

2011 Total Solid Waste Diversion from Yellowstone National Park (YNP)	
Recycling	Tons
Aluminum (Cans, Foil, Plates/Pans, Scrap)	18.84
Antifreeze	1.45
Aerosols	0.05
Batteries	9.87
Cardboard	258.74
CD/DVD/Floppies	0.01
Cooking Grease	25.15
Electronics	9.92
Glass	151.21
Lamp Ballasts	0.04
Lamps (fluorescent)	1.44
Linens and Textiles	23.88
Mattresses	70.85
Manure	962.00
Oil Filters	1.97
Oil Used	28.98
Other	3.94
Packaging for Retail Shipments	2.90
Paper (Office, Newspaper, Slick)	91.60
Plastics (film and containers)	56.70
Printer/Toner Cartridges	0.12
Propane/Isobutane Canisters	15.00
Steel/Tin/Scrap Iron	216.60
Tires	60.85
Wood	320.64
<b>Total Recycled</b>	<b>2,332.76</b>

2011 Summary	Tons
Total Trash to Landfill	1,273.53
Total Compost	1,041.98
Total Recycling	2,332.76
Total Waste (Trash, Compost & Recycling)	4,648.26
Total Diverted Material	3,374.73
Percent Diverted or Sent to Landfill	Percent
Landfill	27.4%
Compost	22.4%
Recycling	50.2%
<b>Overall Park-wide Diversion Rate</b>	<b>72.6%</b>



# Yellowstone National Park Solid Waste Diversion 2011

Yellowstone National Park managers and partners are striving to divert 90% of the solid waste produced in the Park from landfills by 2020. Yellowstone Environmental Coordinating Committee (YECC) monitors sustainability projects, like waste diversion, in Yellowstone. In 2011, the YECC consisted of representatives from the National Park Service, Xanterra, Delaware North, Yellowstone Association, Medcor, and Yellowstone Park Service Stations. The YECC and Four Corners Recycling, Yellowstone's recycling contractor, aggregated each organization's solid waste statistics to determine the total amount diverted. Park employees, visitors, and partners diverted about 73% through recycling and composting initiatives!

