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13	Section			
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16	Section			
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18	R18-13-2002	<u>Used Oil Handler Registration; Fee</u>		
19	R18-13-2003	Used Oil Collection Center Identification Number; Requirements		
20	ARTICLE	21. SOLID WASTE LANDFILL REGISTRATION AND DISPOSAL FEES		
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23	R18-13-2102	Registration; Annual Registration Fee for an Existing Solid Waste Landfill		
24	R18-13-2103	Annual Landfill Registration: Due Date and Fees Landfill Closure and Post-		
25		Closure Care Obligations; Fees		
26	R18-13-2104	Solid Waste Landfill Disposal Fee; Exemptions		
27		ARTICLE 22. NEW TIRE SELLERS		
28	Section			
29	R18-13-2201	<u>Definitions</u>		
30	R18-13-2202	New Tire Sellers; Fee		

1 ARTICLE 4. SOLID WASTE FACILITIES SUBJECT TO BEST MANAGEMENT PF

2 **R18-13-401. Definitions**

- 3 A. "Department" means the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality.
- 4 B. "Material recovery facility" means a transfer facility that collects, compacts, repackages,
 5 sorts, or processes commingled recyclable solid waste generated offsite for the purpose
- of recycling and transport, or where source separated recyclable solid waste is processed
- 7 <u>for sale to various markets, and where the incoming materials are predominantly</u>
- 8 <u>recyclable solid waste.</u>
- 9 <u>C.</u> <u>"Recyclable solid waste" means a product or material described in subsection (C)(1) or</u>
 10 (2), and for which subsection (C)(3) is true:
- 11 <u>1.</u> <u>A product with no useful life remaining for the purposes for which it was </u>
- produced, or if useful life remains, the product will not, due to location, quantity,
- or owner choice, remain in use or be reused for a purpose for which it was
- 14 <u>produced.</u>
- 2. A material that is a result of a process or activity whose purpose was to produce
- something else.
- 17 <u>3.</u> The product or material retains some economic value, with or without further
- 18 <u>processing, as a raw material or feedstock in some process other than incineration</u>
- or combustion.

R18-13-402. Solid Waste Facilities Subject to Best Management Practices; Fees

- 21 A. The following solid waste facilities subject to best management practices under A.R.S. §
- 22 <u>49-762.02 shall register with the Department and pay registration fees as provided in this</u>
- 23 <u>Section:</u>

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- 24 <u>1. A transfer facility, as defined in A.R.S. § 49-701, with a daily throughput of 180</u>
- 25 <u>cubic yards or less, but not including:</u>
 - a. <u>A material recovery facility where the incoming materials are primarily</u>
- 27 <u>source separated recyclables; or</u>
- 28 <u>b.</u> <u>Community or neighborhood recycling bins including drop boxes, roll off</u>
- 29 <u>containers, and plastic containers used to collect residential, business, or</u>

30 governmental recyclable solid waste.

1		<u>2.</u>	A site at which more than 500 and fewer than 5,000 waste tires are stored on any
2			day that is not required to obtain plan approval pursuant to A.R.S. § 49-762.
3	<u>B.</u>	<u>Initial</u>	registration. The owner or operator of an existing solid waste facility listed in
4		<u>subse</u>	ction (A) as of the effective date of this Section shall register with the Department
5		by Ma	arch 1, 2025, on a form approved by the Department and pay the fee amount under
6		<u>subse</u>	ction (C) of this Section. A new solid waste facility shall not begin operation until the
7		owne	r or operator registers with the Department on a form approved by the Department.
8		The o	wner or operator of a new solid waste facility listed in subsection (A) shall submit
9		an init	tial registration fee of \$1,800 at the time of registration under this subsection.
10	<u>C.</u>	Annua	al registration fee. The Department shall bill an annual registration fee of \$1,500 to
11		<u>a regi</u>	istered solid waste facility listed in subsection (A) that has not filed a notice of
12		<u>termi</u>	nation of registration with the Department. The owner or operator of a registered
13		solid v	waste facility listed in subsection (A) shall pay the annual registration fee within 30
14		days c	of invoice receipt.
15	<u>D.</u>	Regist	tration as a waste tire collection site under R18-13-1211 shall satisfy registration and
16		<u>fee re</u>	quirements pursuant to this Section for a site under subsection (A)(2) of this Section.
17	<u>E.</u>	Begin	ning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (B)
18		and (C	C) of this Section annually by the following method:
19		<u>1.</u>	Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide
20			by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer
21			Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,
22			published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-
23			resources.htm, for October of that year.
24		<u>2.</u>	Round the result from subsection (E)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the
25			new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as
26			practicable.
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28	ART	ICLE 5.	REQUIREMENTS FOR SOLID WASTE FACILITIES SUBJECT TO SELF-CERTIFICATION

