

# **POLK COUNTY TRANSFER STATION GUIDELINES**

## **ANNUAL \$75 PERMIT GUIDELINES**

**For the disposal of house whole waste, Polk County residences have several options available. For persons living outside town limits several private garbage collection companies offer disposal services to residence and businesses. For those wishing to haul their own garbage a per trip fee and an annual dumping permit are available. The current per trip fee is \$7.00 and the annual permit is \$75.00**

### **THE PERMIT YOU ARE PURCHASING HAS THE FOLLOWING STIPULATIONS:**

1. It is intended for the dumping of waste from one residence.
2. It may not be used for the dumping of quantities greater than 400lb of construction waste, yard waste or land clearing derbies. Loads in excessive of 400lbs are weighed and charged by the ton for the entire load.
3. It may not be used for any commercial activity.
4. It may not be used for waste resulting from a multi-family dwelling, such as a trailer park, rest home, apartment complex, a communal living facility, or a camp ground.
5. The permit must be applied at the time of purchase to the front of a vehicle, owned by the purchaser, or to a location visible to the scale attendant. Another vehicle may be used for dumping, by a permit holder by presenting a receipt of purchase to the scale attendant.
6. A permit may not be purchased by anyone not residing in Polk County.

THE SAME RESTRICTIONS APPLY TO THE PER VISIT CHARGE OF \$7.00

### **\$35.00 AVAILABILITY FEE**

**Included with each annual property tax bill is a \$35 solid waste availability fee. This fee is assigned to each improved property. The payment of this fee provides disposal, with no additional cost, of the following items to POLK COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY.**

- **Recyclables: food and beverage containers**
- **Mixed paper**
- **Newspapers**
- **Cardboard**
- **Junk Mail**
- **Books and Magazines**
- **Waste Oil (household quantities)**
- **Scrap Tires**
- **Metal**
- **Appliances**
- **All batteries including automotive batteries**
- **Computers and other household electronics**
- **Furniture (household quantities)**
- **Yard Waste (less than 400lbs per load)**
- **Paint (household quantities)**
- **Antifreeze (household quantities)**
- **Block, brick, concrete, asphalt and uncontaminated dirt**
- **Cell Phones, printer cartridges**
- **Fluorescent bulbs**