

Department of Public Works Sanitation Section

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DPW Annual Residential Recycling Report

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2025



Program Highlights



Curbside Recycling Tonnage Increased 6.7% Since 2023

10,900+ Flood Tons Managed



1,401 MPS Students Participated in Recycle for Good Education



Charlie Berens First Day as a Garbage Collector Video



160 MPS Students Participated In America Recycles Day Art Gallery

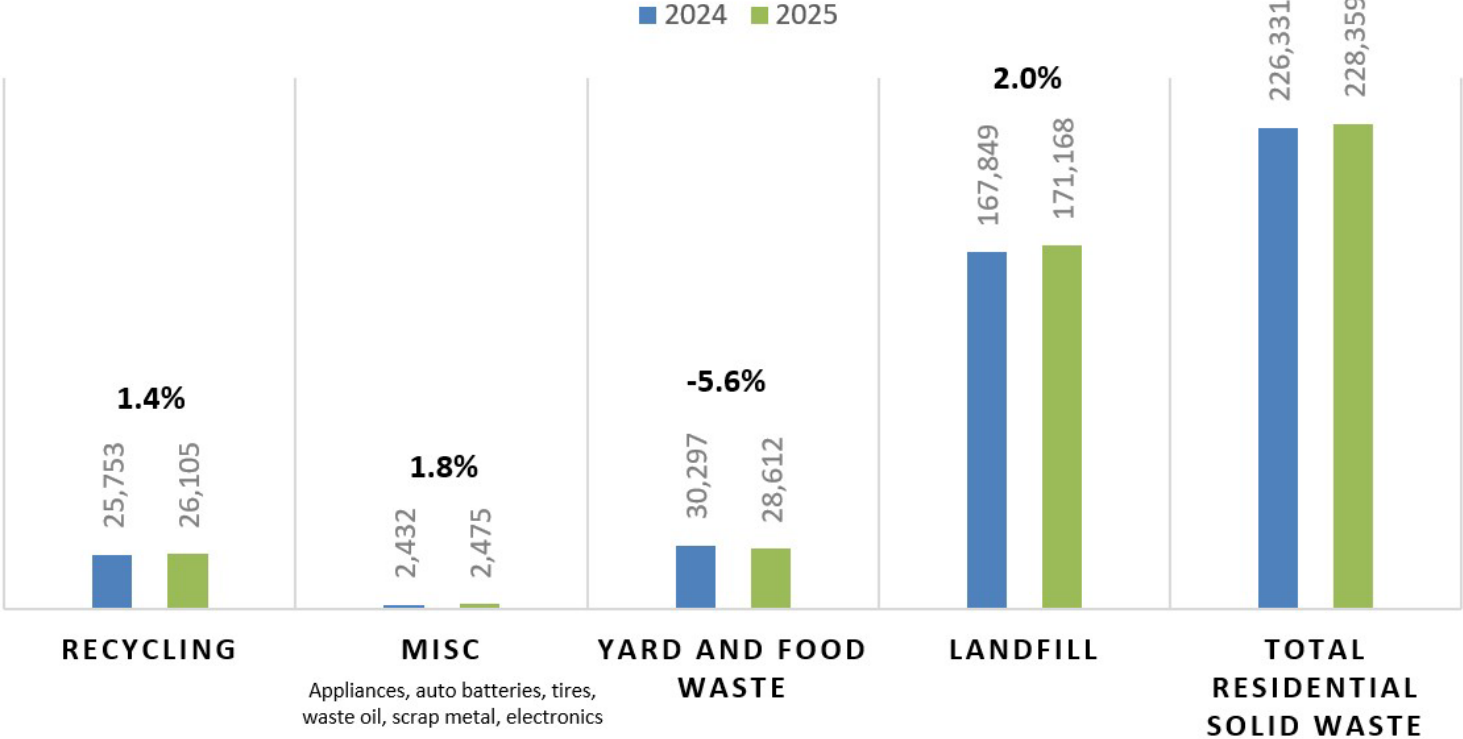


Launch of Food Scrap Drop-Off Program

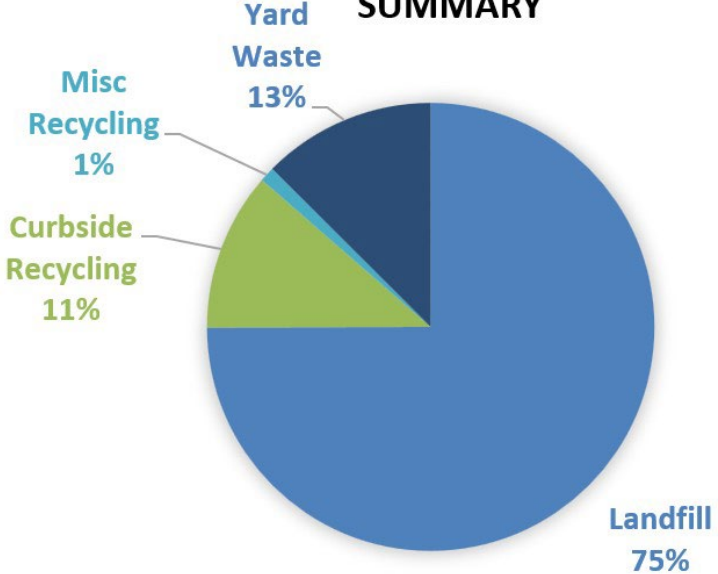


Program Summary

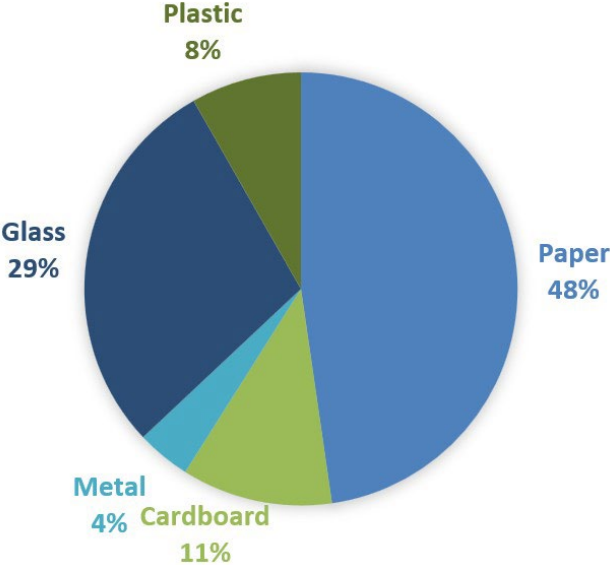