R18-13-501. Solid Waste Facilities Requiring Self-Certification; Registration Fees

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- 1 **A.** The following solid waste facilities requiring self-certification under A.R.S. § 49-762.01 shall register with the Department and pay <u>annual</u> registration fees as provided in this Section by September 30, 2012, and annually thereafter by September 30th:
 - 1. A transfer facility, as defined in A.R.S. § 49-701, with a daily throughput of more than 180 cubic yards, including a material recovery facility, but not including:
 - a. A material recovery facility where the incoming materials are primarily source separated recyclables; or
 - b. Community or neighborhood recycling bins including drop boxes, roll off containers, <u>and</u> plastic containers used to collect residential, business, <u>and/</u>or governmental recyclable solid waste.
 - 2. A facility storing 5,000 or more waste tires on any one day and not required to obtain plan approval.
 - A waste tire shredding and processing facility.
- Initial registration for a new facility. The owner or operator of a planned new facility identified in subsection (A) of this Section shall submit the following information to the Department before beginning construction:
- 17 1. The name of the solid waste facility.

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- 18 2. The name, mailing address and telephone number of each owner and operator of the solid waste facility.
 - 3. The physical location of the solid waste facility by physical address, latitude and longitude, or legal description. If none of these are practical, by driving directions from the nearest city or town.
 - 4. A brief description of operations, including waste management methods, types and volumes of waste handled, waste storage and treatment equipment, and the length of time the waste remains onsite.
 - 5. A diagram of the property showing its approximate size and the planned location of the solid waste facility or facilities.
- Documentation that the facility will comply with local zoning laws or, if the owner is an agency or political subdivision of this state, with A.R.S. § 49-767.

- 7. Documentation that the facility has any other environmental permit that is required by statute.
 - 8. A copy of the public notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the area where the facility will be located stating the intent to construct and operate a new solid waste facility pursuant to A.R.S. § 49-762.05.
- **C.** Initial and annual registration for an existing facility. The owner or operator of an existing facility shall submit the following information to the Department annually on a form approved by the Department and note any changes since the last registration:
 - 1. The name of the solid waste facility.

- 10 2. The name, address and telephone number of each owner and operator of the solid waste facility.
 - 3. The physical location of the solid waste facility by physical address, latitude and longitude, or legal description.
 - 4. If none of these are practical, by driving directions from the nearest city or town.
 - 5. A brief description of operations, including waste management methods, types and volumes of waste handled, waste storage and treatment equipment, and the length of time the waste remains onsite.
 - 6. A diagram of the property showing its approximate size and the location of the solid waste facility or facilities.
 - 7. Documentation that the facility remains in compliance with the most current local zoning laws or with A.R.S. § 49-767, as applicable. Documentation that the facility continues to hold any other environmental permit that is required by statute.
 - **D.** Self-certification. With each registration under subsection (B) or (C) of this Section, the owner or operator shall certify that the information submitted is true, accurate, and complete to the best of the person's knowledge and belief.
- 26 E. Registration fees. The owner or operator of a transfer solid waste facility under subsection
 27 (A)(1) shall pay the Department \$1,000 \$3,600 for the initial registration of a new or
 28 existing facility, and \$500 \$3,000 for each annual registration thereafter. The owner or
 29 operator of a tire facility under subsection (A)(2) or (3) shall pay the Department \$1,000

- for the initial registration of a new or existing facility, and \$250 for each annual registration thereafter.
- Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (E) of this Section annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (F)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.
 - **F. G.** As used in this Section:

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- 1. "Department" means the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality.
- 2. "Material recovery facility" means a transfer facility that collects, compacts, repackages, sorts, or processes commingled recyclable solid waste generated offsite for the purpose of recycling and transport, or where source separated recyclable solid waste is processed for sale to various markets, and where the incoming materials are predominantly recyclable solid waste.
- 3. "Recyclable solid waste" means a product or material described in subsection $\frac{F}{G}(3)(a)$ or (b), and for which subsection $\frac{F}{G}(3)(c)$ is true:
 - a. A product with no useful life remaining for the purposes for which it was produced, or if useful life remains, the product will not, due to location, quantity, or owner choice, remain in use or be reused for a purpose for which it was produced.
 - b. A material that is a result of a process or activity whose purpose was to produce something else.
 - c. The product or material retains some economic value, with or without further processing, as a raw material or feedstock in some process other than incineration or combustion.

