

NEW Scale Procedures

All vehicles must weigh-in on the scale

The Transition Period Begins:

Effective May 12, 2014

All Vehicles Must Weigh in Every Time:

Effective July 1, 2014

Why

Madison County is required to account for all materials received at the Transfer Station. We have always weighed all outgoing materials, however we did not have data on all inbound materials. Our new scale software will now track all inbound and outbound materials.

How

All vehicles entering the Transfer & Recycling Center will weigh in at the scale house. On the back of this flyer is a drawing of the new traffic pattern, please review it.

Steps

- 1** Upon entering the Transfer Station stop at the STOP SIGN.
- 2** On the scale house building you will see green and red lights. Proceed onto the scale only when you see the green light and only after coming to a full stop, watch for traffic and proceed slowly.
- 3** Show and provide the scale attendant your tag number. Your vehicle will be weighed.
- 4** Exit the scale, keep right and continue to the disposal / recycling area.
- 5** After dumping proceed to the stop sign. On the scale house you will see green and red lights. On a green light return to the scale or exit to the left if you do not have to weigh out, watch for traffic and proceed slowly.

Notes

- 1** If you don't have a hang tag stop in the scale house with your County identification and you will receive one free of charge.
- 2** Replacement or second tags are \$5.00 each and a limit of 2 per household.
- 3** The tag number is unique to each resident and their vehicle.
- 4** The first time you register your vehicle please return to the scale to establish an empty weight for that vehicle.
- 5** The next time you weigh in you will not need to return to the scale after dumping, as we will store your vehicles empty weight.
- 6** If you are disposing of non household trash you will always return to the scale to be weighed out and pay the established fees.
- 7** No charges will be based on stored weights.
- 8** Some item can be paid for when you weigh in. For example if you had a tire you would pay \$3.00 when you weighed in and would not need to return to the scale.
- 9** Approximately every 90 days you will be asked to weigh out in order to keep our system updated.

