



## **Historical Municipal Solid Waste Delivered to PERC by MRC Charter Municipalities**

The [attached table](#) provides data on the tons of Acceptable Waste that each Charter Municipality has been recorded as having delivered to the PERC Facility since the MRC began keeping electronic records in 1991. Joining Members are asked to review their historical deliveries to PERC as a part of the basis for determining their Estimated Delivery Amounts for the Joinder Agreements.

- For purposes of determining the Estimated Delivery Amount for Joining Members, the MRC calls your attention to the following: Factors to be considered in addition to past deliveries include future changes in MSW generation (due to anticipated waste reduction efforts, municipal growth or development, impacts of mill closures or other adverse events and otherwise), changes in collection and delivery patterns (including collection by commercial haulers), and future impacts of current and anticipated diversion programs.
- Joining Members are specifically encouraged to set the Estimated Delivery Amount at a level that accounts for impacts of waste reduction and diversion programs, including existing programs as well as new programs to be implemented in the future.
- The MRC is asking Joining Members to do their best to ensure that the Estimated Delivery Amount is an accurate representation of the amount of Acceptable Waste to be delivered to the Fiberight facility starting in 2018. An estimate that is too low will make it more difficult than necessary for the project to achieve financing. An estimate that is too high might contribute to the MRC's exposure to not achieving the overall Delivery Commitment during the project operations.
- The Estimated Delivery Amount is not a Guaranteed Annual Tonnage (GAT). Under the MRC agreements individual Joining Members will NOT be liable for penalties for failure to deliver their Estimated Delivery Amounts so long as they continue to deliver all MSW under their control to the Fiberight facility.
- Note that recyclable materials should not be included in the Estimated Delivery Amount, even if such materials would be from a single-stream program and would be delivered to the Fiberight facility under Section 5.2 of the Master Waste Supply Agreement.
- Joining Members and the MRC will have the opportunity to review their commitments on an ongoing basis.

Please contact the MRC's Executive Director, Greg Lounder, at (207) 664-1700 or [glounder@mrcmaine.org](mailto:glounder@mrcmaine.org) with any questions about determination of the Estimated Delivery Amount for your community.