ARTICLE 7. SOLID WASTE FACILITY PLAN REVIEW FEES

R18-13-702. Solid Waste Facility Plan Review Fees

A. With each application submitted for approval pursuant to A.R.S. § 49-762.03, the applicant shall remit an initial fee in accordance with one of the fee tables in this subsection, unless otherwise provided in subsection (B) of this Section. This subsection also lists the maximum fees that the Department will bill the applicant. All fees paid shall be payable to the state of Arizona. The Department shall deposit the fees paid into the Solid Waste Fee Fund established pursuant to A.R.S. § 49-881, unless otherwise authorized or required by law.

Fee Tables¹

Fees for Plan Review of New Solid Waste Facilities		
	Initial	Maximum
Solid Waste Landfills	\$20,000	\$200,000
		<u>\$297,047</u>
Non-APP requirements for Non-MSWLFs operating under	\$2,000	\$50,000 <u>\$74,262</u>
an APP		
Other Solid Waste Facilities Subject to Plan Approval	\$10,000	\$100,000
		<u>\$148,524</u>

Fees for Modifications to Solid Waste Facility Plans				
	Initial	Maximum		
Solid Waste Landfills – Type IV	\$1,500	\$150,000		
		<u>\$222,786</u>		
Solid Waste Landfills – Type IV – RD&D	\$ 15,000	\$150,000		
Solid Waste Landfills – Type III	\$750	\$75,000		
		\$111,393		

¹ Change since 6/20/2024 presentation: initial plan review fees no longer changed and no longer subject to annual CPI adjustment.

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Other Solid Waste Facilities Subject to Plan Approval -	\$750	\$75,000
Type IV		\$111,393
Other Solid Waste Facilities Subject to Plan Approval -	\$500	\$50,000 \$74,262
Type III		

Fees for Review of Financial Responsibility Plans fo	r Solid W	Vaste Facilities	
		Initial	Maximum
Annual Review for Solid Waste Landfills	į	\$600	N/A
		Fee	
Other Solid Waste Facilities	!	\$200	\$5,000 <u>\$7,426</u>

- **B.** [no change]
- **C.** [no change]
- **D.** [no change]
- **E.** [no change]
- **F.** The hourly rate is \$122.00 \$181, beginning July 1, 2012, and shall remain in effect until it is either changed or repealed.
- Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in the columns of
 the Fee Tables titled "Maximum", the annual review for solid waste landfills flat fee in the
 Fee Table Fees for Review of Financial Responsibility Plans for Solid Waste Facilities, and
 the hourly rate amount in subsection (F) of this Section annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (G)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

ARTICLE 8. GENERAL PERMITS

R18-13-801. General Permit Fees

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- The Department shall assess annual fees for operation under a general permit established in rule as described in the Table below. <u>Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall</u> adjust the fee amounts in the Table below annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (A)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.
- 13 **B.** [no change]
- 14 **C.** [no change]
- 15 **D.** [no change]

16 Solid Waste General Permits

Category	Initial Fee	Annual Fee
Collection, Storage and Transfer-Standard	\$750 <u>\$1,114</u>	\$100 <u>\$149</u>
Collection, Storage and Transfer-Complex	\$ 7,500	\$1,000 \$1,485
	<u>\$11,139</u>	
Treatment-Standard	\$1,000 <u>\$1,485</u>	\$100 <u>\$149</u>
Treatment-Complex	\$10,000	\$1,000 <u>\$1,485</u>
	<u>\$14,852</u>	
Disposal	\$ 15,000	N/A
	<u>\$22,279</u>	

18 ARTICLE 11. COLLECTION, TRANSPORTATION, AND DISPOSAL OF HUMAN EXCRETA

R18-13-1103. General Requirements; License Fees

A. Any person owning or operating a vehicle or appurtenant equipment used to store, collect, transport, or dispose of sewage or human excreta that is removed from a septic

tank or other onsite wastewater treatment facility; earth pit privy, pail or can type privy, or other type of privy; sewage vault; or fixed or transportable chemical toilet shall obtain a license for each vehicle from the Department. The person shall apply, in writing, on a forms form furnished approved by the Department and shall demonstrate that each vehicle is designed and constructed to meet the requirements of this Article.

