



What is this “Solid Waste” Special Assessment on my Property Tax Statement?

Special Assessments on Your Property			
13.	Special assessments added to the property tax bill		
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		10.00	8.00
	SOLID WASTE	10.00	

- ✓ The Solid Waste Management Fee is authorized under Minnesota State Statute 400.08. The Pine County Board of Commissioners held a public hearing on October 6, 2015 in consideration of imposing the fee. The fee will be used to make improvements to the solid waste management practices in Pine County.
- ✓ The fee for 2020 is \$10 per improved taxable property. If the fee is showing on your property tax statement and your property is not improved, please request a an appeal form by calling 320-591-1668.
- ✓ The services which this fee supports are:
 - Pine County Household Hazardous Waste Facility which is free for residents of Pine County to use or property owners whom have paid this fee. Items accepted at this facility include paints, paint thinners, batteries, oil, cleaners, and other hazardous items (see brochure).
 - Subsidized recycling of tires, mattress, electronics at the North Pine Transfer Station in Willow River, Hinckley Transfer Station, and South Pine Transfer Station in Pine City.
 - Free household recycling at the South Pine Transfer Station in Pine City, Hinckley Transfer Station, PHASE in Sandstone, North Pine Transfer Station in Willow River, and the sheds located behind the municipal liquor store in Finlayson and at the Pine County Highway Garage in Bruno.
- ✓ The Pine County Solid Waste & Disposal Guide outlines locations and hours of these facilities.