


Rules Governing the Use of the Self-Serve Waste Depot

Dodge County may cancel your account at any time for non-compliance with the following rules:

1. All users of the Self-Serve Waste Depot must be 18 years of age or older.
2. Only the Green Bag, purchased from Dodge County, may be used for disposal of garbage at the Depot. 
3. All garbage must be contained within the Green Bag (no loose waste items allowed).
4. Each Green Bag must be closed at the top and free of holes to keep garbage from spilling or blowing away (if you overfill your bag, you may have difficulty fitting it in the compactor).
5. Users are responsible to clean-up their spills and litter.
6. **Put only regular household garbage in the Green Bag.**
7. **Do not** put the following items in the Green Bag:
 - Liquids, or containers with liquids, like soda pop, cooking oil, etc..
 - Syringes, knives, or sharp objects,
 - Hazardous waste like paint or pesticides,
 - Electronic waste like cell phones,
 - Pressurized containers/cylinders like propane tank and camp stove fuel,
 - Batteries (except alkaline, which can go in the Green Bag),
 - Flammable waste like hot coals or gasoline,
 - Explosives like ammunition and fireworks,
 - Metal rods, coat hangers, etc..., that may jam or damage the compactor,
 - Recyclable materials like paper, metal, and glass bottles.
8. All users must follow operation and safety instructions provided by the county and posted at the Depot.
9. Take turns using the facility on a “first come-first serve” basis; --- one customer in the building at one time.
10. **Cancellation:** Dodge County may cancel your Account at any time by sending a written notice to the Account Holder at the mailing address, or e-mail address, listed on the Application. You may cancel your Account at any time by sending written notice to Dodge County Environmental Services, or by sending an e-mail to: rita.cole@co.dodge.mn.us.
11. **Questions and Comments:** Contact Dodge County Environmental Services: Phone: 507-634-7875 or 507-635-6273; or e-mail: rita.cole@co.dodge.mn.us. *Thank You.*