B. [no change]

- **C.** License terms.
 - 1. For each vehicle newly licensed vehicle:
 - a. subject to inspection conducted by the Department pursuant to this Article after June 30, 2012, the initial license fee shall be \$250 \$660, and shall to be submitted with the license application, and the annual license fee shall be \$550; or
 - b. subject to inspection conducted by a county pursuant to a delegation agreement with the Department, the initial license fee shall be \$270, to be submitted with the license application, and the annual license fee shall be \$225.
 - 2. After initial licensure of a vehicle, the Department will renew the license annually after payment of a \$75 the annual fee according to subsection (C)(3). The licensee shall submit renew by completing a the Department approved renewal form approved by the Department and submitting the annual license fee to the Department no later than 30 days before expiration.
 - 2. For those vehicles licensed before July 1, 2012, the initial license fee shall be \$75 and shall be paid within 30 days of receipt of an invoice from the Department. The license shall be valid for one year. The licensee shall submit the Department approved renewal form and the annual license fee of \$75 to the Department no later than 30 days before expiration.
 - 3. Each vehicle license may be renewed if:
 - a. The annual license fee is paid,
 - b. The owner or operator is in compliance with subsection (D) of this Section,
 - c. The vehicle is operated by the same person for the same purpose, and

1			<u>d.</u>	The vehicle has been inspected within the last 12 months pursuant to any
2				inspection required under this Article and found in compliance with this
3				Article; and
4			d. <u>e.</u>	The vehicle is maintained according to this Article.
5	D.	[no ch	ange]	
6	<u>E.</u>	<u>Beginr</u>	ning Jar	nuary 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (C) of
7		this Se	ection a	nnually by the following method:
8		<u>1.</u>	Multip	oly the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide
9			by the	October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer
10			<u>Price</u>	Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,
11			publis	hed by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-
12			resou	rces.htm, for October of that year.
13		<u>2.</u>	Round	the result from subsection (E)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the
14			new a	mounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as
15			practi	<u>cable.</u>
16	R18-1	3-1106.	Inspec	tion [no change]
17	R18-1	3-1112.	Sanita	ry Requirements [no change]
18	R18-1	3-1116.	Susper	nsion and Revocation [no change]
19	R18-1	3-1117.	Reinst	atement
20	<u>A.</u>	Upon	reques	t of the vehicle owner, the Department may reinstate a suspended or
21		revoke	ed vehic	cle license following a Department reinspection and based on an evaluation
22		of con	npliance	e with the requirements of this Article.
23	<u>B.</u>	<u>Upon</u>	request	t of a vehicle owner that fails to complete a renewal form approved by the
24		<u>Depar</u>	tment a	and submit the annual license fee to the Department no later than 30 days
25		<u>before</u>	expir	ation, the Department may reinstate an expired vehicle license after
26		<u>compl</u>	etion c	of a renewal form, submitting the appropriate annual license fee, and
27		<u>follow</u>	ing a [Department determination of compliance with the requirements of this
28		<u>Article</u>	<u>).</u>	
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30				ARTICLE 12. WASTE <u>TIRES; USED</u> TIRES

R18-13-1201. Definitions

- 2 In addition to the definitions provided in A.R.S. § 44-1301, the following definitions apply in this
- 3 Article:

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- 4 <u>1.</u> "Aquifer protection permit" means an authorization issued by the Department under
- 5 A.R.S. § 49-241 et seq.
- 6 <u>2.</u> "Burial cell" means an area where mining waste tires are placed in or on the land for
- 7 burial.
- 8 3. "Mining" means activities dedicated to the exploration, extraction, beneficiation, and
- 9 processing, including smelting and refining, of metallic ores.
- 10 4. "Mining facility" means any land, building, installation, structure, equipment, device,
- conveyance, or area dedicated to mining.
- 12 <u>5.</u> "Mining waste tire" means an off-road tire that is greater than three feet in outside
- 13 diameter that was used in mining.
- 14 <u>6.</u> "Operator" means an owner, part owner, management agency, or lessee of a mining
- facility, a person responsible for the overall operation or control of a mining facility, or an
- authorized representative of the operator.
- 17 <u>7.</u> "Person" is defined in A.R.S. § 49-201.
- 18 8. "Waste tire cover" means waste tires that are chopped or shredded into pieces that do
- 19 not exceed four inches in diameter used for cover at a solid waste landfill.
- 20 9. "Waste tire collection site" is defined in A.R.S. § 44-1301.
- 21 **R18-13-1202. Burial of Mining Waste Tires** [no change]
- 22 **R18-13-1203. Cover Requirements** [no change]
- 23 **R18-13-1204. Annual Report** [no change]
- 24 **R18-13-1205. Burial Cell Closure Certification** [no change]
- 25 **R18-13-1206. Storage** [no change]
- 26 **R18-13-1207. Maintenance of Records** [no change]
- 27 **R18-13-1208. Inspections** [no change]
- 28 **R18-13-1210. Waste Tire Cover** [no change]
- 29 R18-13-1211. Registration of New Waste Tire Collection Sites; Fee

