



On-site Customer Safety Policy

The following requirements have been put in place to help ensure the safety of Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation (RIRRC) customers and staff. Be advised that failure to comply with these may result in load rejection or offenders being permanently banned from the facility.

1. All customers are required to follow the direction of RIRRC staff when onsite with no exception.
2. All commercial vehicles and operators must comply with all Federal and State regulations. Any disabled vehicle must use traffic cones or emergency reflector triangles to warn on-coming traffic. The use of road flares is not permitted anywhere on RIRRC property.
3. Any accident or incident that occurs onsite is required to be immediately reported to the nearest RIRRC staff member.
4. High visibility vests or ANSI class 2 clothing, puncture resistant boots and long pants are required to always be worn on site. Use of designated facilities without these is prohibited as are the wearing of shorts, tennis, and open toed shoes.
5. Smoking, vaping, and salvaging are also prohibited on site as is the use of cell phones while operating any vehicle or hydraulic implements.
6. The speed limit on site is 15 MPH, no passing is allowed, and all drivers are required to obey posted traffic control devices.
7. RIRRC vehicles and equipment always have the right of way while onsite. As such, drivers must be prepared to slow down and stop at all intersections and equipment crossings.
8. All loads must remain covered until you have reached your designated unloading area. Tarps or covers should never be removed while on the scales or along our roadways.
9. Trucks using the landfill are expected to keep 15 feet apart while dumping in the active working area. If a vehicle pulls within 15 feet of your vehicle you must suspend operation until that vehicle has moved. Trailer dump trucks must remain 50 feet apart when dumping.
10. Customers using the Transfer Station or Compost receiving area must always remain with their vehicle and minors are not allowed outside the vehicle.
11. If you are dumping in line with other vehicles, you must wait for those on either side of you to come to a complete stop before exiting your vehicle.

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12. Only the driver is allowed to exit the vehicle while in the active landfill working area. Once outside, he or she must always stay with their vehicle, must not wander off or walk behind any vehicle or pass beneath or within any raised or open and unsecured tailgate.
13. Drivers are responsible for securing their own tailgates, turn buckles and latches and cleaning off any debris from aprons, bumpers, and tail gates prior to exiting the disposal area.
14. During inclement weather, exiting trucks may be diverted through the wheel washer. If the wheel wash diversion lane is in use, you are required to use it.
15. Should a vehicle become stuck or disabled while onsite, RIRRC will tow it out of the traffic pattern with the driver's permission. In such instances drivers will be required to hook the tow chain, or cable to their vehicle to prevent damage. Any further towing services needed to remove the vehicle from the site will be the responsibility of the vehicle owner/operator.
16. All vehicles are subject to random load inspections by RIRRC staff while onsite. If selected for a random check, please cooperate with RIRRC staff to avoid unnecessary delays.

If at any time you feel you are in an unsafe situation, remain in your vehicle and contact RIRRC directly. Staff can be reached by telephone at (401) 228-3102 and via CB radio on channel 12. **In the event of an emergency dial 911 and report your address as 65 Shun Pike, Johnston, RI.**

