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**SOLID WASTE
MANAGEMENT
(General Provisions)**

459.005 Definitions for ORS 459.005 to 459.285. As used in ORS 459.005 to 459.285, unless the context requires otherwise:

(1) "Affected person" means a person or entity involved in the solid waste collection service process including but not limited to a recycling collection service, disposal site permit-tee or owner, city, county and metropolitan service district.

(2) "Area of the state" means any city or county or combination or portion thereof or other geographical area of the state as may be designated by the commission.

(3) "Board of county commissioners" or "board" includes county court.

(4) "Collection franchise" means a franchise, certificate, contract or license issued by a city or county authorizing a person to provide collection service.

(5) "Collection service" means a service that provides for collection of solid waste or recyclable material or both.

(6) "Commission" means the Environmental Quality Commission.

(7) "Department" means the Department of Environmental Quality.

(8) "Disposal site" means land and facilities used for the disposal, handling or transfer of or resource recovery from solid wastes, including but not limited to dumps, landfills, sludge lagoons, sludge treatment facilities, disposal sites for septic tank pumping or cesspool cleaning service, transfer stations, resource recovery facilities, incinerators for solid waste delivered by the public or by a solid waste collection service, composting plants and land and facilities previously used for solid waste disposal at a land disposal site; but the term does not include a facility subject to the permit requirements of ORS 468.740; a landfill site which is used by the owner or person in control of the premises to dispose of soil, rock, concrete or other similar nondecomposable material, unless the site is used by the public either directly or through a solid waste collection service; or a site licensed pursuant to ORS 481.345.

(9) "Land disposal site" means a disposal site in which the method of disposing of solid waste is by landfill, dump, pit, pond or lagoon.

(10) "Land reclamation" means the restoration of land to a better or more useful state.

(11) "Local government unit" means a city, county, metropolitan service district formed under ORS chapter 268, sanitary district or sanitary authority formed under ORS chapter 450, county service district formed under ORS chapter 451, regional air quality control authority formed under ORS 468.500 to 468.530 and 468.540 to 468.575 or any other local government unit responsible for solid waste management.

(12) "Metropolitan service district" means a district organized under ORS chapter 268 and exercising solid waste authority granted to such district under ORS chapters 268 and 459.

(13) "Permit" includes, but is not limited to, a conditional permit.

(14) "Person" means the state or a public or private corporation, local government unit, public agency, individual, partnership, association, firm, trust, estate or any other legal entity.

(15) "Recyclable material" means any material or group of materials that can be collected and sold for recycling at a net cost equal to or less than the cost of collection and disposal of the same material.

(16) "Resource recovery" means the process of obtaining useful material or energy resources from solid waste and includes:

(a) "Energy recovery," which means recovery in which all or a part of the solid waste materials are processed to utilize the heat content, or other forms of energy, of or from the material.

(b) "Material recovery," which means any process of obtaining from solid waste, by pre-segregation or otherwise, materials which still have useful physical or chemical properties after serving a specific purpose and can, therefore, be reused or recycled for the same or other purpose

(c) "Recycling," which means any process by which solid waste materials are transformed into new products in such a manner that the original products may lose their identity.

(d) "Reuse," which means the return of a commodity into the economic stream for use in the same kind of application as before without change in its identity.

(17) "Solid waste collection service" or "service" means the collection, transportation or disposal of or resource recovery from solid wastes but does not include that part of a business licensed under ORS 481.345.

(18) "Solid waste" means all putrescible and nonputrescible wastes, including but not limited to garbage, rubbish, refuse, ashes, waste paper and cardboard; sewage sludge, septic tank and cesspool pumpings or other sludge; commercial, industrial, demolition and construction wastes;

discarded or abandoned vehicles or parts thereof, discarded home and industrial appliances; manure, vegetable or animal solid and semisolid wastes, dead animals and other wastes; but the term does not include:

(a) Hazardous wastes as defined in ORS 459.410

(b) Materials used for fertilizer or for other productive purposes or which are salvageable as such materials are used on land in agricultural operations and the growing or harvesting of crops and the raising of fowls or animals.

(19) "Solid waste management" means prevention or reduction of solid waste, management of the storage, collection, transportation, treatment, utilization, processing and final disposal of solid waste; or resource recovery from solid waste, and facilities necessary or convenient to such activities.

(20) "Source separate" means that the person who last uses recyclable material separates the recyclable material from solid waste

(21) "Transfer station" means a fixed or mobile facility normally used, as an adjunct of a solid waste collection and disposal system or resource recovery system, between a collection route and a disposal site, including but not limited to a large hopper, railroad gondola or barge

(22) "Waste" means useless or discarded materials

(23) "Wasteshed" means an area of the state having a common solid waste disposal system or designated by the commission as an appropriate area of the state within which to develop a common recycling program [1971 c 648 §2, 1973 c 811 §1, 1973 c 835 §135, 1975 c 239 §1, 1977 c 867 §21, 1983 c 729 §14, 1983 c 766 §5]

459.010 [1967 c 428 §2, 1969 c 593 §42, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.015 Policy. (1) The Legislative Assembly finds and declares that:

(a) The planning, development and operation of recycling programs is a matter of state-wide concern

(b) The opportunity to recycle should be provided to every person in Oregon

(c) There is a shortage of appropriate sites for landfills in Oregon

(d) It is in the best interests of the people of Oregon to extend the useful life of existing solid waste disposal sites by encouraging recycling and reuse of materials whenever recycling is economically feasible

(2) In the interest of the public health, safety and welfare and in order to conserve energy and natural resources, it is the policy of the State of Oregon to establish a comprehensive state-wide program for solid waste management which will:

(a) After consideration of technical and economic feasibility, establish priority in methods of managing solid waste in Oregon as follows.

(A) First, to reduce the amount of solid waste generated;

(B) Second, to reuse material for the purpose for which it was originally intended;

(C) Third, to recycle material that cannot be reused,

(D) Fourth, to recover energy from solid waste that cannot be reused or recycled, so long as the energy recovery facility preserves the quality of air, water and land resources; and

(E) Fifth, to dispose of solid waste that cannot be reused, recycled or from which energy cannot be recovered by landfilling or other method approved by the department

(b) Clearly express the Legislative Assembly's previous delegation of authority to cities and counties for collection service franchising and regulation and the extension of that authority under the provisions of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995.

(c) Retain primary responsibility for management of adequate solid waste management programs with local government units, reserving to the state those functions necessary to assure effective programs, cooperation among local government units and coordination of solid waste management programs throughout the state.

(d) Promote research, surveys and demonstration projects to encourage resource recovery.

(e) Promote research, surveys and demonstration projects to aid in developing more sanitary, efficient and economical methods of solid waste management

(f) Provide advisory technical assistance and planning assistance to local government units and other affected persons in the planning, development and implementation of solid waste management programs.

(g) Develop, in coordination with federal, state and local agencies and other affected persons, long-range plans including regional approaches to promote reuse, to provide land reclamation in sparsely populated areas, and in urban areas necessary disposal facilities for resource recovery.

(h) Provide for the adoption and enforcement of minimum performance standards necessary for safe, economic and proper solid waste management.

(i) Provide authority for counties to establish a coordinated program for solid waste management, to regulate solid waste management and to license or franchise the providing of service in the field of solid waste management.

(j) Encourage utilization of the capabilities and expertise of private industry in accomplishing the purposes of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285.

(k) Promote means of preventing or reducing at the source, materials which otherwise would constitute solid waste.

(L) Promote application of resource recovery systems which preserve and enhance the quality of air, water and land resources. [1971 c 648 §1, 1975 c 239 §2, 1983 c 729 §15]

459.017 Relationship of state to local governments in solid waste management.

(1) The Legislative Assembly finds and declares that:

(a) The planning, location, acquisition, development and operation of landfill disposal sites is a matter of state-wide concern.

(b) Local government has the primary responsibility for planning for solid waste management.

(c) Where the solid waste management plan of a local government unit has identified a need for a landfill disposal site, the state has a responsibility to assist local government and private persons in establishing such a site.

(2) It is the intent of the Legislative Assembly that any action taken by the Environmental Quality Commission to establish a landfill disposal site under ORS 459.049 be recognized as an extraordinary measure that should be exercised only in the closest cooperation with local government units that have jurisdiction over the area affected by the proposed establishment of a landfill disposal site. [1979 c 773 §2]

459.020 [1967 c 248 §1, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

(State Administration)

459.025 General powers and duties of department. Subject to policy direction by the commission, the department:

(1) Shall promote and coordinate research, studies and demonstration projects on improved methods and techniques in all phases of solid waste management.

(2) May apply to and receive funds from the Federal Government and from public and private agencies to carry out studies, research and demonstration projects in the field of solid waste management.

(3) May enter into agreements with the Federal Government, state agencies, local government units and private persons to carry out ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285. [1971 c 648 §4, 1973 c 835 §136]

459.030 [1967 c 428 §3, 1969 c 593 §43, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.035 Assistance in development and implementation of solid waste management plans and practices and recycling programs. Consistent with ORS 459.015 (2)(c), the department shall provide to state agencies, local government units and persons providing solid waste collection service, advisory technical and planning assistance in development and implementation of effective solid waste management plans and practices, implementation of recycling programs under ORS 459.165 to 459.200 and 459.250, and assistance in training of personnel in solid waste management. The department shall report to the Legislative Assembly from time to time on further assistance that will be needed to develop, implement and administer effective solid waste management programs or recycling programs. The department shall assist in surveys to locate potential disposal sites. The department may request the assistance of other state agencies.

[1971 c 648 §3, 1983 c 729 §16]

459.040 [1967 c 428 §4, 1969 c 593 §44, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.045 Rules. (1) The commission shall adopt reasonable and necessary solid waste management rules governing the:

(a) Accumulation, storage, collection, transportation and disposal of solid wastes to prevent vector production and sustenance, transmission of diseases to humans or animals, air pollution, pollution of surface or ground waters, and hazards to service or disposal workers or to the public.

(b) Location of disposal sites, giving consideration to the adaptability of each disposal site to the population served, topography and geology of the area and other characteristics as they affect protection of ground and surface waters and air pollution, minimum standards of design, management and operation of disposal sites; and open burning and salvage operations at disposal sites.

(c) Construction, loading and operation of vehicles used in performing solid waste collection service to prevent the contents thereof from dropping, sifting, leaking or escaping onto public highways.

(d) Definition of other "wastes" subject to regulation pursuant to ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245, 459.255 to 459.285 and 459.992 (1), (2) and (3)

(e) Closure and post-closure maintenance of land disposal sites.

(2) The commission may by rule.

(a) Exempt a class of land disposal sites from the requirement to provide financial assurance under ORS 459.270; or

(b) Establish criteria which an individual land disposal site must meet to be exempted from the requirement to provide financial assurance under ORS 459.270

(3) The commission shall adopt rules on other subjects as necessary to carry out ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285.

(4) The commission shall adopt rules which have modified or limited application in different geographic areas of the state when special conditions prevail in specified geographic areas. Special conditions that shall be considered include, but are not limited to, climatic conditions, zone classification of the area, population characteristics, methods and costs of solid waste management, solid waste management plans and other conditions in the area. Modifications or limitations shall not be unreasonable, arbitrary or inimical to the policy and purposes of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285.

(5) All rules adopted under this section shall be adopted after public hearing and in accordance with ORS 183.310 to 183.550.

(6) Unless a rule adopted under this section is adopted pursuant to the authority granted by ORS 183.335 (2), the commission shall mail copies of the proposed rules to all persons who have requested such copies. The copies shall be mailed at least 30 days prior to the hearing required by subsection (5) of this section. [1971 c 648 §5, 1973 c 835 §137, 1981 c 709 §2, 1983 c 766 §6]

459.047 Landfill assistance from department; landfill disposal site certificate; effect of issuance. Upon request by a city or county responsible for implementing a department approved solid waste management plan which identifies a need for a landfill disposal site, and subject to policy direction by the com-

mission, the Department of Environmental Quality shall:

(1) Assist the local government unit in the establishment of the landfill including assisting in planning, location, acquisition, development and operation of the site.