- A. A new waste tire collection site shall not begin operation after July 20, 2011, until the owner or operator registers with the Department. The owner or operator shall register on a form approved by the Department that includes a statement that the site is in compliance with A.R.S. § 49-762.07(F) and A.R.S. Title 44, Chapter 9, Article 8, as applicable. The owner or operator of a new waste tire collection site that begins operation after July 20, 2011, shall pay an initial registration fee of \$500 \$2,400 within 30 days of invoice receipt. For purposes of this Section, "new waste tire collection site" means a waste tire collection site as defined in A.R.S. § 44-1301 that did not operate as a collection site on or before July 20, 2011.
- **B.** The owner or operator shall pay a \$75 \(\frac{52,000}{2}\) registration fee annually thereafter within 30 days of invoice receipt.
- 12 <u>C.</u> <u>Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (A)</u>
 13 <u>and (B) of this Section annually by the following method:</u>
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (C)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

R18-13-1212. Registration of Outdoor Used Tire Sites; Fee

- A. A person shall not store 100 or more used tires outdoors until the person registers with the Department. A person that stores 100 or more used tires outdoors after July 20, 2011, shall pay an initial registration fee of \$500 \$1,800 within 30 days of invoice receipt. The person shall register on a form approved by the Department that includes a statement that the site is in compliance with A.R.S. § 49-762.07(F) and A.R.S. Title 44, Chapter 9, Article 8, as applicable.
- **B.** A \$75 \$1,500 registration fee shall be paid annually thereafter within 30 days of invoice receipt.

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- 2 1. "Used tire" means any tire which has been used for more than one day on a motor vehicle.
- 4 2. "Outdoors" means other than inside a building with a weatherproof roof.
- 5 <u>D.</u> Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (A)
 6 and (B) of this Section annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (D)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

R18-13-1212.01 Waste Tire Collection Site Subject to Plan Approval; Fees

- Initial registration. The owner or operator of an existing waste tire collection site that is
 required to obtain plan approval under A.R.S. § 49-762(A)(7) as of the effective date of
 this Section shall register with the Department by March 1, 2025, on a form approved by
 the Department. A waste tire collection site that is required to obtain plan approval under
 A.R.S. § 49-762(A)(7) shall not begin operation until the owner or operator registers with
 the Department on a form approved by the Department.
- 22 B. Annual registration fee. The Department shall bill an annual registration fee of \$5,000 to
 23 a registered waste tire collection site that is required to obtain plan approval under A.R.S.
 24 § 49-762(A)(7) that has not filed a notice of termination of registration with the
 25 Department. The owner or operator of the waste tire collection site that is required to
 26 obtain plan approval under A.R.S. § 49-762(A)(7) shall pay the annual registration fee
 27 within 30 days of invoice receipt.
- 28 **C.** Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (B) of this Section annually by the following method:
 - 1. Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide

1		by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer
2		Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,
3		published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-
4		resources.htm, for October of that year.
5	<u>2.</u>	Round the result from subsection (C)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the
6		new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as
7		practicable.
8	R18-13-1213	. Facilities Subject to More Than One Tire Site Registration; Single Fee
9	A person who	o is required to register a tire facility under more than one of the Sections listed in
10	subsections (1) through $\frac{3}{4}$ shall register and follow procedures under each Section, but is
11	only required	to pay the registration fees under the Section with the highest fees.
12	1.	R18-13-1211.
13	2.	R18-13-1212.
14	<u>3.</u>	<u>R18-13-1212.01.</u>
15	3. <u>4.</u>	R18-13-501.
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17	ARTICLE 13	SPECIAL WASTE AND BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR SHREDDER RESIDUE
18	R18-13-1306	. Reserved <u>Fees</u>
19	A. <u>Initial</u>	registration fee. Upon making a request for a special waste identification number
20	on a	form as provided by the Director, and shown as Appendix A to this Article, an
21	applic	ant shall submit to the Department an initial registration fee for each operation as

