



NEW RIVER SOLID WASTE ASSOCIATION

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Memorandum to County Solid Waste Directors

RE: Termination of County Recycling Collection and Processing in Baker, Bradford and Union Counties Effective January 31, 2026

Due to the request for a 100% cost increase in their agreement by the new recycling company back in October 2025, the Board of Directors directed NRSWA staff to issue an RFP for county recycling collection and processing. As a result, the cost submitted to continue county recycling more than doubled. Due to that cost increase and the fact that no other companies responded, the NRSWA Board of Directors voted to discontinue recycling collection and processing in Baker, Bradford and Union Counties at the NRSWA board meeting on January 8, 2026.

The current contract will be terminated effective January 31, 2026 and the recycling containers at the collection sites will be removed by WastePro starting the first week of February, 2026.

NRSWA will also be removing our recycling trailer as we are not a recycling collector or processor.

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Perry Kent
Executive Director

CC: NRSWA Board of Directors