(2) Site and issue a solid waste disposal permit pursuant to ORS 459.205 to 459.245, 459.255 and 459.265 for a landfill disposal site within the boundaries of the requesting local government unit. Subject to the conditions set forth therein, any permit for a landfill disposal site authorized by the Environmental Quality Commission under this subsection shall bind the state and all counties and cities and political subdivisions in this state as to the approval of the site and the construction and operation of the proposed facility. Affected state agencies, counties, cities and political subdivisions shall issue the appropriate permits, licenses and certificates necessary to construction and operation of the landfill disposal site, subject only to condition of the site certificate. Each state or local government agency that issues a permit, license or certificate shall continue to exercise enforcement authority over such permit, license or certificate. [1979 c 773 §3]

459.049 Mandated sites in certain counties; establishment by state. (1) Upon its own motion or upon the recommendation of the department, the Environmental Quality Commission may determine that a landfill disposal site within the counties of Marion, Polk, Clackamas, Washington or Multnomah must be established in order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the residents of an area for which a local government solid waste management plan has identified the need for a landfill disposal site. In making its determination on the need for a landfill disposal site or, where applicable, on the location of a landfill disposal site, the commission shall give due consideration to.

(a) The legislative policy and findings expressed in ORS 459.015, 459.017 and 459.065, and particularly the policy that action taken under this section be exercised in cooperation with local government;

(b) The provisions of the solid waste management plan or plans for the affected area;

(c) Applicable local government ordinances, rules, regulations and plans other than for solid waste management,

(d) The state-wide planning goals adopted under ORS 197.005 to 197.430;

(e) The need for a landfill disposal site,

(f) The availability and capacity of alternative disposal sites or resource recovery systems and facilities;

(g) The time required to establish a landfill disposal site;

(h) Information received from public comment and hearings; and

(i) Any other factors the commission considers relevant.

(2) If the commission makes a determination under subsection (1) of this section that there is a need for a landfill disposal site within a plan area, the commission may adopt an order directing the local government unit responsible for implementing the plan to establish a landfill disposal site within a specified period of time. The order may specify a time schedule for the completion of the major elements required to establish the site. A local government unit directed to establish a landfill disposal site under this section may request assistance from the department or request that the department establish the disposal site as provided in ORS 459.047.

(3) If the commission determines that the establishment of a landfill disposal site ordered by the commission under subsection (2) of this section is not being accomplished or that the completion of major elements has fallen behind the time schedule specified in the order, the commission may direct the department to establish the disposal site or complete the establishment of the disposal site undertaken by the local government unit. The commission may direct the department to establish or complete the establishment of a landfill under this section only if the commission finds that:

(a) The action is consistent with the statewide planning goals relating to solid waste management adopted under ORS 197.005 to 197.430 and any applicable provisions of a comprehensive plan or plans; and

(b) The responsible local government unit is unable to establish the landfill disposal site ordered by the commission under subsection (2) of this section.

(4) If the commission directs the department to establish or complete the establishment of a landfill disposal site under subsection (3) of this section, the department may establish the site subject only to the approval of the commission and the provisions of the solid waste management plan adopted for the area and in consultation with all affected local government units. Notwithstanding any city, county or other local government charter or ordinance to the con-

trary, the department may establish a landfill disposal site under this subsection without obtaining any license, permit, franchise or other form of approval from a local government unit [1979 c 773 §4, 1983 c 827 §54]

459.050 [1967 c 428 §5, 1969 c 593 §45, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.051 Procedural rules. In accordance with the requirements of ORS 183.310 to 183.550 and after public hearing, the commission shall adopt rules:

(1) To establish a procedure for local government units to request assistance from the department in the establishment of landfill disposal sites under ORS 459.047, and to give notice of such requests.

(2) To establish a procedure for obtaining public comment on determinations of need for landfill sites made by the commission under ORS 459.049

(3) To provide for public hearings in the area affected by a proposed landfill disposal site to be established by the department under ORS 459.049 [1979 c 773 §5]

459.053 Powers of department regarding landfill disposal sites. Subject to policy direction by the commission in carrying out ORS 215.213, 215.214, 215.283, 459.017, 459.047 to 459.065, 459.245 and 468.220, the department may.

(1) By mutual agreement, return all or part of the responsibility for development or operation of the site to the local government unit within whose jurisdiction the site is to be established, or contract with the local government unit to establish the site.

(2) To the extent necessary, acquire by purchase, gift, grant or exercise of the power of eminent domain, real and personal property or any interest therein, including the property of public corporations or local government.

(3) Lease and dispose of real or personal property.

(4) At reasonable times and after reasonable notice, enter upon land to perform necessary surveys or tests.

(5) Acquire, modify, expand or build landfill disposal site facilities.

(6) Subject to any limitations in ORS 468.195 to 468.260, use money from the Pollution Control Fund created in ORS 468.215 for the purposes of carrying out ORS 459.047 and 459.049.

(7) Enter into contracts or other agreements with any local government unit or private person for the purposes stated in ORS 459.065 (1).

(8) Accept gifts, donations or contributions from any source to carry out the provisions of ORS 459.047 and 459.049.

(9) Establish a system of fees or user charges to fund the operation and maintenance of a department owned landfill disposal site and to repay department costs. [1979 c 773 §6, 1983 c 826 §22]

459.055 Landfills in farm use areas; waste reduction programs. (1) Before issuing a permit for a landfill disposal site to be established after October 3, 1979, in any area zoned for exclusive farm use, the department shall determine that the site can and will be reclaimed for uses permissible in the exclusive farm use zone. A permit issued for a disposal site in such an area shall contain requirements that:

(a) Assure rehabilitation of the site to a condition comparable to its original use at the termination of the use for solid waste disposal;

(b) Protect the public health and safety and the environment;

(c) Minimize the impact of the facility on adjacent property;

(d) Minimize traffic; and

(e) Minimize rodent and vector production and sustenance.

(2) Before issuing a permit for a landfill disposal site established under ORS 459.047 or 459.049, or for a disposal site established as a conditional use in an area zoned for exclusive farm use, the department shall require the local government unit responsible for solid waste disposal pursuant to statute or agreement between governmental units to prepare a waste reduction program and shall review that program in the manner provided in subsection (5) of this section. Such program shall provide for:

(a) A commitment by the local government unit to reduce the volume of waste that would otherwise be disposed of in a landfill through techniques such as source reduction, recycling, reuse and resource recovery;

(b) A timetable for implementing each portion of the waste reduction program;

(c) Energy efficient, cost-effective approaches for waste reduction;

(d) Procedures commensurate with the type and volume of solid waste generated in the area; and

(e) Legal, technical and economical feasibility.

(3) If a local government unit has failed to implement the waste reduction program required pursuant to this section, the commission may, by order, direct such implementation.

(4) The department shall report to each Legislative Assembly on the use made of this section, the level of compliance with waste reduction programs and recommendations for further legislation.

(5) A waste reduction program prepared under subsection (2) of this section shall be reviewed by the department and shall be accepted by the department if it meets the criteria prescribed therein.

(6) Notwithstanding ORS 459.245 (1), if the department fails to act on an application subject to the requirements of this section within 60 days, the application shall not be considered granted. [1979 c 773 §8a]

459.057 Department to limit wastes allowed in landfills in certain counties. (1) Before issuing a permit for a landfill disposal site to be established under ORS 459.047 or 459.049 or for a disposal site established as a conditional use in an area zoned for exclusive farm use within the boundaries of Clackamas, Marion, Multnomah, Polk or Washington County, the department shall require that, to the extent legally, technically and economically feasible only solid waste from transfer stations or solid waste residues from resource recovery facilities will be deposited in the landfill. As used in this section, "transfer station" means a site established for the collection and temporary storage of solid waste pending shipment in a compact and orderly manner to a landfill disposal site.

(2) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the department from allowing other solid waste to be deposited in the landfill in order to protect the public health and safety or the waters of this state during a temporary emergency condition. [1979 c 773 §86]

459.060 [1967 c 428 §6, 1969 c 593 §46, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

(Local Administration)

459.065 State preemption; intergovernmental agreements authorized. (1) The Legislative Assembly finds that solid waste disposal is a matter of state-wide concern. The Legislative Assembly finds that carrying out the provisions of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to

459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 by cities, counties and metropolitan service districts is a matter of state-wide concern. In carrying out the provisions of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285, a county or a city, or a metropolitan service district for one of its authorized functions, may enter into any agreement which the county, city or metropolitan service district determines is desirable, for any period of time, with the department, any local government unit or other person:

(a) For joint or regional franchising of service or the franchising or licensing of disposal sites.

(b) For joint preparation or implementation of a solid waste management plan

(c) For establishment of a regional solid waste management system.

(d) For cooperative establishment, maintenance, operation or use of regional disposal sites, including but not limited to resource recovery facilities

(e) For the employment of persons to operate a site owned or leased by the county, city or metropolitan service district.

(f) For promotion and development of markets for energy and materials from resource recovery.

(g) For the establishment of landfill disposal sites including site planning, location, acquisition, development and placing into operation.

(2) Authority granted by ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 to local government units is specific and is in no way intended to restrict the general authority granted under ORS 190.010 to 190.030, 190.110, 203 010 to 203 065, 203.111, 203.145 to 203.810 and ORS chapter 268, and is in addition to and not in lieu of such authority.

[1971 c 648 §14, 1973 c 835 §138, 1975 c 239 §3, 1977 c 95 §6, 1979 c 773 §7]

459.070 [1967 c 428 §7, 1969 c 593 §47, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.075 Acquisition of property for disposal sites by cities and counties. Subject to the requirements of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285, a county or a city may acquire real or personal property by lease, purchase, exercise of the power of eminent domain or otherwise for the purpose of operating and maintaining disposal sites. With the consent of the city involved, a county may acquire property for a site within the limits of a city. With the consent of the county having jurisdiction, a city may acquire property for a site outside the limits of the

city. [1971 c 648 §15]

459.080 [1967 c 428 §8, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.085 County authority outside cities; effect of annexation; interagency agreements. (1) With respect to areas outside of cities, a board of county commissioners may, by ordinance or by regulation or order adopted pursuant thereto:

(a) Prescribe the quality and character of and rates for solid waste collection service, and the minimum requirements to guarantee maintenance of service.

(b) Divide the unincorporated area into service areas, grant franchises to persons for solid waste collection service within service areas, and establish and collect fees from persons holding franchises.

(c) Prescribe a procedure for issuance, renewal or denial of a franchise to a person providing or proposing to provide solid waste collection service

(d) Establish an agency to be responsible for investigation or inspection of solid waste collection service proposed or provided under a franchise or proposed franchise, such agency to have authority to order modifications, additions or extensions to the physical equipment, facilities, plan or service as shall be reasonable and necessary in the public interest

(e) Regulate solid waste management

(2) With respect to areas outside of cities, a board of county commissioners may adopt ordinances to provide for.

(a) The licensing of disposal sites as an alternative to franchising of service.

(b) The regulation, licensing or franchising of salvage businesses or the operation of salvage sites where such action is found necessary to implement any part of a solid waste management plan applicable in the county, however, such an ordinance shall grant the same authority and prescribe the same procedures as provided for other franchises or licenses under this section.

(3)(a) Where a city annexes all or a portion of a service area previously franchised by a county, the city, county and affected persons or local government units providing solid waste collection service shall attempt to reach an agreement to protect the extent and quality of service in areas remaining outside the city, to protect the quality of service within the city and to protect the rights of affected persons or local government units

(b) A city and county may, with permission of the city collector, provide by prior agreement

that an area, or portion of an area, annexed by the city but previously franchised by the county shall continue to be served by the county franchisee or shall be transferred to the city collector with compensation from the city collector to the county franchisee.

(c) A city with permission of the city collector, or a city-regulated collector with permission of the city, may provide by prior agreement that an area, or portion of an area, annexed by the city but previously served by a collector located in an unfranchised area of the county shall continue to be served by the county collector or shall be transferred to the city collector with compensation from the city collector to the county collector.

(d) Where no agreement has been reached under paragraph (a), (b) or (c) of this subsection, upon annexation of territory to a city the county-franchised collector may continue to serve the annexed area until:

(A) The county collector is compensated by the city collector for the collection service in the annexed area, which compensation shall be the sum of the fair market value of the service at the time of the annexation and applicable severance damages, or

(B) The expiration of the longer of the county franchise term or the term of the current city license, contract or franchise regulating solid waste collection; provided that term does not include any renewals or extensions made after the effective date of the annexation and that the total term does not exceed 10 years from the effective date of the annexation.