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- follows: 22
- 23 <u>1.</u> For a generator of shredder residue, \$3,600;
- <u>2.</u> For a special waste receiving facility, \$5,000; and 24
- For a special waste shipper, \$1,800. 25 <u>3.</u>
- Annual registration fee. The Department shall bill an annual registration to a generator of 26 <u>B.</u> 27 shredder residue, a special waste receiving facility, and a special waste shipper that that
- 28 has a special waste identification number that has not filed a notice of termination of
- 29 registration with the Department for each operation as follows:
- 30 For a generator of shredder residue, \$3,000; 1.

1		<u>2.</u>	For a special waste receiving facility, \$5,000; and			
2		<u>3.</u>	For a special waste shipper, \$1,500.			
3	<u>C.</u>	<u>A gen</u>	A generator of shredder residue, special waste receiving facility, or special waste shipper			
4		shall p	pay the annual registration fee within 30 days of invoice receipt.			
5	<u>D.</u>	In acc	cordance with A.R.S. § 49-855(G), a solid waste landfill that pays registration fees			
6		under	A.R.S. § 49-747 is exempt from the fees under subsections (A) and (B) of this			
7		Section	on.			
8	<u>E.</u>	Begin	ning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (A)			
9		and (E	3) of this Section annually by the following method:			
10		<u>1.</u>	Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide			
11			by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer			
12			Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,			
13			published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-			
14			resources.htm, for October of that year.			
15		<u>2.</u>	Round the result from subsection (E)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the			
16			new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as			
17			practicable.			
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19	R18-1	3-1307	. Best Management Practices for Waste from Shredding Motor Vehicles; Fees			
20	A.	[no ch	nange]			
21	В.	[no ch	nange]			
22	C.	[no ch	nange]			
23	D.	[no ch	nange]			
24	E.	[no ch	nange]			
25	F.	<u>1.</u>	The owner or operator of a special waste facility shall pay, to the Department, the			
26			fees required by A.R.S. §§ 49-855(C)(2) and 49-863 as follows:			
27			1. \$1.49 per cubic yard of uncompacted shredder residue; or			

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3. <u>a.</u> \$4.50 \$6.68 per ton; and

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\$3.38 per cubic yard of compacted shredder residue received; or

- 4. b. Not more than \$45,000 \$66,835.67 per generator site per year for shredder residue that is transported to a facility regulated by the Department for treatment, storage or disposal.
 - 2. Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in this subsection annually by the following method:
 - a. Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - b. Round the result from subsection (F)(2)(a) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.
- **G.** [no change]

ARTICLE 14. BIOHAZARDOUS MEDICAL WASTE AND DISCARDED DRUGS

R18-13-1409. Transporter License; Fees; Transportation

- A. A transporter shall obtain a transporter license from the Department as provided under subsections (B) and (C) of this Section in addition to possessing a permit, license, or approval if required by a local health department, environmental agency, or other governmental agency with jurisdiction.
- B. A transporter license is valid for five years after issuance. To renew the license, the licensee shall submit an application under subsection (B)(1) no later than 60 days prior to the license's expiration, and shall pay the license renewal fee, as provided in subsection (B)(1) subsection (B)(2). With each application submitted for approval, the applicant shall remit an initial transporter license application fee as provided in subsection (B)(1) in accordance with Table 1. Fee Table Transporter License Fees; Frequency of Application for Transporter License. This Table also lists the maximum fees that the Department will bill the applicant. All fees paid shall be payable to the state of Arizona. The Department

shall deposit the fees paid into the Solid Waste Fee Fund established pursuant to A.R.S. §
49-881, unless otherwise authorized or required by law.