RESIDENTIAL TONS COLLECTED
YEAR OVER YEAR PERCENT CHANGE



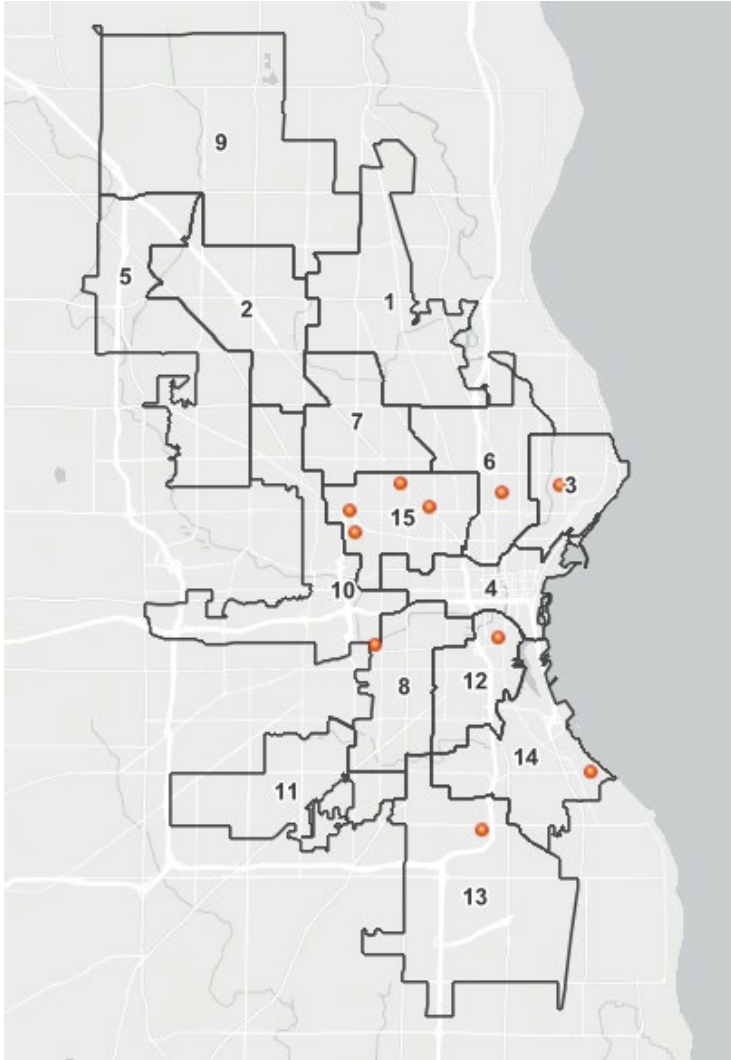
2025 TOTAL RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE
SUMMARY



2025 RECYCLING COMPOSITION



Food Scrap Drop-Off

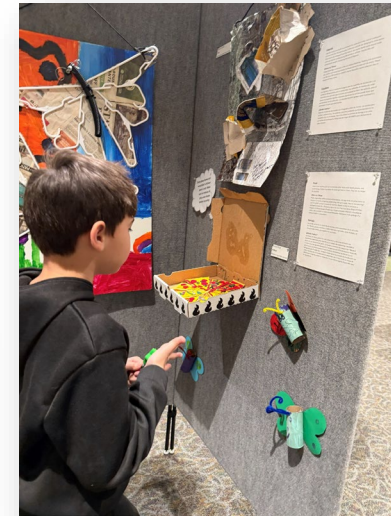


Current Locations

- All Peoples Church/Tikkun Ha-Ir
- Anodyne - Walker's Point
- Fondy Farmers Market
- Jewish Community Pantry“
- Tricklebee Café
- Urban Ecology Center - Menomonee Valley
- Urban Ecology Center - Riverside Park
- Urban Ecology Center - Washington Park
- MKE Outdoor Indoor Exchange LLC
- Garden District Neighborhood Association



America Recycles Day



Charlie Berens Video and Podcast



August 2025 Flood