(e) Nothing in this subsection shall restrict the right of a county to franchise, license or regulate solid waste management or any portion thereof as otherwise provided in subsections (1), (2) and (4) of this section.

(4) If a county under the authority of ORS 670.210 to 670.240 (1969 Replacement Part) enacted an ordinance providing for the licensing of garbage dumps prior to July 1, 1971, the ordinance or that portion of the ordinance dealing specifically with garbage dumps shall be continued in full force and effect, and licenses issued pursuant thereto shall be in full force and effect until action is taken by the board of county commissioners under this section to amend or repeal the ordinance or to suspend or revoke the license. [1971 c 648 §16, 1977 c 639 §1]

459.095 Restrictions on authority of local government units. (1) No ordinance, order, regulation or contract affecting solid or liquid waste disposal, resource recovery or solid

waste management shall be adopted by a local government unit if such ordinance, order, regulation or contract conflicts with regulations adopted by the commission pursuant to ORS 459.045 or with a solid waste management plan or program adopted by a metropolitan service district and approved by the department or any ordinances or regulations adopted pursuant to such plan or program.

(2) Solid waste management regulations adopted by a sanitary district or sanitary authority shall be limited to regulations supplemental to the rules adopted by the commission pursuant to ORS 459.045 and necessary to meet special local conditions. [1971 c 648 §17, 1973 c 835 §139, 1977 c 95 §7]

459.105 Regulations on use of disposal sites. A local government unit may adopt regulations for patrons using each disposal site owned or operated by the local government unit, governing the volume or type of solid wastes that will be received at the site and the particular class or classes of person that may use the site. [1971 c 648 §18]

459.110 [1969 c 509 §1, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.120 [1969 c 509 §2, 1971 c 648 §29, repealed by 1981 c 81 §3]

(Marion County Authority)

459.125 Authority of Marion County over products or by-products of county sites. (1) Subject to ORS 459.145 and the requirements of ORS 459.005 to 459.285, the board of county commissioners of Marion County may.

(a) Sell, enter into short or long-term contracts, solicit bids, enter into direct negotiations, deal with brokers or use other methods of sale or disposal for the products or by-products of the disposal sites of the county.

(b) Require any person or class of persons who generate solid or liquid wastes to make use of the disposal, transfer or resource recovery sites or facilities of the county or disposal, transfer or resource recovery sites or facilities designated by the county.

(c) Require any person or class of persons who pick up, collect or transport solid or liquid wastes to make use of the disposal, transfer or resource recovery sites or facilities of the county or disposal, transfer or resource recovery sites or facilities designated by the county.

(d) Regulate, license, franchise and certify disposal, transfer and resource recovery sites or facilities; establish, maintain and amend rates charged by disposal, transfer and resource recovery

ery sites or facilities; establish and collect license or franchise fees, and otherwise control and regulate the establishment and operation of all public or private disposal, transfer and resource recovery sites or facilities located within the county Licenses or franchises granted by the board may be exclusive.

(e) Cause solid wastes received and accepted at the disposal sites of the county to be processed, recycled or reused.

(2) Contracts and other agreements authorized under subsection (1) of this section may be for terms not longer than 20 years. [1981 c 386 §2]

459.130 [1969 c 509 §3, 1971 c 330 §1, 1971 c 648 §30, 1979 c 190 §421, repealed by 1981 c 81 §3]

459.135 Marion County authority over private facility in county. Subject to ORS 459.145 and the requirements of ORS 459.005 to 459.285, a public or private disposal, transfer or resource recovery site or facility shall not be established, modified or extended in Marion County without the prior approval of the board of county commissioners. The board may deny an application for the establishment, modification or extension of a site or facility if pursuant to its solid waste management plan the county has either:

(1) Entered into contracts obligating the county to supply or direct minimum quantities of solid wastes to sites or facilities designated in the contract in order that those sites or facilities will operate economically and generate sufficient revenues to liquidate any bonded or other indebtedness incurred by reason of those sites or facilities, or

(2) Adopted a franchise system for the disposal of solid or liquid wastes. [1981 c 386 §3]

459.140 [1969 c 509 §4, 1975 c 239 §5, repealed by 1981 c 81 §3]

459.145 Limits on Marion County authority. ORS 459 125 and 459.135 do not apply to, or grant to Marion County any authority over

(1) Material kept separate from waste material for the purpose of recycling or reuse by persons who generate solid waste and which is handled separately from waste material.

(2) Resource recovery involving the collection, storage, processing or use of materials kept separate from waste material for the purpose of recycling or reuse by persons who generate solid waste. [1981 c 386 §4]

459.150. [1969 c 509 §5, 1975 c 239 §6, repealed by 1981 c 81 §3]

459.153 Intent not to discourage recycling. It is not the intent of the Legislative Assembly that Marion County, under ORS 459.125 and 459.135, take any action that would hinder or discourage recycling activities in the county [1981 c 386 §5]

459.155 [1975 c 239 §8, 1979 c 772 §23, repealed by 1981 c 81 §3]

459.160 [1969 c 509 §7, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.165 Definitions for ORS 459.165 to 459.200 and 459.250. (1) As used in ORS 459 015, 459.165 to 459.200 and 459.250, the "opportunity to recycle" means at least.

(a) A place for collecting source separated recyclable material located either at a disposal site or at another location more convenient to the population being served and, if a city has a population of 4,000 or more, collection at least once a month of source separated recyclable material from collection service customers within the city's urban growth boundary or, where applicable, within the urban growth boundary established by a metropolitan service district; or

(b) An alternative method which complies with rules of the commission.

(2) The "opportunity to recycle" defined in subsection (1) of this section also includes a public education and promotion program that.

(a) Gives notice to each person of the opportunity to recycle; and

(b) Encourages source separation of recyclable material. [1983 c 729 §2]

459.168 Commission duties. The commission shall:

(1) Amend the state solid waste management plan to conform to the requirements of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995.

(2) Review department reports on compliance with and implementation of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459 165 to 459 200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995.

(3) Submit a report to each regular session of the Legislative Assembly regarding compliance with and implementation of the provisions of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995. [1983 c 729 §9]

459.170 Commission to adopt rules regarding waste disposal and recycling. (1) By January 1, 1985, and according to the requirements of ORS 183 310 to 183.550, the commission shall adopt rules and guidelines necessary to carry out the provisions of ORS

459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995, including but not limited to:

- (a) Acceptable alternative methods for providing the opportunity to recycle;
- (b) Education, promotion and notice requirements, which requirements may be different for disposal sites and collection systems;
- (c) Identification of the wastesheds within the state;
- (d) Identification of the principal recyclable material in each wasteshed;
- (e) Guidelines for local governments and other persons responsible for implementing the provisions of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995;
- (f) Standards for the joint submission of the recycling report required under ORS 459.180 (1); and
- (g) Subject to prior approval of the appropriate legislative agency, the amount of an annual or permit fee or both under ORS 459.235, 459.245 and 468.065 necessary to carry out the provisions of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995.

(2) In adopting rules or guidelines under this section, the commission shall consider:

- (a) The purposes and policy stated in ORS 459.015.
- (b) Systems and techniques available for recycling, including but not limited to existing recycling programs.
- (c) Availability of markets for recyclable material
- (d) Costs of collecting, storing, transporting and marketing recyclable material.
- (e) Avoided costs of disposal.
- (f) Density and characteristics of the population to be served.
- (g) Composition and quantity of solid waste generated and potential recyclable material found in each wasteshed. [1983 c 729 §3]

459.175 Notice to affected person in wasteshed; appeal; request for modification or variance. (1) After the commission identifies a wasteshed, the department shall identify each affected person to the extent such affected persons are known to the department, of the following:

- (a) That the affected person is within the wasteshed, and

(b) The recyclable material for which affected persons within the wasteshed must provide the opportunity to recycle in all or part of that wasteshed

- (2) Any affected person may.

(a) Appeal to the commission the inclusion of all or part of a city, county or local government unit in a wasteshed,

(b) Request the commission to modify the recyclable material for which the commission determines the opportunity to recycle must be provided; or

- (c) Request a variance under ORS 459.185 (8). [1983 c 729 §5]

459.180 Recycling report; implementation of opportunity to recycle. (1) Upon final determination of the wasteshed and identification of recyclable material and any variance, the cities and counties within the wasteshed shall coordinate with all other affected persons in the wasteshed to jointly develop a recycling report to submit to the department. The report to the department shall explain how the affected persons within the wasteshed are implementing the opportunity to recycle.

(2) Unless extended by the commission upon application under ORS 459.185 after the affected persons show good cause for an extension, the affected persons within the wasteshed shall implement the opportunity to recycle and submit the recycling report to the department not later than July 1, 1986 [1983 c 729 §6]

459.185 Approval, disapproval of recycling report; effect of disapproval. (1) The department shall review a recycling report submitted under ORS 459.180 to determine whether the opportunity to recycle is being provided within all of the affected portion of the wasteshed.

(2) The department shall notify the affected persons who participated in preparing the report of acceptance or disapproval of the recycling report based on written findings.

(3) If the department disapproves a recycling report:

- (a) An affected person may.

(A) Request a meeting with the department to review the department's findings, which meeting may include all or some of the affected persons who prepared the report; or

(B) Correct the deficiencies that the department found in the report.

(b) The department may grant a reasonable extension of time for the affected persons to correct deficiencies in the recycling report.

(c) The affected persons submitting the report shall notify the department of any action taken to correct a cited deficiency.

(4) In the event of disapproval and after a reasonable extension of time to correct deficiencies in the opportunity to recycle, the director of the department shall notify the commission that the affected persons within a watershed have failed to implement the opportunity or submit a recycling report.

(5) Upon notification under subsection (4) of this section, the commission shall hold a public hearing within the affected area of the watershed.

(6) If, after the public hearing and based on the department's findings on review of the recycling report and the hearing record, the commission determines that all or part of the opportunity to recycle is not being provided, the commission shall by order require the opportunity to recycle to be provided. The commission order may include, but need not be limited to:

(a) The materials which are recyclable;

(b) The manner in which recyclable material is to be collected;

(c) The responsibility of each person in the solid waste collection and disposal process for providing the opportunity to recycle;

(d) A timetable for development or implementation of the opportunity to recycle;

(e) Methods for providing the public education and promotion program;

(f) A requirement that as part of the recycling program a city or county franchise to provide for collection service; and

(g) Minimum standards for the mandatory franchising.

(7) If a recycling program is ordered under this section, the department shall work with affected persons and designate the responsibilities of each of them.

(8)(a) Upon written application by an affected person, the commission may, to accommodate special conditions in the watershed or a portion thereof, grant a variance from specific requirements of the rules or guidelines adopted under ORS 459.170 or a recycling program ordered by the commission under subsection (6) of this section.

(b) The commission may grant all or part of a variance under this section.

(c) Upon granting a variance, the commission may attach any condition the commission considers necessary to carry out the provisions of ORS 459.015, 459.165 to 459.200 and 459.250

(d) In granting a variance, the commission must find that:

(A) Conditions exist that are beyond the control of the applicant;

(B) Special conditions exist that render compliance unreasonable or impractical; or

(C) Compliance may result in a reduction in recycling.

(9) An affected person may apply to the commission to extend the time permitted under ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995 for providing for all or a part of the opportunity to recycle or submitting a recycling report to the department. The commission may:

(a) Grant an extension upon a showing of good cause;

(b) Impose any necessary conditions on the extension; or

(c) Deny the application in whole or in part.
[1983 c 729 §7]

459.188 Mandatory participation in recycling. (1) Upon findings made under subsection (3) of this section, the commission may require one or more classes of solid waste generators within all or part of a watershed to source separate identified recyclable material from other solid waste and make the material available for recycling.

(2) In determining which materials are recyclable for purposes of mandatory participation, the cost of recycling from commercial or industrial sources shall include the generator's cost of source separating and making the material available for recycling or reuse.

(3) Before requiring solid waste generators to participate in recycling under this section, the commission must find, after a public hearing, that:

(a) The opportunity to recycle has been provided for a reasonable period of time and the level of participation by generators does not fulfill the purposes of ORS 459.015;

(b) The mandatory participation program is economically feasible within the affected watershed or portion of the watershed; and

(c) The mandatory participation program is the only practical alternative to carry out the purposes of ORS 459.015.