- 1. To apply for or to renew a transporter license, an applicant shall submit all of the following in a Department-approved format:
 - a. The name, address, and telephone number of the transportation company or entity.
 - b. All owners' names, addresses, and telephone numbers.
 - c. All names, addresses, and telephone numbers of any agents authorized to act on behalf of the owner.
 - d. A copy of either the certificate of disclosure required by A.R.S. § 49-109 or a written acknowledgment that this disclosure is not required.
 - e. Photocopies or other evidence of the issuance of a permit, license, or approval if required by a local health department, environmental agency, or other governmental agency with jurisdiction.
 - f. A copy of the transportation management plan as defined in R18-13-1401.
 - g. A list identifying each dedicated vehicle.
 - h. For The an initial transporter application license application, a fee of \$1,800, and for a license renewal, a fee of \$1,500. indicated in Table 1. Fee Table Transporter License Fees; Frequency of Application for Transporter License.
- 2. The new or renewal application license fee shall be calculated by multiplying the hourly rate of \$122 by the number of personnel hours involved in inspecting each transporting vehicle, evaluating the application, and approving the license, which amount shall be subtracted from the initial application license fee on deposit. Any remaining surplus of the initial application license fee on deposit shall be returned to the applicant. Any cost that exceeds the initial application license fee on deposit shall be billed to the applicant, but shall not exceed the maximum.
- 3. 2. The Department may only issue a transporter license, including a renewal, if all of the items in subsection (B)(1)(a) through (h) have been received and determined

- to be correct and complete, and a Department inspection of each transporting vehicle shows that the vehicle is in compliance with this Article.
- Transporters shall pay by the invoice due date an annual fee of \$750 \$1,500 for each calendar year following payment of the new or renewal application license fee and subsequent years in which a renewal application license fee is not charged and paid, such as indicated in Table 2. Fee Table, Transporters Annual Fee.
- Amendments. After issuance, the licensee shall submit to the Department any change to the information listed in subsections (B)(1)(a) through (h) (g) of this Section within 30 days of its occurrence. Vehicles may only be added to the license after a Department inspection shows that the vehicle is in compliance with this Article. Amendments adding vehicles to the license shall be processed after payment of inspection fees and other expenses at the rate listed in subsection (B)(2), except that the application fee shall be \$100 \$350 and the maximum fee \$5,000.
- An applicant who disagrees with the final bill received from the Department for the E. 14 amendment, issuance, renewal or denial of a transporter license or vehicle inspections 15 may make a written request to the Director for a review of the bill and may pay the bill 16 under protest. The request for review shall specify the matters in dispute and shall be 17 received by the Department within 10 working days of the date of receipt of the final bill. 18 Unless the Department and applicant agree otherwise, the review shall take place within 19 F. 30 days of receipt by the Department of the request. The Director shall make a final 20 decision as to whether the time and costs billed are correct and reasonable. The final 21 decision shall be mailed to the applicant within 10 working days after the date of the 22 review and is subject to appeal pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 41-1092 through 1092.12. 23
- 24 **G.** [no change]
- 25 **H. F.** [no change]
- 26 **L G**. [no change]

- A person who transports biohazardous medical waste in a vehicle not dedicated to the transportation of biohazardous medical waste, but that is used at least once weekly for a month, shall comply with the following:
 - 1. Subsections (A), and (G) (E) through (K) (G), and (I) of this Section.

- 2. Clean the vehicle as prescribed in R18-13-1407(A)(2)(b) before it is used for another purpose.
- 3 **K. I.** [no change]

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- Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (B),

 (C), and (D) of this Section, and Table 2. Fee Table, Transporters Annual Fee, annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (J)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.
 - Table 1. Fee Table Transporter License Fees; Frequency of Application for Transporter License

17 Transporter License Fees

	Initial	Maximum
New Application	\$ 2,000	\$20,000
Renewal Application	\$2,000	\$20,000
Amendment Application	\$ 100	\$ 5,000

18 Frequency of Application for Transporter License

Year	Type of Application	Frequency
1	New	Once
6, 11, 16, etc.	Renewal	Every 5 th Year

Table 2. Fee Table – Transporter Annual Fee

Years	Amount
2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, <u>12, 13,</u> etc.	\$750 \$1,500

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2	R18-13-1410. Storage, Transfer,	Treatment, and Disposal	Facilities ; Facility Plan	Approval; Fees
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- A. A person shall obtain solid waste facility plan approval from the Department as prescribed in A.R.S. § 49-762.04 and pursuant to R18-13-702 to construct any facility that will be used to store, transfer, treat, or dispose of biohazardous medical waste that was generated off site. Plan approval shall be obtained before starting construction of the medical waste treatment or disposal facility. This requirement also applies to solid waste facilities for which an operator self-certifies under A.R.S. § 49-762.05, if the facility also will receive biohazardous medical waste.
- 10 **B.** [no change]
- 11 **C.** [no change]
- 12 <u>D.</u> <u>Annual registration fee. The Department shall bill an annual registration fee to a</u>
 13 biohazardous medical waste facility described in subsection (A) of this Section as follows:
- 14 <u>1.</u> For a disposal or treatment facility, \$12,500;
- 15 <u>2.</u> For a storage facility, \$7,500; and
- 16 <u>3.</u> For a transfer facility, \$3,000.²
- 17 <u>E.</u> A facility subject to more than one fee under subsection (D) of this Section shall only pay
 18 the highest fee amount.
- 19 F. The biohazardous medical waste facility shall pay the annual registration fee within 30
 20 days of invoice receipt.
- 21 **G.** Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (D) of this Section annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.

