



December 2016 Recycle Monthly Average Pounds Per Home 89 Tons collected



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December 2016 Recycle - VS - Trash to Landfill Average Per Home







Recycle Monthly Average Pounds Per Home Thru December 2016







Fort Hood Net Zero Waste Program



2020 "Perfect Vision, Perfect Mission"





Net Zero Waste is a holistic strategy to reduce and reuse waste while incorporating emerging best practices, such as single stream recycling and food waste composting, to manage waste at Army installations with a goal of reaching zero landfill by 2020.







Goal: Change culture at Fort Hood to achieve Net Zero Waste.

Key Tasks:

- Rethink and Reduce amount of resources used.
- Re-purpose and Reuse whenever possible.
- Recycle and Compost waste resources.
- Identify technologies and strategies to reach Net Zero.
- Employ aggressive strategic communications campaign through conservation education, incentives and training.

End State: Fort Hood Community has embraced Net Zero and is actively supporting the effort.











- \$4M annually to operate the landfill and provide trash collection.
- Each person throws 2.6 lbs of material into the landfill every day.
- Everyone in the Fort Hood community plays a vital role in the installation's Net Zero Waste efforts by actively reducing, reusing and recycling waste.









Fort Hood has made great progress thus far and we need your help to continue this trend!





Diversion efforts include

Recycling

Composting

Donations











- 75% of everything going into our landfill has the potential to be composted or recycled.
- Single Stream Recycling has made this much easier.
- Composting installation-wide will be available starting in FY18.

Did you know?

- We throw cash in the trash everyday!!!
- In FY16, approximately 4,861 tons of recyclables went into the landfill!
- \$583,320 could have gone back to Soldier unit funds!









Reduce

- Avoid purchasing disposable single use items (dinnerware and food-related items).
- Purchase items in bulk and in concentrated form if available.
- Reduce printing requirements and set printers to default to double-sided.
- If printing is required, print multiple pages per sheet of paper.



- Convert all required printed forms for signature into electronic signature forms.
- Conduct weekly inspections of trash cans and avoid purchasing the items that are found.
- Promote DFAC dining to reduce food-related waste and packaging.
- If bringing food from home, reduce waste that could be generated from those meals.







Repurpose & Reuse

- Promote the use of reusable bags during grocery shopping.
- Purchase reusable batteries as much as possible.
- Purchase products with recycled content (paper, pens, other supplies).
- Participate in the installation-wide yard sales in housing and in the barracks.
- Take all unserviceable government-owned property to DLADS by calling 287-7763.
- Share excess materials (military equipment, excess POL products and furniture) with other units.
- Donate household hazardous materials (e.g., cleaners) to the Classification Unit for reuse.







Single Stream Recycling

What can you put in your blue bins?





Cardboard Plastic

Jugs

Bottles

Styrofoam #6

Cereal Boxes Food Boxes Pizza Boxes Packing Boxes



Metal

Soda Cans Tin Cans Steel Cans Energy Drink Cans Aluminum Cans

Paper

Books Junk Mail

Magazines Newspapers Phone Books Office Paper Catalogs Glass Bottles Jars

Now you can use one container to collect all your recyclables!





No plastic bags, film, and wrappers in the recycling containers!

To prevent equipment damage and help Fort Hood increase its recycling, plastic bags, film, and wrappers must come directly to the Recycle Center.

NO SORTING! RECYCLING JUST GOT EASIER!





- Fort Hood Recycle offers a single stream recycle program, allowing for recyclables to be commingled.
- Be sure to place your clearly labeled blue recycle bins next to trash cans to prevent placing the wrong material in the wrong bin.
- The sorting equipment and reconfiguration increase the Recycle Center's processing capacity from 8,500 tons to 18,000 tons per year. <u>Take a tour to see the upgrade!</u>
- Cardboard, plastic, metal, paper, and glass can now go into the same blue bin.
- Miscellaneous recyclables will need to be taken to the Recycle Center.











Recycle these miscellaneous recyclables at the Fort Hood Recycle Center.





Holiday Lights

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Clothing Toner & Shoes Cartridges

Scrap Metal

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Plastic Bags

Pallets

Small Household Appliances

Fort Hood Recycle

CDs

Bldg. 4626, 72nd St. & Railhead Dr. 254-287-2336 Mon - Fri, 7:30 - 11:30 am & 12:30 - 4:30 pm

Additional Services

- Bulk pickup available upon request for large quantities of material. *Not for military housing.*
- Paper and hard drive shredding services available 8 - 11:30 am and 12:30 - 4 pm.
- Secret document destruction available. Call 254-248-5447.
- Scale available for DITY moves at a \$5 cost.
- Get paid in cash for aluminum cans.







Fort Hood Recycle Bldg. 4626, 72nd St. & Railhead Dr. 254-287-2336





Recycle Proceeds Pay For:

- Oktoberfest
- Fort Hood Community Showcase
- Nature in Lights
- Courses of Clear Creek
- UFC Fight Night Viewings
- BOSS Program Sponsorship
- Hood Howdy
- Boxing Fight Night Pay-Per-View
- Month of the Military Child
- Military Spouse Appreciation Day
- Freedom Fest Fireworks
- BLORA (Water Fest, Flashlight Egghunt)
- Super Bowl Event
- DFMWR Runs and Cardio Events









Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center



Products Accepted at the Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center











Classification Unit 254-553-0896 254-288-7627

Bldg. 1348 Ivy Division Rd. & 37th St.

> Monday-Friday 7:30 - 11:30 am & 12:30 - 4:00 pm



Household hazardous waste and personal electronics are accepted free of charge at the Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center, located at the Fort Hood Classification Unit, for proper disposal or recycling.

The Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center will **NOT** accept ammunition, food products, medical products, items normally collected by Fort Hood's Recycle Program or property book or government owned items.

Government owned property such as computers, and military equipment must go to <u>DLADS</u> for turn-in by calling 254-287-7763 for an evaluation and pickup.







Unit operations can send the below items to the Classification Unit for processing and recycling by calling 254-288-7627 or 254-553-0896 for an appointment.

- Oil and fuel filters
- Fluorescent bulbs
- Batteries (lithium, sulfur dioxide, nickel metal hydride, etc.
- Aerosol and paint cans
- Empty POL containers
- POL contaminated (rags, pads, etc.)











All bagged yard waste such as leaves, trimmings, grass clippings, etc. can be placed in bags and brought to the Compost Center at Clarke Rd and Turkey Run Rd

Village residents may use curbside compost bins







Net Zero Waste Website





For more information visit the NZW website

www.hood.army.mil/NetZero/



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Fort Hood Landfill/Compost

254-532-2256 Mon - Fri, 7:30 - 5:00 pm and Saturday 7:30 am - 2:00 pm

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For more information visit:

http://www.hood.army.mil/dpw/ http://www.hood.army.mil/NetZero/ http://facebook.com/FortHoodRecycle