(4) After a mandatory participation program is established for a class of generators of solid waste, no person within the identified class of generators shall put solid waste out to be collected nor dispose of solid waste at a disposal site unless the person has separated the identified recyclable material according to the requirements of the mandatory participation program and made the recyclable material available for recycling. [1983 c 729 §8]

459.190 Limitation on amount charged person who source separates recyclable material. A collection service or disposal site may charge a person who source separates recyclable material and makes it available for reuse or recycling less, but not more, for collection and disposal of solid waste and collection of recyclable material than the collection service charges a person who does not source separate recyclable material. [1983 c 729 §11]

459.192 Exemptions. Nothing in ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995 applies to recyclable material which is:

(1) Source separated by the generator; and

(2) Purchased from or exchanged by the generator for fair market value for recycling or reuse. [1983 c 729 §12]

459.195 Prohibitions against removing or mixing recyclable material. A person may not:

(1) Without the permission of the owner or generator of recyclable material, take recyclable material set out to be collected by a person authorized by a city or county to provide collection service for that recyclable material.

(2) Remove any recyclable material from a container, box, collection vehicle, depot or other receptacle for the accumulation or storage of recyclable material without permission of the owner of the receptacle.

(3) Mix source separated recyclable material with solid waste in any vehicle, box, container or receptacle used in solid waste collection or disposal. [1983 c 729 §13]

459.200 City, county authority to issue collection service franchises; opportunity to recycle; rates. (1) The Legislative Assembly finds that providing for collection service including but not limited to the collection of recyclable material as part of the opportunity to recycle is a matter of state-wide concern.

(2) The exercise of the authority granted by this section is subject to ORS 221.735 and 459.085 (3)

(3) It is the intent of the Legislative Assembly that a city or county may displace competition with a system of regulated collection service by issuing franchises which may be exclusive if service areas are allocated. The city or county may recognize an existing collection service. A city or county may award or renew a franchise for collection service with or without bids or requests for proposals

(4) In carrying out the authority granted by this section, a city or county acts for and on behalf of the State of Oregon to carry out:

(a) The purposes of ORS 459.015;

(b) The requirements of ORS 459.005, 459.015, 459.035, 459.165 to 459.200, 459.250, 459.992 and 459.995;

(c) Waste reduction programs; and

(d) The state solid waste management plan

(5) After October 15, 1983, a city or a county may continue, extend or renew an existing franchise or grant a new franchise for collection service. If a city or county, in furtherance of ORS 459.005 to 459.285, has granted a collection service franchise before October 15, 1983, it may treat the franchise as if adopted under this section

(6)(a) If a collection service franchise is continued, extended, renewed or granted on or after October 15, 1983, the opportunity to recycle shall be provided to a franchise holder's customers no later than July 1, 1986. This subsection does not apply to that portion of the opportunity to recycle provided at or in connection with a disposal site under ORS 459.250.

(b) The opportunity to recycle may be provided by:

(A) The person holding the franchise;

(B) Another person who provides the opportunity to recycle to the franchise holder's customers; or

(C) A person who is granted a separate franchise from the city or county solely for the purpose of providing the opportunity to recycle.

(c) In determining who shall provide the opportunity to recycle, a city or county shall first give due consideration to any person lawfully providing recycling or collection service on June 1, 1983, if the person continues to provide the service until the date the determination is made and the person has not discontinued the service for a period of 90 days or more between June 1,

1983, and the date the city or county makes the determination.

(7) In granting a collection service franchise, the city or county may:

(a) Prescribe the quality and character of and rates for collection service and the minimum requirements to guarantee maintenance of service, determine level of service, select persons to provide collection service and establish a system to pay for collection service

(b) Divide the regulated area into service areas, grant franchises to persons for collection service within the service areas and collect fees from persons holding such franchises.

(8) The rates established under this section shall be just and reasonable and adequate to provide necessary collection service. The rates established by the city or county shall allow the person holding the franchise to recover any additional costs of providing the opportunity to recycle at the minimum level required by this 1983 Act or at a higher level of recycling required by or permitted by the city or county. The rates shall also allow the person to recover the costs of education, promotion and notice of the opportunity to recycle provided by a person holding a franchise.

(9) Instead of providing funding for the opportunity to recycle through rates established pursuant to subsection (8) of this section, a city or county may provide an alternative method of funding all or part of the opportunity to recycle.

(10) In establishing service areas, the city or county shall consider:

(a) The policies contained in ORS 459.015,

(b) The requirements of ORS 459.165 to 459.200 and 459.250;

(c) Any applicable local or regional solid waste management plan approved by the department,

(d) Any applicable waste reduction plan approved by the department; and

(e) The need to conserve energy, increase efficiency, provide the opportunity to recycle, reduce truck traffic and improve safety.

(11) A city or county may further restrict competition by permitting one or more collection service franchise holders to cooperate to provide the opportunity to recycle if the city or county finds that such cooperation will:

(a) Improve collection service efficiency;

(b) Guarantee an adequate volume of material to improve the feasibility and effectiveness of recycling;

(c) Increase the stability of recycling markets; or

(d) Encourage joint marketing of materials or joint education and promotion efforts

(12) The provisions of this section are in addition to and not in lieu of any other authority granted to a city or county. A city or county's exercise of authority under this section is not intended to create any presumption regarding an activity of the local government unit not addressed in this section. This section shall not be construed to mean that it is the policy of Oregon that other local government activities may not be exercised in a manner that supplants or limits economic competition. [1983 c 729 §10]

(Disposal Sites)

459.205 Permit required. (1) Except as provided by ORS 459.215, a disposal site shall not be established, operated, maintained or substantially altered, expanded or improved, and a change shall not be made in the method or type of disposal at a disposal site, until the person owning or controlling the disposal site obtains a permit therefor from the department as provided in ORS 459.235.

(2) The person who holds or last held the permit issued under subsection (1) of this section, or, if that person fails to comply, then the person owning or controlling a land disposal site that is closed and no longer receiving solid waste after January 1, 1980, must continue or renew the permit required under subsection (1) of this section after the site is closed for the duration of the period in which the department continues to actively supervise the site, even though solid waste is no longer received at the site. [1971 c 648 §6, 1983 c 766 §7]

459.210 [1969 c 90 §2, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.215 Exclusion of certain sites from permit requirement. (1) By rule and after public hearing, the commission may prescribe criteria and conditions for excluding classes of disposal sites from the permit requirements of ORS 459.205. Disposal sites so excluded shall be limited to those which, because of the nature or volume of solid waste handled, are not likely to create a public nuisance, health hazard, air or water pollution, or other serious problem. Facilities operated under a permit issued under ORS 468.740 are not required to obtain a permit from the department pursuant to ORS 459.205. However, exclusion from the permit requirements of ORS 459.205 does not relieve any person from compliance with other requirements of

ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 and the rules and regulations adopted pursuant thereto.

(2) By rule and after public hearing, the commission may delay the date after that prescribed by ORS 459.205 on which permits shall be required for a class or classes of disposal sites. However, a date after which a permit shall be required shall not be delayed later than July 1, 1975. In making its determination, the commission shall consider the nature, type and volume of solid waste handled at such sites, the threat of air or water pollution, the potential for creation of a public or private nuisance or health hazard, and the cost and funding of the program for carrying out this section.

(3) By rule and after public hearing the commission may establish classes of disposal sites that qualify for exclusion or for time extensions under this section. [1971 c 648 §7, 1973 c 835 §140]

459.220 [1969 c 90 §1, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.225 Variances or conditional permits authorized. (1) If the commission finds that a disposal site cannot meet one or more of the requirements of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 or any rule or regulation adopted pursuant thereto, it may issue a variance from such requirement either for a limited or unlimited time or it may issue a conditional permit containing a schedule of compliance specifying the time or times permitted to bring the disposal site into compliance with such requirements, or it may do both.

(2) In carrying out the provisions of subsection (1) of this section, the commission may grant specific variances from particular requirements or may grant a conditional permit to an applicant or to a class of applicants or to a specific disposal site, and specify conditions it considers necessary to protect the public health.

(3) The commission shall grant a variance or conditional permit only if:

(a) Conditions exist that are beyond the control of the applicant.

(b) Special conditions exist that render strict compliance unreasonable, burdensome or impractical.

(c) Strict compliance would result in substantial curtailment or closing of a disposal site and no alternative facility or alternative method of solid waste management is available.

(4) A variance or conditional permit may be revoked or modified by the commission after a

public hearing held upon not less than 10 days' notice. Such notice shall be served upon all persons who the commission knows will be subjected to greater restrictions if such variance or conditional permit is revoked or modified, or who are likely to be affected or who have filed with the commission a written request for such notification.

(5) The establishment, operation, maintenance, expansion, alteration, improvement or other change of a disposal site in accordance with a variance or a conditional permit is not a violation of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 or any rule or regulation adopted pursuant thereto. [1971 c 648 §8, 1973 c 835 §141]

459.230 [1969 c 90 §3, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.235 Applications for permits; fees. (1) Applications for permits shall be on forms prescribed by the department. An application shall contain a description of the existing and proposed operation and the existing and proposed facilities at the site, with detailed plans and specifications for any facilities to be constructed. The application shall include a recommendation by the local government unit or units having jurisdiction and such other information the department deems necessary in order to determine whether the site and solid waste disposal facilities located thereon and the operation will comply with applicable requirements.

(2) Subject to the review of the Executive Department and the prior approval of the appropriate legislative review agency, permit fees may be charged in accordance with ORS 468.065 (2). [1971 c 648 §9, 1977 c 37 §1, 1983 c 144 §1]

459.240 [1969 c 90 §4, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.245 Issuance of permits; terms. (1) If the disposal site meets the requirements of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285, the department shall issue the permit. Every completed application shall be approved or disapproved within 60 days after its receipt by the department. Except as provided in ORS 459.055, if the department fails to act within the time allowed, the application shall be considered approved unless an extension of time is granted by the commission on a showing of good cause by the department.

(2) Disposal site permits shall be issued for a period not to exceed 10 years, to be determined by the department and specified in the permit.

(3) Subject to the provisions of ORS 183.310 to 183.550, the department may refuse to renew a permit unless the disposal site and the facilities

thereon meet the requirements of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 and the rules of the commission adopted pursuant thereto. [1971 c 648 §10, 1973 c 835 §142, 1979 c 773 §8]

459.250 Place for collecting source separated recyclable material required for disposal site permit; revision of permits. (1) After January 1, 1985, the department shall require as a condition to issuing a disposal site permit under ORS 459.245 that a place for collecting source separated recyclable material located either at the disposal site or at another location more convenient to the population served by the disposal site is provided for every person whose solid waste enters the disposal site.

(2) Before July 1, 1986, the department shall revise all disposal site permits issued under ORS 459.245 before January 1, 1985, to require as a condition to the permit that a place for collecting source separated recyclable material located either at the disposal site or at another location more convenient to the population served by the disposal site is provided for every person whose solid waste enters the disposal site.

(3) The department may modify the requirements of this section if the department finds that the opportunity to recycle is being provided through an acceptable alternative method. [1983 c 729 §4]

459.255 Suspension of permits. (1) A permit may be suspended or revoked at any time if the department determines that the site or the solid waste management facilities located on the site are being operated in violation of ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285 or rules of the commission adopted pursuant thereto.

(2) The procedures for denial, suspension, modification of a condition or variance, revocation or refusal to renew a permit shall be those specified for a contested case in ORS 183.310 to 183.550. [1971 c 648 §11, 1973 c 835 §143]

459.265 Hearings; appeal. (1) Except as provided by ORS 459.276, the commission may on its own motion or upon the request of the department, and shall upon application of any person entitled to appeal, fix a time and place for a public hearing on any action of the department or commission:

(a) Ordering action to be taken by a person subject to regulation under ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285

(b) Ordering, or approving action resulting in, the closure or curtailment of use of a disposal site.

(2) In making its determination upon appeal from the action of a local government unit or the department, which action would result in the closure or curtailment of the use of a disposal site, the commission shall consider and make findings with respect to:

(a) The nature and magnitude of the problems created by the site or its operation.

(b) The applicable solid waste management plan

(c) The existence or threat of air or water pollution.

