mile 4 1/2 North East of FM 493 Donna, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 1:00 pm
2.	Mile 5 1/2 West Road & Mile 21 North Monte Alto, TX <b>BRUSH ACCEPTED</b>	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 1:00 pm
3.	Mile 1 East and 6 North Mercedes, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 1:00 pm
4.	Mile 11 North and Mile 1 1/2 West Weslaco, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 1:00 pm
5.	FM 493 & 4 <sup>th</sup> St. Hargill, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 1:00 pm
6.	One Mile East of South Tower Rd./Corner of Border Rd. & El Gato Rd. Alamo, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 1:00 pm
7.	Mile 7 (Hwy 107) & Salida del Sol Rd. Penitas, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 8:00 am - 4:45 pm <b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
8.	6 3/4 Mile North or 1/4 Mile South Hwy. 107 Los Ebanos Rd. Alton, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 8:00 am - 4:45 pm <b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
9.	Corner of Military Rd. and FM 886 Sullivan, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 8:00 am - 4:45 pm <b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
10.	Landfill—Military Rd. 0.5 Mile West of FM 1427 Penitas, TX <b>BRUSH ACCEPTED</b>	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 7:00 am - 3:00 pm
11.	M. Road Recovery Center 1124 N. "M" Road Edinburg, TX	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:30 am - 6:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
12.	Northwest corner of Davis and Terry Rd. Edinburg, TX <b>BRUSH SITE ONLY</b>	<b>Monday—Friday</b> 7:30 am - 6:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
13.	Linn San Manuel Recovery Center 0.25 Mile East of Hwy 281 on SH 186 Linn, TX	<b>Tuesday &amp; Thursday</b> 7:30 am - 6:00 pm <b>Saturday</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

The hours of operations for each collection station are listed above with the exception of County Holidays.

## ALLOWABLE VEHICLES

- ✔ Passenger cars
- ✔ Station wagons
- ✔ Sport utilities vehicles
- ✔ Residential vans
- ✔ Pick-up Trucks
- ✔ Small single axle utility trailers

## VEHICLES NOT ALLOWED

- ✘ Large commercial trucks



- ✘ Dump trucks



- ✘ Tractors pulling trailers



- ✘ Double axel trailers



**If you have any questions , please call any Hidalgo County Precinct Office**

### Precinct 1

1902 Joe Stephens Ave. Ste.  
101 Weslaco, Texas 78599  
(956) 968-8733

### Precinct 2

300 W. Hall Acres, Suite G.  
Pharr, Texas 78599  
(956) 787-1891



### Precinct 3

724 North Breyfogle  
Mission, Texas 78574  
(956) 585-4509

### Precinct 4

1051 N. Doolittle Rd.  
Edinburg, Texas 78542  
(956) 383-3112