

# AGRICULTURAL ORGANIC MATERIAL

**Landfill Disposal Requirements** 

### **AGRICULTURAL** ORGANIC MATERIAL

means "suitably prepared and separated plant derived crop materials originating from agricultural operations, excluding FRUIT WASTE and FOOD WASTE, that is not CONTAMINATED, and has been suitably prepared for DISPOSAL". RDOS Bylaw No. 2796, 2018

# **FREE DISPOSAL for:**

"Suitably Prepared"

**Agricultural Organic Material** 



#### **HAULING MULTIPLE LOADS?**

Book an appointment and provide at least 24 hours notification.

## **LANDFILL APPOINTMENTS:**

What to include in 24 hour E-mail notice:

- 1. Your Name and the Property Address where the AGRICULTURAL ORGANIC MATERIAL is generated,
- 2. Hauler's name & e-mail include company name for commercial haulers,
- 3. The Landfill to which you're transporting (Oliver, Campbell Mountain, Okanagan Falls or Keremeos),
- 4. Date(s) you will be hauling,
- 5. Approximate arrival time(s) within Landfill Hours of Acceptance, and
- 6. Estimated number of loads.

Before sending your E-mail notice, set E-mail to request a Read Receipt.

Receiving a Read Receipt confirms that RDOS has received your 24-hour notice. RDOS will issue a Confirmation E-mail to confirm your delivery time. If this delivery time is acceptable, click Accept. If not, please reply with an alternative time.

Email: Don Hamilton dhamilton@rdos.bc.ca and Wendy Bennett wbennett@rdos.bc.ca

To CANCEL your APPOINTMENT, inform the Landfill as soon as possible.

# **HAULING A SINGLE LOAD?**

See Landfill Hours of Acceptance, or book an appointment to avoid wait times.

# **IMPORTANT!**

If the load is NOT SUITABLY PREPARED, or is CONTAMINATED, or is **DISPOSED** in the wrong location, you may be charged 3 times the rate for REFUSE, or 3 times the highest rate for any material contained in the load, whichever is greater.

> RDOS Fees & Charges Bylaw No. 2787

# How to **Suitably Prepare:**

- NO fruit or food waste
- X NO garbage, treated posts, wire, plastics, etc.
- NO soil or rocks When loading materials, ensure excavator operator is not scraping ground and loading soil & rocks.
- NO soil or rocks in tree stumps/root balls A bit of soil is acceptable. Ask excavator operator to shake and squeeze root balls to remove soil & rocks.
- X NO land-clearing materials, ornamental trees or sage brush

Loads will be charged if ANY amount of these materials are mixed in.

# HAVE an ORCHARD but DON'T WANT to HAUL to the LANDFILL?

If your orchard is located in Penticton, Oliver, Keremeos, Rural Osoyoos, West Bench, Area A, B, C, D, E, or G:

register with RDOS for your FREE quote for the Full Orchard Chipping Program

Call 250.490.0237 or 1.877.610.3737 or E-mail info@rdos.bc.ca

#### **HOW IT WORKS:**

- The Chipping Contractor contacts you for an on-site visit, determines access for equipment, and provides a quote.
- Grower pays separately to pull trees or vines.
- · Grower pays 25% of quoted chipping cost to RDOS.
- Orchard is then scheduled for chipping.

NOTE: Only trees or vines from AGRICULTURAL operations. NO land clearing materials, ornamental trees or sage brush.



- Pieces cut to less than 8 feet in length
- **Include ONLY** plant-derived crop materials from agricultural operations

# **Landfill Hours** of Acceptance

(Limited Hours)

#### Oliver

Mar. 1 - Nov. 30

Monday - Saturday 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Dec. 1 - Feb. 28

Monday - Friday Noon to 3:30 p.m.

& Saturday

10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

## **Campbell Mountain (Penticton)**

Mar. 1 - Nov. 30

Monday - Sunday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Dec. 1 - Feb. 28

Monday - Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

# Okanagan Falls

Jan. 1 - Dec. 31

Monday - Friday 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Apr. 1 - Oct. 31

Saturday

10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

#### Keremeos

Jan. 1 - Dec. 31

Sunday

10 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.

Mar. 1 - Nov. 30

Wednesday

Noon to 3:45 p.m.

ALL landfill sites are CLOSED on Stat Holidays & Boxing Day