(d) The need for the particular disposal site and alternative methods of disposal or alternate disposal sites.

(e) The costs, funds available to meet the costs and the minimum time required for a change in disposal method or disposal site.

(3) In making its determination under subsection (2) of this section with respect to a disposal site owned or operated by a local government unit, and prior to ordering closure or curtailment of use of the site, the commission shall make a finding as to whether there is an alternative method of disposal or an alternate disposal site. [1971 c 648 §12, 1973 c 835 §144]

459.268 Closure of land disposal site. When solid waste is no longer received at a land disposal site, the person who holds or last held the permit issued under ORS 459.205 or, if the person who holds or last held the permit fails to comply with this section, the person owning or controlling the property on which the disposal site is located, shall close and maintain the site according to the requirements of ORS chapter 459, any applicable rule adopted by the commission under ORS 459.045 and any requirement imposed by the department as a condition to renewing or issuing a disposal site permit. [1983 c 766 §2]

459.270 Renewal of permit prior to proposed closure of disposal site; proof of financial assurance. (1) At least five years before the proposed closure of a land disposal site, the person holding the disposal site permit shall apply to renew the permit.

(a) A permit renewed under this subsection shall be issued for the period including the remaining time of operation of the disposal site, closure of the site and all or part of the post-closure period established by the department

during which active supervision of the land disposal site is necessary

(b) Application for the renewal of a permit under this subsection shall not prevent the disposal site permittee from applying for an extension of the useful life of the land disposal site for receiving solid waste

(c) If the anticipated useful life of a land disposal site on October 15, 1983, is less than five years after January 1, 1984, the permittee shall apply for a renewal of the disposal site permit within 30 days after January 1, 1984

(2) Unless exempted under rules adopted by the commission under ORS 459 045 (2), the applicant under subsection (1) of this section shall provide proof of satisfactory financial assurance. The financial assurance shall be sufficient to cover the cost of:

(a) Closing the land disposal site,

(b) Installing, operating and maintaining any environmental system required on the disposal site;

(c) Monitoring and providing security for the land disposal site, and

(d) Complying with any other requirement the department may impose as a condition of renewing the permit

(3) When a disposal site permit is renewed under subsection (1) of this section, the applicant shall submit to the department a proposed amount of financial assurance to provide for adequate closure and post-closure maintenance of the site.

(4)(a) In reviewing the adequacy of the amount of financial assurance proposed by the applicant under subsection (3) of this section, the department shall consider the following:

(A) Amount and type of solid waste deposited in the site,

(B) Amount and type of buffer from adjacent land and from drinking water sources;

(C) Amount, type, availability and cost of required cover;

(D) Seeding, grading, erosion control and surface water diversion required;

(E) Planned future use of the disposal site property,

(F) Type, duration of use, initial cost and maintenance cost of any active system necessary for controlling or stopping discharges;

(G) The portion of the site property closed before final closure of the entire site;

(H) Any other conditions imposed on the permit relating to closure or post-closure of the site, and

(I) The financial capability of the applicant

(b) After reviewing the proposed amount of financial assurance under paragraph (a) of this subsection, the department may either:

(A) Approve the amount proposed by the applicant; or

(B) Disapprove the amount and require the applicant to submit a revised amount consistent with the factors considered by the department under paragraph (a) of this subsection.

(5) No moneys in excess of the amount approved by the department may be set aside or collected by the disposal site operator unless the department approves an additional amount of financial assurance during a review conducted in conjunction with.

(a) A subsequent application to amend or renew the disposal site permit; or

(b) A request by the owner or operator of a disposal site to extend the useful life of the disposal site.

(6) Nothing in subsection (5) of this section is intended to prevent modification of a permit to reduce the amount of financial assurance required

(7) The financial assurance required under this section may be in any form proposed by the applicant and approved by the department.

(8) If the department and permit applicant or permittee agree that a period longer than five years is necessary to accumulate funds for the financial assurance necessary under subsections (2) to (7) of this section, the department may include as a condition to issuing any disposal site permit that provisions be made to establish adequate financial assurance.

(9) Unless the department finds a need to protect against a significant hazard or risk to the public health, safety or environment, the department shall terminate any permit for and active supervision of a land disposal site 10 years after the site is closed. The department may terminate a permit for or active supervision of a land disposal site any time after a site is closed if the department finds the site has been adequately closed.

(10) Notwithstanding subsection (7) of this section, any time after a land disposal site is closed according to the requirements of this section, the permit holder may apply for a termination of the permit, a release from one or more of the permit requirements or termination of any

applicable permit fee. Before the department grants a termination or release under this section, the department must find that there is no longer a need for:

- (a) Active supervision of the site;
- (b) Maintenance of the site; or
- (c) Maintenance or operation of any system or facility on the site.

(11) As used in this section, "financial assurance" means a plan for setting aside financial resources or otherwise assuring that adequate funds are available to properly close, maintain and monitor a land disposal site after the site is closed according to the requirements of a permit issued under subsection (1) of this section. [1983 c 766 §3]

459.273 Disposition of excess moneys and interest received for financial assurance. An applicant required to provide financial assurance under ORS 459.270 shall establish provisions satisfactory to the department for disposing of any excess moneys received or interest earned on moneys received for financial assurance. To the extent practicable, the applicant's provisions for disposing of the excess moneys received or interest earned on moneys shall provide for:

- (1) A reduction of the rates a person within the area served by the land disposal site is charged for solid waste collection service; or
- (2) Enhancing present or future solid waste disposal facilities within the area from which the excess moneys were received. [1983 c 766 §4]

(Enforcement)

459.275 [1971 c 648 §13, repealed by 1973 c 826 §3 (459 276 enacted in lieu of 459 275), 1973 c 835 §145, see 459 277]

459.276 Action to enforce regulations or orders. (1) The commission may take whatever action is appropriate for the enforcement of its regulations or orders.

(2) The commission may institute proceedings to enforce compliance with or restrain violations of this chapter, or any rule, standard, permit or order adopted, entered or issued pursuant to this chapter, in the same manner provided for enforcement proceedings under ORS 448 305, 454.010 to 454.040, 454.205 to 454.255, 454 405, 454.425, 454.505 to 454.535, 454.605 to 454.745 and ORS chapter 468. [1973 c 826 §4 (enacted in lieu of 459 275)]

459.277 [Formerly 459 275, repealed by 1974 s s c 36 §28]

459.285 Entry upon private premises authorized. The department or county, district or city board of health personnel, authorized sanitarians or other authorized city or county personnel may enter upon the premises of any person regulated under ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285, 459.410 to 459 690 or under rules adopted pursuant to ORS 450 075, 450 810, 450.820 and 451.570, at reasonable times, to determine compliance with and to enforce ORS 450.075, 450.810, 450.820, 451.570, 459.005 to 459 105, 459.205 to 459.245, 459.255 to 459.285, 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 and any rules adopted pursuant thereto. [1971 c 648 §19, 1973 c 835 §146, 1981 c 81 §1, 1981 c 709 §3]

HAZARDOUS WASTE (Definitions)

459.410 Definitions for ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690. As used in ORS 453 635 and 459.410 to 459.450 and 459 460 to 459.690, unless the context requires otherwise:

(1) "Commission" means the Environmental Quality Commission.

(2) "Department" means the Department of Environmental Quality.

(3) "Director" means the Director of the Department of Environmental Quality.

(4) "Dispose" or "disposal" means the discharge, deposit, injection, dumping, spilling, leaking or placing of any hazardous waste into or on any land or water so that the hazardous waste or any hazardous constituent thereof may enter the environment or be emitted into the air or discharged into any waters of the state as defined in ORS 468.700

(5) "Generator" means the person, who by virtue of ownership, management or control, is responsible for causing or allowing to be caused the creation of a hazardous waste

(6) "Hazardous waste" does not include radioactive material or the radioactively contaminated containers and receptacles used in the transportation, storage, use or application of radioactive waste, unless the material, container or receptacle is classified as hazardous waste under paragraph (a), (b) or (c) of this subsection on some basis other than the radioactivity of the material, container or receptacle. Hazardous waste does include all of the following which are not declassified by the commission under ORS 459.430 (3):

(a) Discarded, useless or unwanted materials or residues resulting from any substance or combination of substances intended for the purpose of defoliating plants or for the preventing, destroying, repelling or mitigating of insects, fungi, weeds, rodents or predatory animals, including but not limited to defoliants, desiccants, fungicides, herbicides, insecticides, nematocides and rodenticides.

(b) Residues resulting from any process of industry, manufacturing, trade or business or government or from the development or recovery of any natural resources, if such residues are classified as hazardous by order of the commission, after notice and public hearing. For purposes of classification, the commission must find that the residue, because of its quantity, concentration, or physical, chemical or infectious characteristics may:

(A) Cause or significantly contribute to an increase in mortality or an increase in serious irreversible or incapacitating reversible illness; or

(B) Pose a substantial present or potential hazard to human health or the environment when improperly treated, stored, transported, or disposed of, or otherwise managed.

(c) Discarded, useless or unwanted containers and receptacles used in the transportation, storage, use or application of the substances described in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection.

(7) "Hazardous waste collection site" means the geographical site upon which hazardous waste is stored.

(8) "Hazardous waste disposal site" means a geographical site in which or upon which hazardous waste is disposed.

(9) "Hazardous waste treatment site" means the geographical site upon which or a facility in which hazardous waste is treated.

(10) "Manifest" means the form used for identifying the quantity, composition, and the origin, routing and destination of hazardous waste during its transportation from the point of generation to the point of disposal, treatment or storage.

(11) "Person" means the United States, the state or a public or private corporation, local government unit, public agency, individual, partnership, association, firm, trust, estate or any other legal entity.

(12) "Store" or "storage" means the containment of hazardous waste either on a temporary basis or for a period of years, in a manner that

does not constitute disposal of the hazardous waste.

(13) "Transporter" means any person engaged in the transportation of hazardous waste by any means.

(14) "Treat" or "treatment" means any method, technique, activity or process, including but not limited to neutralization, designed to change the physical, chemical, or biological character or composition of any hazardous waste so as to neutralize the waste or so as to render the waste nonhazardous, safer for transport, amenable for recovery, amenable for storage, or reduced in volume. [1971 c 699 §1, 1973 c 778 §1, 1977 c 867 §1, 1979 c 132 §1, 1981 c 709 §4, 1983 c 703 §9]

(Administration)

459.430 Powers and duties of department. The department shall:

(1) Provide for the administration, enforcement and implementation of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 and may perform all functions necessary:

(a) To insure the proper management of hazardous waste by generators;

(b) For the regulation of the operation and construction of hazardous waste treatment, collection and disposal sites; and

(c) For the licensing of hazardous waste treatment, collection and disposal sites in consultation with the appropriate county governing body or city council.

(2) Coordinate and supervise all functions of state and local governmental agencies engaged in activities subject to the provisions of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690.

(3) After notice and public hearing pursuant to ORS 183.310 to 183.550, declassify as hazardous wastes those substances described in ORS 459.410 (6) which the commission finds, after deliberate consideration, taking into account the public health, welfare or safety or the environment, have been properly treated or decontaminated or contain a sufficiently low concentration of hazardous material so that such substances are no longer hazardous. [1971 c 699 §3, 1973 c 778 §2, 1973 c 835 §147, 1977 c 867 §2, 1979 c 132 §2, 1981 c 709 §5]

459.440 Rules and orders. In accordance with applicable provisions of ORS 183.310 to 183.550, the commission shall:

(1) Adopt rules and issue orders thereon, including but not limited to establishing minimum requirements for the treatment, storage

and disposal of hazardous wastes, minimum requirements for operation, maintenance, monitoring, reporting and supervision of treatment, collection or disposal sites, and requirements and procedures for selection of such sites

(2) Adopt rules and issue orders thereon relating to the procedures of the department with respect to hearings, filing of reports, submission of plans and the issuance, revocation and modification of licenses issued under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690.

(3) Adopt rules and issue orders thereon to classify as hazardous wastes those residues defined in ORS 459.410 (6)(b).

(4) Adopt rules and issue orders thereon relating to reporting by generators of hazardous wastes concerning type, amount and disposition of such hazardous waste. Rules may be adopted exempting certain classes of generators from such requirements.

