

SAFETY FIRST

LANDFILL TRAFFIC CONTROL

Proper traffic management at landfills can reduce accidents and improve customer service. Check out tips to improve safety and manage traffic at landfills.

- Minimize cross traffic and remove blind corners.
- Traffic flow should be arranged to maximize right hand turns.
- Place the entrance on one side of the working face and the exit on the other side to prevent traffic congestion.
- One-way roads keep traffic moving and help eliminate congestion.
- Keep heavy equipment away from public and commercial haulers when possible.
- Consider segregating self-haul vehicles from commercial haulers.
- Traffic signage should be visible, in good condition, and in the right location based on current site activities.
- Signage at the working face and tipping area should be checked daily.



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