

The Facts about the Proposed Landfill: First in a Series **An Environmental Landfill Providing Safe Solid Waste Solutions**

To ensure long-term safety for the environment and residents of Scotland County, the proposed state-of-the-art landfill will only accept residential and commercial non-hazardous solid waste.

Waste accepted at the landfill will include organic waste (biodegradable), paper, plastic, glass and metals; it will not accept hazardous, radioactive or infectious materials.

Modern landfills are built to conform to strict environmental protection standards established and enforced by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR). Federal and state regulations mandate that modern landfills meet or exceed stringent requirements while in operation and long after the facility closes.

In addition to its 283 active landfills properties, Waste Management operates 131 recycling plants, 370 transfer stations, 17 waste-to-energy plants, 95 beneficial-use landfill gas projects, and more than 400 hauling companies throughout the United States and Canada.

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Key Features of Our Landfill Proposal

- Millions of dollars in added revenues to the county
- Long-term disposal solution, with local control ensured
- Environmentally safe and technologically advanced facility
- Strict regulation by US EPA and DENR



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