(5) Adopt rules and issue orders relating to the transportation of hazardous waste by air or water. [1971 c 699 §3a, 1973 c 835 §148, 1977 c 867 §3, 1981 c 709 §5a]

459.442 Standards for commission rules. (1) In adopting rules under ORS 459 440 regulating the disposal of hazardous wastes, including, but not limited to, rules for the operation and maintenance of hazardous waste disposal sites, the commission shall provide for the highest and best practicable disposal of the hazardous wastes in a manner that will minimize:

(a) The possibility of a dangerous uncontrolled reaction, the release of leachate, noxious gases or odors, fire, explosion or the discharge of the hazardous wastes; and

(b) The amount of land used for burial of the hazardous wastes.

(2) The department shall investigate and analyze in detail the disposal methods and procedures required to be adopted by rule under ORS 459.440 and subsection (1) of this section and shall report its findings and recommendations to the commission. [1981 c 709 §20]

459.445 Rules for generators of hazardous waste. (1) The commission may, by rule, require generators of hazardous waste to:

(a) Identify themselves to the department, list the location and general characteristics of their activity and name the hazardous waste generated;

(b) Keep records that accurately identify the quantities of such hazardous waste, the constituents thereof, and the disposition of such waste;

(c) Furnish information on the chemical composition of such hazardous waste to persons transporting, treating, storing or disposing of such waste;

(d) Use a department approved manifest system to assure that all such hazardous waste generated are destined for treatment, storage or disposal in treatment, storage or disposal facilities (other than facilities on the premises where the waste is generated) which are operating pursuant to lawful authority; and

(e) Submit reports to the department setting out quantities of hazardous waste generated during a given time period and the disposition of all such waste.

(2) The generator of a hazardous waste shall be allowed to store a hazardous waste produced by that generator on the premises of that generator for a term not to exceed that set by rule without obtaining a hazardous waste collection site license. This shall not relieve any generator from complying with any other rule or standard regarding storage of hazardous waste.

(3) The commission by rule may exempt certain classes or types of hazardous waste generators from part or all of the requirements upon generators adopted by the commission. Such an exemption can only be made if the commission finds that, because of the quantity, concentration, methods of handling or use of a hazardous waste, such a class or type of generator is not likely either:

(a) To cause or significantly contribute to an increase in serious irreversible or incapacitating reversible illness; or

(b) To pose a substantial present or potential threat to human health or the environment. [1977 c 867 §6, 1981 c 709 §6, 1983 c 703 §10]

459.450 Rules for transportation of hazardous waste. In adopting rules governing transportation of any hazardous wastes for which a permit is required, the Public Utility Commissioner or the State Department of Agriculture must consult with and consider the recommendations of the department prior to the adoption of any such rules. Transporters shall be required to deliver hazardous wastes to a site named in the manifest provided for in this chapter or an alternative site approved by the department. [1971 c 699 §16a, 1973 c 835 §150, 1977 c 867 §4]

459.455 Authority of commission and department to obtain authorization for state hazardous waste regulatory program. The commission and the department are authorized to perform or cause to be performed any act necessary to gain interim and

final authorization of a hazardous waste regulatory program under the provisions of the Federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, P.L. 94-580 as amended, and federal regulations and interpretive and guidance documents issued pursuant to P.L. 94-580. The commission may adopt, amend or repeal any rule or license and the commission or department may enter into any agreement necessary to implement this section [1983 c 703 §2]

459.460 Inspection and copying of records authorized; exceptions. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, any information filed or submitted pursuant to ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 shall be made available for public inspection and copying during regular office hours of the department at the expense of any person requesting copies.

(2) Unless classified by the director as confidential, any records, reports or information obtained under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 shall be available to the public. Upon a showing satisfactory to the director by any person that records, reports or information, or particular parts thereof, if made public, would divulge methods or processes entitled to protection as trade secrets of such person, the director shall classify as confidential such record, report or information, or particular part thereof. However, such record, report or information may be disclosed to other officers, employees or authorized representatives of the state concerned with carrying out ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or when relevant in any proceeding under ORS 459.410 to 459.690.

(3) Records, reports and information obtained or used by the department or the commission in administering the state hazardous waste program under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 shall be available to the United States Environmental Protection Agency upon request. If the records, reports or information has been submitted to the state under a claim of confidentiality, the state shall make that claim of confidentiality to the Environmental Protection Agency for the requested records, reports or information. The federal agency shall treat the records, reports or information that is subject to the confidentiality claim as confidential in accordance with applicable federal law.

[1971 c 699 §21, 1973 c 835 §149, 1981 c 709 §7]

(Waste Treatment, Collection or Disposal)

459.505 Hazardous waste to be collected, disposed of or treated at licensed site; exemptions. (1) Except as provided in ORS 459.445 (2), no person shall:

(a) Store a hazardous waste anywhere in this state except at a licensed hazardous waste treatment, collection or disposal site,

(b) Establish, construct or operate a hazardous waste collection site in this state without obtaining a hazardous waste collection site license issued pursuant to this chapter; or

(c) Establish, construct or operate a hazardous waste treatment site in this state without obtaining a hazardous waste treatment site license issued under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690

(2) The commission may exempt certain classes of hazardous waste collection or treatment sites from part or all of the licensing requirements for these sites. Such an exemption can only be made if the commission finds that, because of the quantity, concentration or type of waste or duration of storage, such a class of collection site is not likely to endanger the public health, welfare or safety or the environment.

(3) If the director finds an emergency condition to exist, the director may authorize the short-term storage or treatment of a hazardous waste anywhere in the state as long as such temporary storage or treatment shall not constitute a hazard to public health, welfare or safety or to the environment

(4) Hazardous waste collection sites operating on June 30, 1977, shall be required to obtain a hazardous waste collection site license not later than January 1, 1978.

(5) Hazardous waste treatment sites operating on October 3, 1979, shall be required to obtain a hazardous waste treatment site license not later than July 1, 1980. [1977 c 867 §12, 1979 c 132 §10, 1981 c 709 §8]

459.510 Disposal of waste restricted; license required. (1) Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, no person shall dispose of any hazardous waste anywhere in this state except at a hazardous waste disposal site licensed pursuant to ORS 459.530 to 459.620.

(2) No person shall establish, construct or operate a disposal site without a license therefor issued pursuant to ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690.

(3) The department may authorize disposal of specified hazardous wastes at specified solid

waste disposal sites operating under department permit issued pursuant to ORS 459.205 to 459.245, 459.255 and 459.265. Such authorization may be granted only under procedures approved by the commission, which shall include a determination by the department that such disposal will not pose a threat to public health, welfare or safety or to the environment. [1971 c 699 §2, 1973 c 778 §3, 1973 c 835 §151, 1977 c 867 §7, 1981 c 709 §9]

459.517 Duties of collection or treatment site licensee. Each hazardous waste collection or treatment site licensee shall be required to do the following as a condition to holding the license:

(1) Maintain records of any hazardous waste identified pursuant to provisions of this chapter which is stored or treated at the site and the manner in which such waste was stored or treated, transported and disposed of

(2) Report periodically to the department on types and volumes of wastes received and their manner of disposition.

(3) Participate in the manifest system designed by the department.

(4) Maintain current contingency plans to minimize damage from spillage, leakage, explosion, fire or other accidental or intentional event.

(5) Maintain sufficient liability insurance or equivalent financial assurance in such amounts as determined by the department to be reasonably necessary to protect the environment and the health, safety and welfare of the people of this state

(6) Assure that all personnel who are employed by the licensee are trained in proper procedures for handling, transfer, transport, treatment and storage of hazardous waste including, but not limited to, familiarization with all contingency plans.

(7) Maintain other plans and exhibits pertaining to the site and its operation as determined by the department to be reasonably necessary to protect the public health, welfare or safety or the environment.

(8) Restore, to the extent reasonably practicable, the site to its original condition when use of the area is terminated.

(9) Maintain a cash bond or other equivalent financial assurance in the name of the state in an amount estimated by the department to be sufficient to cover any costs of closing the site and monitoring it or providing for its security after closure and to secure performance of all license

requirements. The financial assurance shall remain available for the duration of the license and until the site is closed, except to the extent it is released or modified by the department. [1977 c 867 §13, 1979 c 132 §11, 1981 c 709 §10, 1983 c 703 §11]

459.520 [1971 c 699 §2a, 1973 c 835 §152, repealed by 1977 c 867 §8]

459.530 Waste disposal license applications; fees. (1) The department shall furnish an application form to any person interested in developing or constructing a hazardous waste disposal site upon request. Each such form shall contain:

(a) The name and address of the applicant.

(b) A statement of financial condition of the applicant, including assets, liabilities and net worth.

(c) The experience of the applicant in construction, management, supervision or development of hazardous waste disposal sites and in the handling of such substances.

(2) The department shall also require the submission of such information relating to the construction, development or establishment of proposed hazardous waste disposal sites and facilities to be operated in conjunction therewith, and such additional information, data and reports as it deems necessary to make a decision on granting or denying a license.

(3) The application shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable fee of \$5,000, which shall be continuously appropriated to the department for administrative expenses. [1971 c 699 §4, 1977 c 867 §9]

459.535 Waste collection or treatment applications; form. (1) The department shall furnish an application form to anyone who wishes to operate a hazardous waste collection or treatment site.

(2) In addition to information requested on the application form, the department shall also require the submission of such information relating to the construction, development or establishment of a proposed hazardous waste collection or treatment site and facilities to be operated in conjunction therewith and such additional information, data and reports as it deems necessary to make a decision on granting or denying a license. [1977 c 867 §14, 1979 c 132 §12]

459.540 Waste disposal application information. License applications submitted to the department for managing, operating, constructing, developing or establishing a hazardous waste disposal site must contain the following:

(1) The management program for the operation of the site, including the person to be responsible for the operation of the site and a resume of his qualifications, the proposed method of disposal, the proposed method of pretreatment or decontamination upon the site, if any, and the proposed emergency measures to be provided at such site.

(2) A description of the size and type of facilities to be constructed upon the site, including the height and type of fencing to be used, the size and construction of structures or buildings, warning signs, notices and alarms to be used, the type of drainage and waste treatment facilities and maximum capacity of such facilities, the location and source of each water supply to be used and the location and the type of fire control facilities to be provided at such site.

(3) A preliminary engineering sketch and flow chart showing proposed plans and specifications for the construction and development of the site and the waste treatment and water supply facilities, if any, to be used at such site

(4) The exact location and place where the applicant proposes to operate and maintain the site, including the legal description of the lands included within such site.

(5) A preliminary geologist's survey report indicating land formation, location of water resources and direction of the flows thereof and his opinion relating to possible sources of contamination of such water resources

(6) The names and addresses of the applicant's current or proposed insurance carriers, including copies of insurance policies then in effect. [1971 c 699 §5, 1979 c 132 §3]

459.545 Waste collection or treatment application information. Applications for a license to operate a hazardous waste collection or treatment site shall include at a minimum:

(1) The name and address of the applicant and the exact location of the proposed collection or treatment site.

(2) Estimates with respect to compositions, quantities and concentrations of any hazardous wastes identified under this chapter, and the time, frequency or rate at which such hazardous waste may be received, stored, treated, transported or disposed.

(3) A description of the operational plan for the site, including handling methods, storage or treatment methods, hours and days of operation and a preliminary engineering sketch showing layout of the site, location of water supply and drainage facilities and traffic flow.

(4) A description of security measures at the site including, but not limited to, type, height and location of fencing, manner for controlling access to the site, alarm systems and warning signs

(5) The name of any person who will be responsible for managing the operation of the site and a statement of the qualifications of such persons.

(6) The name of the liability insurance carrier who will provide coverage required in ORS 459.517 [1977 c 867 §15, 1979 c 132 §13]

459.550 Notice of hearings on waste disposal site applications required. (1) Prior to holding hearings on a hazardous waste disposal site license application, the commission shall cause notice to be given in the county or counties where the proposed site is located in a manner reasonably calculated to notify interested and affected persons of the license application.

