

COUNTY OF ST. PAUL

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Demolition Materials

What are acceptable demolition materials?

Acceptable materials include but are not limited to wood, concrete, siding, shingles, drywall, insulation, glass, and ceramic materials.

What are not acceptable demolition materials?

- Any type of hazardous materials.
- Asbestos – Materials containing asbestos are not accepted at the County Transfer Stations.

How do I know if I have any hazardous materials or Asbestos in my Demolition project?

A reputable building inspector can inspect your demolition project and confirm whether you have any hazardous materials or asbestos present.

Will I need to prove to the transfer station attendant that I do not have any Asbestos or Hazardous material in my demolition material I want to take to the Transfer Station?

Yes. There are some steps that need to be taken before the demolition project takes place:

- 1) A Building Demolition Permit must be filled out and approved by the County of St. Paul – This permit is available on the County of St. Paul website under 'Waste Management/ Waste Material'
- 2) Along with the Permit, there is a form (attached to the Permit) that must be signed which clears the demolition project of having any hazardous material or Asbestos.

Is there any cost to bringing this material to the transfer station?

Yes. The solid waste costs vary from \$55.00 for a ½ ton load to \$275.00 for a 20-yard truck. If the load comes in as a mixed load (*see below *Can all these materials be dumped in the same spot at the transfer stations?*), the fee goes up to \$110.00 for a ½ ton load to \$550.00 for a 20 yard truck.

See the *Solid Waste Disposal Charge Account Form* for costs.

By sorting your materials accordingly, you can save money on your demolition project.

Which County of St. Paul locations take Demolition materials?

Ashmont and Mallaig both have Class 3 pits which can accommodate larger amounts of material.

St. Lina, Vincent Lake, St. Edouard, and Whitney Lake only have roll off bins and cannot accept large amounts of demolition material. Only minimal amount of demolition material is allowed at these sites.

Can all these materials be dumped in the same spot at the transfer stations?

Shingles must be kept separate from other demolition materials.

Clean wood that does not have any paint, wood preservatives or paint can be burnt in the burn pits.

Any recyclable materials must not be dumped in the same place as the demolition materials. Scrap metal, appliances, electronics, cans of paint, light fixtures with ballasts, light bulbs and any household hazardous waste must be kept separate and sorted accordingly.