



Monterey Regional Waste Management District

Service, Stewardship and Sustainability Since 1951

CONCRETE AND ASPHALT ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

It is District's policy to accept loads of clean concrete and asphalt at the rate of \$1 per ton (\$5 minimum). This material is crushed and recycled for use as base rock. As contamination* seriously affects the material processing and may reduce the quality of the recycled product, it is very important to keep loads of concrete and asphalt clean. ("Clean" means no trash or debris mixed with load.)

We request your cooperation in helping to make the concrete and asphalt recycling program a success. This program is mutually beneficial in that it saves you from having to pay the regular disposal fee and it conserves valuable landfill space.

Please Note: The waste category and disposal fee is based on the District staff's visual determination of the waste material's physical properties and degree of cleanliness and/or contamination. This determination is final.

Materials Accepted at the Concrete Recycling Area:		
Maximum size of concrete (3.5'x 3.5' x 8") with NO rebar or pipe exposed.		\$1 per ton/ \$5 min.
Clean oversized concrete with rebar or pipe 8" - 36" exposed.		\$11 per ton/ \$10 min.
Clean mixed loads of concrete/ asphalt and the following materials		\$2 per ton/ \$5 min.
• ceramic or ceramic tile	• Gravel/ rock /stone	• marble
• concrete block & roof tile		

Materials Accepted at the Asphalt Recycling Area:		
• asphalt pieces	• ceramic reflector buttons	• hot mix

Examples of Unacceptable Materials and Contaminants are:		
• adobe clay bricks	• glass	• pipe
• base rock	• ice plant	• terra cotta tile
• chalk rock	• lava	• stucco
• debris or trash	• metal	• wood waste
• dirt in excess of 10%	• plastic	• yard waste
Loads containing unacceptable materials are charged at the regular disposal rate (see Disposal Fee Schedule). *Contaminated or oversized loads dumped into the clean stockpiles will be charged at the current problem waste rate per ton.		

THE DISTRICT DOES NOT ACCEPT WASTE THAT IS DEFINED AS HAZARDOUS WASTE UNDER RCRA OR CCR TITLE 22.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Please Contact: MRWMD Scale Supervisor at 831-264-6389

For Special Waste Contact: Special Waste Screening Technician at 831-264-6910