

Ohio EPA DMWM Solid Waste Annual Reports

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Project Summary

DMWM currently requires regulated solid waste facilities and SWMD's to submit an operating report to Ohio EPA annually, in paper form. DMWM personnel manually enter these reports into multiple Access systems. The current processes for receiving and analyzing report data are outdated, inefficient, and error prone. Additionally, the disconnected nature of the current data management systems prohibits the accurate, direct comparison of data to ensure compliance with applicable regulations.

Ohio EPA will develop and implement a public-facing system for the receipt and processing of annual solid waste facility and solid waste management district reports. The replacement system will result in Agency cost savings through efficiency gains, elimination of support costs related to current Microsoft Access systems, and a cost reduction related to staff time processing paper-based reports. Additionally, the new system will permit DMWM to more accurately audit submitted report data to ensure regulatory compliance.

Project Goal

To provide for submission of facility annual reports through the eBusiness Center by regulated community. This will allow DMWM staff the ability to make accurate comparisons of all report data, as well as reducing costs by removing the need to process the paper reports.

Project Benefits

- Reduction in administrative costs – support, staffing, etc.
- Agency costs savings through efficiency gains
- More accurate report data due to formatting consistencies and easier information audits

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