

## WHAT IS A WASTE TIRE FACILITY?

**A WASTE TIRE FACILITY IS A LOCATION WHICH ACCUMULATES WASTE TIRES FOR DISPOSAL, PROCESSING, RESALE, OR STORAGE.**



Tire Dealers and Auto Dismantlers are excluded from a permit if the waste tires are stored on the premises for less than 90 days and the amount of waste tires stored does not exceed 1,500.

Facilities that accept tires from offsite, must keep Comprehensive Trip Logs (CTL) for each load received of 10 or more tires. If no CTL is provided by the hauler, the facility must complete CIWMB Form 204.

Facilities storing *more than 500 tires* must obtain a permit from CIWMB and comply with the following standards:

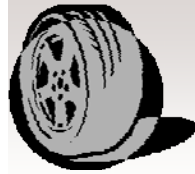
- Fire prevention
- Site access
- Site security
- Vector control
- Storage



A **Minor Facility** is a location that accumulates **500 to 5,000** waste tires.

A **Major Facility** is a location that accumulates **5,000 or more** waste tires.

## WHO IS A WASTE TIRE GENERATOR?



**A WASTE TIRE GENERATOR IS ANY PERSON, BUSINESS, OR AGENCY THAT GENERATES MORE THAN 10 WASTE OR USED TIRES.**

### AS A GENERATOR YOU ARE REQUIRED TO:

- Release waste or used tires only to registered tire haulers, unless 9 or fewer.
- Obtain a free Tire Program Identification Number from CIWMB. This number must be posted in a conspicuous place.
- Retain copies of the Comprehensive Trip Log (CTL) receipts on-site for 3 years.
- Store tires to minimize rainwater collection.

### WHAT IS A TPID NUMBER?

The *Tire Program Identification (TPID)* number is a unique identification number assigned by CIWMB to haulers, generators and end use facilities.

The TPID number is used to track each participant's activity in waste tire manifest transactions and to identify specific locations where waste tires are generated or delivered/disposed.

Haulers receive their TPID number when registering with CIWMB.

**CALL CIWMB AT (866) 896-0600 TO RECEIVE A TIRE PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.**

## WHO IS A WASTE TIRE HAULER?

**A WASTE TIRE HAULER IS ANY PERSON WHO TRANSPORTS TEN OR MORE WASTE OR USED TIRES.**



### AS A HAULER YOU ARE REQUIRED TO:

- Register annually with the CIWMB.
- Have a registration decal properly applied on the hauling vehicle.



- Transport the used or waste tires to a permitted facility, landfill or CIWMB authorized end use facility.
- Post a \$10,000 bond.
- Have a Comprehensive Trip Log (CTL) receipt in possession while transporting waste or used tires.
- Leave a copy of the CTL receipt with the waste generator or end use facility.

There are exemptions for haulers that include agricultural purposes and common carriers. Contact SMCEH for details.

**NON-COMPLIANCE CAN RESULT IN PENALTIES UP TO \$10,000 FOR EACH DAY OF VIOLATION.**

## BACKGROUND

In 1990, the *CALIFORNIA INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD (CIWMB)* enacted requirements for disposal and storage of waste tires. Beginning July 2003, CIWMB has turned over a portion of the program to *SAN MATEO COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT (SMCEH)*. The County is responsible for identification, investigation, and enforcement of waste tire generators, haulers, and facilities.

The regulations governing these activities can be found in:

- *Public Resources Code (Division 30, Part 3, Chapters 16 and 19)*
- *California Code of Regulations (Titles 14, Division 7, Part 3)*

### **WHO PARTICIPATES IN THE PROGRAM?**

The Waste Tire Program applies to any person that generates, transports, or accepts used or waste tires.

A **waste tire** is a tire that is no longer mounted on a vehicle, no longer suitable for its original purpose due to wear, damage, or defect or an improperly stored used tire.

A **used tire** is a tire that is no longer mounted to a vehicle, is racked or stacked and stored in a manner allowing individual tire inspection, and is still suitable for use as a vehicle tire.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

FOR INFORMATION, PERMIT APPLICATIONS, REGULATORY REFERENCES, OR TO FILE A COMPLAINT:

San Mateo County  
Environmental Health  
Department  
(650) 372-6200

[www.smhealth.org/enviro](http://www.smhealth.org/enviro)

**Waste Hauler Registration and Tire  
Facility Permits:**

California Integrated Waste Management  
(866) 896-0600

FURTHER PROGRAM INFORMATION IS  
AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT THE  
FOLLOWING WEBSITE:

[www.CIWMB.ca.gov/tires](http://www.CIWMB.ca.gov/tires)

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