(2) The notice shall contain information regarding the approximate location of the site and the type and amount of materials intended for disposal at such site, and shall fix a time and place for a public hearing. In addition, the notice shall contain a statement that any person interested in or affected by the proposed site shall have opportunity to testify at the hearing [1971 c 699 §6, 1979 c 132 §4]

459.560 Public hearings in areas of proposed disposal site required. The commission shall conduct a public hearing in the county or counties where a proposed hazardous waste disposal site is located and may conduct hearings at such other places as the department considers suitable. At the hearing the applicant may present the application and the public may appear or be represented in support of or in opposition to the application. [1971 c 699 §7, 1979 c 132 §5]

459.570 Recommendations by state agencies on applications for waste disposal site license; effect. Upon receipt of an application for a hazardous waste disposal site license, the department shall cause copies of the application to be sent to affected state agencies, including the Health Division, the Public Utility Commissioner, the State Fish and Wildlife Commission and the Water Resources Director. Each agency shall respond by making a recommendation as to whether the license application should be granted. If the Health Division recommends against granting the license, the commission must refuse to issue the license. Recommendation from other agencies shall be considered as

evidence in determining whether to grant the license [1971 c 699 §8, 1973 c 835 §152a, 1979 c.132 §6]

459.580 Review of waste disposal applications; issuance. (1) The department shall examine and review all hazardous waste disposal site license applications submitted to it and make such investigations as it considers necessary, and make a recommendation to the commission as to whether to issue the license.

(2) After reviewing the department's recommendations under subsection (1) of this section, the commission shall decide whether or not to issue the license. It shall cause notice of its decision to be given to the applicant by certified mail at the address designated in the application. The decision of the commission is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.480. [1971 c 699 §9, 1979 c 132 §7]

459.585 Review of waste treatment applications; issuance. (1) The department shall review and cause to be investigated all hazardous waste treatment site license applications submitted to it.

(2) After reviewing and investigating the application, the department shall decide whether or not to issue the license. It shall cause notice of its decision to be given to the applicant by certified mail at the address designated in the application. The decision of the department is subject to review by the commission under the provisions of ORS 183.310 to 183.550 governing contested cases. [1979 c 132 §15]

459.590 Conveyance of disposal site by licensee to state required; license requirements. (1) As a condition of issuance of a hazardous waste disposal site license, the licensee must deed to the state all that portion of the hazardous waste disposal site in or upon which hazardous wastes shall be disposed of. If the state is required to pay the licensee just compensation for the real property deeded to it, the licensee shall pay the state annually a fee in an amount determined by the department to be sufficient to make such real property self-supporting and self-liquidating.

(2) Each hazardous waste disposal site licensee under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 shall be required to do the following as a condition to holding the license:

(a) Proceed expeditiously with and complete the project in accordance with the plans and specifications approved therefor pursuant to ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 and the rules adopted thereunder.

(b) Commence operation, management or supervision of the hazardous waste disposal site on completion of the project and not to discontinue such operation, management or supervision of the site without the approval of the department.

(c) Maintain sufficient liability insurance or equivalent financial assurance in such amounts as determined by the department to be reasonably necessary to protect the environment, and the health, safety and welfare of the people of this state.

(d) Establish emergency procedures and safeguards necessary to prevent accidents and reasonably foreseeable risks.

(e) Restore, to the extent reasonably practicable, the site to its original condition when use of the area is terminated as a site.

(f) Maintain a cash bond or other equivalent financial assurance in the name of the state and in an amount estimated by the department to be sufficient to cover any costs of closing the site and monitoring it or providing for its security after closure, to secure performance of license requirements and to provide for any remedial action by the state necessary to protect the public health, welfare and safety and the environment following site closure. The financial assurance shall remain on deposit for the duration of the license and until the end of the post-closure period, except as the assurance may be released or modified by the department.

(g) Report periodically on the volume of material received at the site and the fees collected therefor.

(h) Maintain other plans and exhibits pertaining to the site and its operation as determined by the department to be reasonably necessary to protect the public health, welfare or safety or the environment. [1971 c 699 §10, 1973 c 778 §4, 1973 c 835 §153, 1977 c 867 §10, 1979 c 132 §8, 1981 c 709 §11, 1983 c 703 §12]

459.595 Acquisition of sites by condemnation. The commission may acquire real property for the disposal of hazardous wastes by instituting condemnation proceedings therefor to be conducted in accordance with ORS chapter 35. [1973 c 778 §7, 1977 c 867 §11]

459.600 Waste disposal site license fees; disposition; withdrawal by licensee.

(1) The hazardous waste collection, treatment or disposal site license shall require a fee based either on the volume of material accepted at the site or a percentage of the fee collected, or both. The fees shall be calculated in amounts estimat-

ed to produce over the site use period a sum sufficient to:

- (a) Secure performance of license requirements;
- (b) Close the site;
- (c) Provide for any monitoring or security of the site after closure; and
- (d) Provide for any remedial action by the state necessary after closure to protect the public health, welfare and safety and the environment.

(2) The amount so paid shall be held in a separate account and when the amount paid in by the licensee together with the earnings thereon equals the amount of the financial assurance required under ORS 459.590 (2)(f), the licensee shall be allowed to withdraw the financial assurance.

(3) If the site is closed before the fees reach an amount equal to the financial assurance, appropriate adjustment shall be made and the reduced portion of the financial assurance may be withdrawn. [1971 c 699 §11, 1979 c 132 §9, 1981 c 709 §12]

459.610 Annual fees; use. An annual fee may be required of every generator, air or water transporter and licensee under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690. The fee shall be in an amount determined by the commission to be adequate, less any federal funds budgeted therefor by legislative action, to carry on the monitoring, inspection and surveillance program established under ORS 459.670 and to cover related administrative costs. All such fees are continuously appropriated to the department to pay the cost of the program under ORS 459.670. [1971 c 699 §12, 1973 c 835 §154, 1981 c 709 §13, 1983 c 90 §1]

459.620 Revocation of licenses; judicial review. The commission may revoke any license issued under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 after public hearing upon a finding that the licensee has violated any provision of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or rules adopted pursuant thereto or any material condition of the license, subject to review under ORS 183.310 to 183.550. [1971 c 699 §16, 1973 c 835 §155]

459.625 [1975 c 483 §3, 1977 c 796 §3, renumbered 469 375]

459.630 [1975 c 483 §2, 1977 c 796 §4, renumbered 469 525]

459.635 Chemical waste disposal site; regulation; modification or waiver of requirements. The legislature finds that there is an urgent need for an Oregon site for the

disposal of hazardous chemical wastes and that such a site should be regulated but not operated by the Department of Environmental Quality. In order to secure such a site, the commission may modify or waive any of the requirements of this chapter, but not ORS 469.375 or 469.525, if it finds that such waiver or modification.

(1) Is necessary to make operation of the site economically feasible; and

(2) Will not endanger the public health and safety. [1975 c 483 §4]

459.640 Limits on disposal at state site; monitoring of disposal. (1) The department may limit, prohibit or otherwise restrict the disposal of certain hazardous wastes at a hazardous waste disposal site owned by the state if necessary to protect public health, welfare or safety or the environment or to prolong the useful life of the hazardous waste disposal site.

(2) The department shall monitor the origin and volume of hazardous waste received at a hazardous waste disposal site and may curtail or reduce the volume of the wastes that may be accepted for disposal as necessary to prolong the useful life of the site. [1981 c 709 §22]

(Enforcement)

459.650 Investigation upon complaint; hearings; orders. (1) The department shall investigate any complaint made to it by any person that the operation of any generator, air or water transporter or hazardous waste disposal, collection or treatment site is unsafe or that the operation is in violation of the provisions of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or the rules adopted under ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690

(2) If, after making an investigation under subsection (1) of this section, the department is satisfied that sufficient grounds exist to justify a hearing upon the complaint, it shall give 10 days' written notice of the time and place of the hearing and the matters to be considered at the hearing. A copy of the complaint shall be furnished by the department to the respondent. Both the complainant and the respondent are entitled to be heard, produce evidence and offer exhibits and to require the attendance of witnesses at the hearing.

(3) The commission or a hearings examiner appointed by the commission shall hear the matter. Within 30 days after the date of the hearing and after considering all evidence and testimony submitted, the commission shall make a specific order as it considers necessary. Any

order issued by the commission under this subsection shall be subject to judicial review in the manner provided by ORS 183.480 for judicial review of orders in contested cases. The costs of reporting and of transcribing the hearing for the purpose of judicial review shall be paid by the party seeking judicial review. [1971 c 699 §13a, 1977 c 867 §16, 1979 c 132 §16, 1981 c 709 §14, 1983 c 703 §13]

459.660 Investigation upon motion of department; findings and orders. (1) Whenever the department believes that the operation of any hazardous waste generator, air or water transporter or disposal, collection or treatment site is unsafe, or in violation of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or not in compliance with rules or orders, the department may, upon its own motion, investigate the operation of the site.

(2) The department may, after it has made an investigation under subsection (1) of this section, without notice and hearing, make such findings and orders as it considers necessary from the results of its investigation.

(3) The findings and orders made by the department under subsection (2) of this section may:

(a) Require changes in operations conducted, practices utilized and operating procedures found to be in violation of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or the rules adopted thereunder.

(b) Require compliance with the provisions of the license.

(4) The department shall deliver a certified copy of all orders issued by it under subsection (2) of this section to the respondent or the respondent's duly authorized representative at the address furnished to the department in the license application. The order shall take effect 20 days after the date of its issuance, unless the respondent requests a hearing on the order before the commission before the 20-day period has expired. The request for a hearing shall be submitted in writing and shall include the reasons for requesting the hearing. At the conclusion of the hearing, the commission may affirm, modify or reverse the original order.

(5) All hearings before the commission shall be in compliance with applicable provisions of ORS 183.310 to 183.550. Judicial review of all orders entered after hearing or where no hearing is requested shall be in accordance with the applicable provisions of ORS 183.310 to 183.550 for judicial review of contested cases. [1971 c 699 §14, 1973 c 835 §156, 1977 c 867 §17, 1979 c 132 §17, 1981 c 709 §15, 1983 c 703 §14]

459.670 Monitoring, inspection and surveillance program; licensees' duties. The department shall establish and operate a monitoring, inspection and surveillance program over all hazardous waste generators, air or water transporters and disposal, collection and treatment sites or may contract with any qualified public or private agency to do so. Owners and operators of these facilities must allow necessary access to the air or water transportation facility, the site of hazardous waste generation, disposal, storage or treatment and to its records, including those required by other public agencies, for the monitoring, inspection and surveillance program to operate. [1971 c 699 §13, 1977 c 867 §18, 1979 c 132 §18, 1981 c 709 §16, 1983 c 90 §2]

459.680 Procedure for emergencies. (1) Whenever, in the judgment of the department from the results of monitoring or surveillance of operation of any generator, air or water transporter or hazardous waste disposal, collection or treatment site, there is reasonable cause to believe that a clear and immediate danger to the public health, welfare or safety or to the environment exists from the continued operation of the site, without hearing or prior notice, the department shall order the operation of the site halted by service of the order on the site superintendent.

(2) Within 24 hours after the order is served, the department must appear in the appropriate circuit court to petition for the equitable relief required to protect the public health, welfare or safety or the environment and may begin proceedings to revoke the license if grounds for revocation exist. [1971 c 699 §15a, 1977 c 867 §19, 1979 c 132 §19, 1981 c 709 §16a, 1983 c 703 §15]

459.685 Liability for improper disposal of wastes; duty; action by department; costs. (1) Any person having the care, custody or control of a hazardous waste or a substance which would be a hazardous waste except for the fact that it is not discarded, useless or unwanted, who causes or permits any disposal of such waste or substance in violation of law or otherwise than as reasonably intended for normal use or handling of such waste or substance, including but not limited to accidental spills thereof, shall be liable for the damages to person or property, public or private, caused by such disposition.

(2) It shall be the obligation of such person to collect, remove or treat such waste or substance immediately, subject to such direction as the department may give.

(3) If such person fails to collect, remove or treat such waste or substance when under an

obligation to do so as provided by subsection (2) of this section, the department is authorized to take such actions as are necessary to collect, remove or treat such waste or substance.

(4) The director shall keep a record of all necessary expenses incurred in carrying out any clean-up projects or activities authorized under subsection (3) of this section, including reasonable charges for services performed and equipment and materials utilized.

(5) Any person who fails to collect, remove or treat such waste or substance immediately, when under an obligation to do so as provided in subsection (2) of this section, shall be responsible for the necessary expenses incurred by the state in carrying out a clean-up project or activity authorized under subsections (3) and (4) of this section.

