# 2025 Waste Management Tipping Fees

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### Purpose

Results of 2024 Tipping Fee Review

Recommend competitive pricing structure

## **Current Waste Management Tipping Fees & Revenues**

#### **Tipping Fees**

- Minimum Tipping Fee \$8 / 50Kg
- Per Tonne \$125
- Various Material Rates

#### Annual Revenues (2024 budget)

- Minimum Fee Revenues \$0.6M
- Per Tonne Revenues \$3.0M
- Total Tipping Fee Revenues \$3.6M





### 2024 Tipping Fee Comparison

Municipality	Minimum Tip Fee	Per Tonne Rate
Niagara Region	\$8 / 50 Kg	\$125
Public Sector		
Halton	\$10 / 150 Kg	\$194
Hamilton	\$11 / 100 Kg	\$130
London	\$8 / 100 Kg	\$75
Peel	\$6/47 Kg	\$128
Waterloo	\$12 / 120 Kg	\$100
Public Sector Average	\$9.40	\$125.40





#### **Full Cost Recovery**



Full cost recovery components – direct operations, capital and planning & administrative



Current tipping fee rates fall below cost recovery



Full cost recovery is achieved at \$181 / tonne



Objective of a multi-year strategy





#### **Proposed 2025 Tipping Fees**

Tip Fee / Material	Niagara Region Current Fee	Municipal Average	Niagara Region Proposed Fee Structure
Minimum Fee	\$8 / 50Kg	\$9	\$9 / 60Kg
Per Tonne	\$125	\$125	No change
Concrete	\$30 / tonne	N/A	\$35 / tonne clean + \$125 tonne contaminated
Leaf & Yard (commercial	\$75 / tonne	\$139 / tonne	\$80 / tonne
Shingles	\$85 / tonne	\$125 / tonne	\$90 / tonne
Soils - Clean	\$10 / tonne	\$125 / tonne	\$43 / tonne
Soils - Contaminated	\$39 / tonne	\$125 / tonne	\$43 / tonne



# Proposed Fee Structure & Implementation

Rationale – align with comparators, enhanced cost recovery

Est. 2025 Revenue = \$3.9M

- \$0.1M = Proposed fee structure increase (2.8% of est. budget)
- \$0.2M = Anticipated impact of 2024 tip fee increase

Full cost recovery est. to be \$181/tonne = \$5.4M annually compared to 2025 budget of \$3.9M

2025 User Fee Report for Council's consideration





#### **Thank You**



