



Please Take Notice -- that the *Procedure Manual for Montgomery County Transfer Station Facilities* requires that:

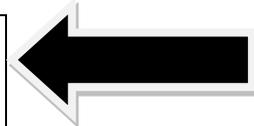
“All vehicles entering the facility shall have the refuse covered or otherwise appropriately secured so as to keep such refuse securely within the hauling body.”

This is in keeping with Paragraph 2 of Section 27-0712 of Environmental Conservation Law, which states that:

“A municipality or any individual, firm or corporation acting on its behalf or any other individual, firm or corporation shall not cause or permit any solid waste to be transported on any vehicle, barge, ship, or scow unless the solid waste on the vehicle, barge, ship, or scow is covered”



By order of the County of Montgomery, all customers bringing solid waste onto a disposal site without a cover and/or being secure shall be double charged.



It is the responsibility of the vehicle owner to act responsibly to prevent an accident and avoid littering the highway and adjacent properties.

The questions and answers on the reverse side of this page should clarify the expectation relative to the covering/securing of loads. If further clarification is necessary, please call (518)853-8174.

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Q. How should bagged material brought by a homeowner be delivered to the Montgomery County Transfer Stations?

A. Bagged material can be delivered by placing it inside the vehicle.

Another alternative would be for it to be placed in garbage cans with a lid secured to the can and the can secured to the vehicle.

Bagged material can be placed in the back of a pickup truck so long as the bags are completely covered and the tailgate closed.

Q. Do large bulky items need to be covered?

A. Large bulky items need to be secured to the vehicle to prevent them from falling or blowing off the vehicle. Any removable items such as cushions on a couch must be removed and placed inside the vehicle or properly secured.

Q. What constitutes a tarp?

A. Anything that completely covers the material being delivered with provision for fastening rope so as to secure/tie it to the vehicle such that the material being covered cannot blow off of the vehicle.

Mattresses, rugs, etc **cannot** be considered a tarp.

Q. If there is material on top of the tarp is it considered secure?

A. No. There should not be any material on top of the tarp.

Q. If the customer attempts to secure the load does the double charge still apply?

A. Yes. Attempting to secure and actually securing a load are different. Attempting to secure the load by tying a single rope down the middle of an open pickup truck bed does not constitute securing the load.

The question that needs to be answered is whether or not the material being delivered could blow/fall off the vehicle? If the answer is yes then the double charge applies.

Q. If a customer delivered bagged material in the trunk of their car and the trunk is open and not secured is the load considered uncovered/unsecured?

A. Yes. If the bagged material prevents the customer from being able to completely close their trunk the customer needs to cover and tie the trunk to prevent the material from blowing off the vehicle.