(6) If the amount of state-incurred expenses under subsections (3) and (4) of this section are not paid to the department within 15 days after receipt of notice that such expenses are due and owing, the Attorney General, at the request of the director, shall bring an action in the name of the State of Oregon in any court of competent jurisdiction to recover the amount specified in the final order of the director [1973 c 778 §§8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 1977 c 867 §20]

459.690 Actions or proceedings to enforce compliance. Whenever it appears to the department that any person is engaged or about to engage in any acts or practices which constitute a violation of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or the rules and orders adopted thereunder or of the terms of the license, without prior administrative hearing, the department may institute actions or proceedings for legal or equitable remedies to enforce compliance therewith or to restrain further violations thereof. [1971 c 699 §15, 1973 c 835 §157, 1979 c 284 §150]

(Post-closure)

459.695 Post-closure license for hazardous waste disposal site; fee. (1) At the time a hazardous waste disposal site is closed, the person licensed under ORS 459.530 to 459.620 to operate the site, must obtain a post-closure license from the department

(2) A post-closure license issued under this section must be maintained until the end of the post-closure period established by the commission by rule.

(3) In order to obtain a post-closure license the licensee must provide post-closure care which shall include at least the following:

(a) Monitoring and security of the hazardous waste disposal site; and

(b) Any remedial action necessary to protect the environment and the public health, welfare and safety.

(4) The commission may by rule establish a post-closure license application fee. [1983 c 703 §3]

BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

459.810 Definitions for ORS 459.810 to 459.890. As used in ORS 459.810 to 459.890 and 459.992 (5) and (6), unless the context requires otherwise:

(1) "Beverage" means beer or other malt beverages and mineral waters, soda water and similar carbonated soft drinks in liquid form and intended for human consumption.

(2) "Beverage container" means the individual, separate, sealed glass, metal or plastic bottle, can, jar, or carton containing a beverage.

(3) "Commission" means the Oregon Liquor Control Commission.

(4) "Consumer" means every person who purchases a beverage in a beverage container for use or consumption.

(5) "Dealer" means every person in this state who engages in the sale of beverages in beverage containers to a consumer, or means a redemption center certified under ORS 459.880.

(6) "Distributor" means every person who engages in the sale of beverages in beverage containers to a dealer in this state including any manufacturer who engages in such sales.

(7) "In this state" means within the exterior limits of the State of Oregon and includes all territory within these limits owned by or ceded to the United States of America.

(8) "Manufacturer" means every person bottling, canning or otherwise filling beverage containers for sale to distributors or dealers.

(9) "Place of business of a dealer" means the location at which a dealer sells or offers for sale beverages in beverage containers to consumers.

(10) "Use or consumption" includes the exercise of any right or power over a beverage incident to the ownership thereof, other than the sale or the keeping or retention of a beverage for the purposes of sale. [1971 c 745 §1]

459.820 Refund value required. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, every beverage container sold or offered for sale in this state shall have a refund value of not less than five cents.

(2) Every beverage container certified as provided in ORS 459.860, sold or offered for sale in this state, shall have a refund value of not less than two cents. [1971 c 745 §2]

459.830 Practices required of dealers and distributors. Except as provided in ORS 459.840:

(1) A dealer shall not refuse to accept from any person any empty beverage containers of the kind, size and brand sold by the dealer, or refuse to pay to that person the refund value of a beverage container as established by ORS 459.820.

(2) A distributor shall not refuse to accept from a dealer any empty beverage containers of the kind, size and brand sold by the distributor, or refuse to pay the dealer the refund value of a beverage container as established by ORS 459.820. [1971 c 745 §3, 1973 c 758 §1]

459.840 When dealer or distributor authorized to refuse to accept or pay refund in certain cases; notice. (1) A dealer may refuse to accept from any person, and a distributor may refuse to accept from a dealer any empty beverage container which does not state thereon a refund value as established by ORS 459.820.

(2) A dealer may refuse to accept and to pay the refund value of empty beverage containers if the place of business of the dealer and the kind and brand of empty beverage containers are included in an order of the commission approving a redemption center under ORS 459.880.

(3) A dealer may refuse to accept and to pay the refund value of any beverage container visibly containing or contaminated by a substance other than water, residue of the original contents or ordinary dust.

(4) A dealer may refuse to accept and to pay the refund value of more than 96 individual beverage containers returned by any one person during one day if a daily time is posted when larger quantities of containers will be accepted.

(5) In order to refuse containers under subsection (3) or (4) of this section, the dealer must post in each area where containers are received a clearly visible and legible sign containing the following information:

NOTICE:

Oregon Law allows a dealer to refuse to accept:

1. Beverage containers visibly containing or contaminated by a substance other than water, residue of the original contents or ordinary dust; or

2. More than 96 individual beverage containers from any one person during one day if a daily time is posted when larger quantities of containers will be accepted.

Quantities in excess of 96 individual containers may be returned on the following schedule or by appointment.

[1971 c 745 §4, 1973 c 758 §2, 1981 c 513 §1]

459.850 Indication of refund value required; exception; certain metal containers and plastic container holders prohibited. (1) Every beverage container sold or offered for sale in this state by a dealer shall clearly indicate by embossing or by a stamp, or by a label or other method securely affixed to the beverage container, the refund value of the container.

(2) Subsection (1) of this section shall not apply to glass beverage containers designed for beverages having a brand name permanently marked thereon which, on October 1, 1972, had a refund value of not less than five cents.

(3) No person shall sell or offer for sale at retail in this state any metal beverage container so designed and constructed that a part of the container is detachable in opening the container without the aid of a can opener.

(4) On or after March 1, 1979, no person shall sell or offer for sale at retail in this state, in addition to beverages as defined in ORS 459.810 (1), any beverage in liquid form intended for human consumption in any beverage container so designed and constructed that a metal part of the container is detachable in opening the container through use of a metal ring or tab without the aid of a can opener. However, nothing in this subsection shall prohibit the sale of a container the only detachable part of which is a piece of pressure sensitive tape.

(5) No person shall sell or offer for sale at retail in this state metal beverage containers connected to each other by a separate holding device constructed of plastic rings or other material which will not decompose by photobiodegradation, chemical degradation, or biodegradation within 120 days of disposal. [1971 c 745 §5, 1977 c 151 §1, 1977 c 157 §1, 1979 c 188 §1]

459.860 Certification of containers as reusable by more than one manufacturer.

(1) To promote the use in this state of reusable beverage containers of uniform design, and to facilitate the return of containers to manufacturers for reuse as a beverage container, the commission may certify beverage containers which satisfy the requirements of this section.

(2) A beverage container may be certified if.

(a) It is reusable as a beverage container by more than one manufacturer in the ordinary course of business; and

(b) More than one manufacturer will in the ordinary course of business accept the beverage container for reuse as a beverage container and pay the refund value of the container.

(3) The commission may by rule establish appropriate liquid capacities and shapes for beverage containers to be certified or decertified in accordance with the purposes set forth in subsection (1) of this section.

(4) A beverage container shall not be certified under this section if by reason of its shape or design, or by reason of words or symbols permanently inscribed thereon, whether by engraving, embossing, painting or other permanent method, it is reusable as a beverage container in the ordinary course of business only by a manufacturer of a beverage sold under a specific brand name. [1971 c 745 §6, 1973 c 693 §1]

459.870 Decision upon certification applications; review and withdrawal of certifications.

(1) Unless an application for certification under ORS 459.860 is denied by the commission within 60 days after the filing of the application, the beverage container shall be deemed certified.

(2) The commission may review at any time certification of a beverage container. If after such review, with written notice and hearing afforded to the person who filed the application for certification under ORS 459.860, the commission determines the container is no longer qualified for certification, it shall withdraw certification.

(3) Withdrawal of certification shall be effective not less than 30 days after written notice to the person who filed the application for certification under ORS 459.860 and to the manufacturers referred to in ORS 459.860 (2).

[1971 c 745 §7]

459.880 Redemption centers. (1) To facilitate the return of empty beverage containers and to serve dealers of beverages, any person may establish a redemption center, subject to the

approval of the Oregon Liquor Control Commission, at which any person may return empty beverage containers and receive payment of the refund value of such beverage containers.

(2) Application for approval of a redemption center shall be filed with the commission. The application shall state the name and address of the person responsible for the establishment and operation of the redemption center, the kind and brand names of the beverage containers which will be accepted at the redemption center and the names and addresses of the dealers to be served by the redemption center. The application shall include such additional information as the commission may require.

(3) The commission shall approve a redemption center if it finds the redemption center will provide a convenient service to persons for the return of empty beverage containers. The order of the commission approving a redemption center shall state the dealers to be served by the redemption center and the kind and brand names of empty beverage containers which the redemption center must accept. The order may contain such other provisions to insure the redemption center will provide a convenient service to the public as the commission may determine.

(4) The commission may review at any time approval of a redemption center. After written notice to the person responsible for the establishment and operation of the redemption center, and to the dealers served by the redemption center, the commission may, after hearing, withdraw approval of a redemption center if the commission finds there has not been compliance with its order approving the redemption center, or if the redemption center no longer provides a convenient service to the public [1971 c 745 §8, 1973 c 758 §3]

459.890 Certification and withdrawal procedures. The procedures for certification or withdrawal provided for in ORS 459.860 to 459.880 shall be in accordance with ORS 183.310 to 183.550. [1971 c 745 §9]

PENALTIES

459.990 [1967 c 428 §16, 1969 c 593 §48, subsection (2) enacted as 1969 c 509 §6, repealed by 1971 c 648 §33]

459.992 Criminal penalties. (1) The following are Class A misdemeanors:

(a) Violation of rules or ordinances adopted under ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245 and 459.255 to 459.285.

(b) Violation of ORS 459.205.

(c) Violation of ORS 459.270.

(d) Violation of ORS 459.195.

(2) Each day a violation referred to by subsection (1) of this section continues constitutes a separate offense. Such separate offenses may be joined in one indictment or complaint or information in several counts.

(3) Penalties provided in this section are in addition to and not in lieu of any other remedy specified in ORS 459.005 to 459.105, 459.205 to 459.245, 459.255 to 459.285 or 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690.

(4) Violation of ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690 or of any rule or order entered or adopted under those sections is punishable, upon conviction, by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than one year, or by both. Each day of violation shall be deemed a separate offense.

(5) Violation of ORS 459.820, 459.830 or 459.850 is a Class A misdemeanor.

(6) In addition to the penalty prescribed by subsection (5) of this section, the commission or the State Department of Agriculture may revoke or suspend the license of any person who wilfully violates ORS 459.820, 459.830 or 459.850, who is required by ORS chapter 471 or 635, respectively, to have a license. [Subsections (1), (2) and (3) enacted as 1971 c 648 §20, subsection (4) enacted as 1971 c 699 §20, subsections (5) and (6) enacted as 1971 c 745 §10, 1973 c 835 §158, 1977 c 867 §22, 1981 c 81 §2, 1981 c 709 §17, 1983 c 729 §17, 1983 c 766 §8]

459.995 Civil penalties. (1) In addition to any other penalty provided by law, any person who violates ORS 459.205, 459.270 or the provisions of ORS 459.180, 459.188, 459.190 or 459.195 or any rule or order of the Environmental Quality Commission pertaining to the disposal, collection, storage or reuse or recycling of solid wastes, as defined by ORS 459.005, shall incur a civil penalty not to exceed \$500 a day for each day of the violation.

(2) In addition to any other penalty provided by law, any person who violates ORS 459.410 to 459.450 and 459.460 to 459.690, a license condition or any commission rule or order pertaining to the generation, treatment, storage, disposal or transportation by air or water of hazardous waste, as defined by ORS 459.410, shall incur a civil penalty not to exceed \$10,000 for each day of the violation.

(3) The civil penalty authorized by subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall be established, imposed, collected and appealed in the same manner as civil penalties are established, imposed and collected under ORS 448.305, 454.010 to 454.040, 454.205 to 454.255, 454.405, 454.425, 454.505 to 454.535, 454.605 to 454.745 and ORS chapter 468 [1973 c 835 §130, 1977 c 317 §1, 1981 c 709 §18, 1983 c 703 §16, 1983 c 729 §18, 1983 c 766 §9]

