

MRF/CT Subcommittee Meeting #4 – Handout 1.
Mixed Dry Waste Facility Standards (existing licensed facilities)

CHAPTER 5.01

SOLID WASTE FACILITY REGULATION

SECTION TITLE

5.01.053 Issuance and Contents of Licenses

(i) Licenses shall specify the activities authorized to be performed, the types and amounts of wastes authorized to be accepted at the solid waste facility, and any other limitations or conditions attached by the Chief Operating Officer. In addition to all other requirements of this section, a license approving acceptance of mixed non-putrescible waste for the purpose of conducting material recovery or reloading shall be subject to the performance standards, design requirements, and operating requirements adopted as administrative procedures pursuant to Section 5.01.132, and shall require that the facility operate in a manner that meets the following general performance goals:

(1) **Environment.** Facilities shall be designed and operated to preclude the creation of undue threats to the environment including, but not limited to, stormwater or groundwater contamination, air pollution, and improper acceptance and management of hazardous waste asbestos and other prohibited wastes.

(2) **Health and Safety.** Facilities shall be designed and operated to preclude the creation of conditions that may degrade public health and safety including, but not limited to, fires, vectors, pathogens and airborne debris.

(3) **Nuisances.** Facilities shall be designed and operated to preclude the creation of nuisance conditions including, but not limited to, litter, dust, odors, and noise.

(4) **Material Recovery.** Facilities conducting material recovery on non-putrescible waste shall be designed and operated to assure materials are recovered in a timely manner, to meet standards in Section 5.01.125, and to protect the quality of non-putrescible waste that has not yet undergone material recovery.

(5) **Reloading.** Facilities conducting reloading of non-putrescible waste shall be designed and operated to assure that the reloading and transfer of non-putrescible waste to Metro authorized processing facility is conducted rapidly and efficiently while protecting the quality of non-putrescible waste that has not yet undergone material recovery.

(6) **Record-keeping.** Facilities shall keep and maintain complete and accurate records of the amount of all solid waste and recyclable materials received, recycled, reloaded and disposed.