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² Change since 6/20/2024 presentation: BMW transfer facilities previously subject to same \$7,500 annual fee as storage facilities.

1		2. Round the result fro	m subsection (G)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the
2		new amounts on its	webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as
3		practicable.	
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5	,	RTICLE 16. BEST MANAGEM	ENT PRACTICES FOR PETROLEUM CONTAMINATED SOIL
6	R18-1	3-1606. Fees	
7	<u>A.</u>	In accordance with A.R.S. §§	49-855(C)(2) and 49-863, the treatment, storage, or disposal
8		facility in this state that firs	t receives a shipment of PCS shall remit to the Department a
9		fee of \$4.50 \$6.68 per ton k	out not more than \$45,000 <u>\$66,835.67</u> per generator site per
10		year for PCS that is transpor	ted to the facility.
11	<u>B.</u>	Initial registration fee. Upor	n making a request for a special waste identification number
12		on a form as provided by t	he Director pursuant to Article 13, A generator of PCS shall
13		submit to the Department a	n initial registration fee of \$900.
14	<u>C.</u>	Annual registration fee. T	he Department shall bill an annual registration fee to a
15		generator of PCS or specia	I waste receiving facility that has received facility approval
16		under R18-13-1607 that ha	as not filed a notice of termination of registration with the

18 <u>1.</u> For a generator of PCS, \$750; and

Department as follows:

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- 2. For a special waste receiving facility, \$5,000.
- 20 <u>D.</u> The generator of PCS or special waste receiving facility shall pay the annual registration
 21 fee within 30 days of invoice receipt.
- 22 <u>E. In accordance with A.R.S. § 49-855(G), a solid waste landfill that pays registration fees</u>
 23 <u>under A.R.S. § 49-747 is exempt from the annual registration fee under subsection (B) of</u>
 24 this Section.
- Eginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (A),

 (B), and (C) of this Section annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-

1 resources.htm, for October of that year.

2. Round the result from subsection (F)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

ARTICLE 19. LEAD ACID BATTERY RECYCLING

R18-13-1901. Collection or Recycling Facility of Lead Acid Batteries; Registration; Fees

- A. Initial registration. The owner or operator of an existing collection or recycling facility that accepts lead acid batteries as of the effective date of this Section shall register with the Department by March 1, 2025, on a form approved by the Department and pay the fee amount under subsection (B). A collection or recycling facility shall not begin operation to accept lead acid batteries until the owner or operator registers with the Department on a form approved by the Department that includes a statement that the facility is in compliance with A.R.S. § 44-1322. The owner or operator of a new collection or recycling facility of lead acid batteries shall submit an initial registration fee of \$810 at the time of registration under this subsection.
- Annual registration fee. The Department shall bill an annual registration fee of \$675 to a
 registered collection or recycling facility that has not filed a notice of termination of
 registration with the Department. The owner or operator of a registered collection or
 recycling facility shall pay the annual registration fee within 30 days of invoice receipt.
- 21 <u>C.</u> <u>Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (A)</u>
 22 <u>and (B) of this Section annually by the following method:</u>
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (C)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

1	<u>D.</u>	For purposes of this Section, "lead acid battery" means a battery with a core of elemental
2		lead and a capacity of six or more volts that is suitable for use in a vehicle or a boat.
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4		ARTICLE 20. USED OIL
5	R18-1	23-2001. Definitions
6	<u>A.</u>	"40 CFR 279", and any section therein, refers to 40 CFR part 279, as amended on January
7		1, 1997, and no future editions or later amendments. Copies of 40 CFR 279 are available
8		at https://www.govinfo.gov/app/collection/cfr/. Copies are on file with the Department.
9	<u>B.</u>	"CFR" means the Code of Federal Regulations.
10	<u>C.</u>	"Department" means the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality.
11	<u>D.</u>	"Used oil" means the same as defined in 40 CFR 279.1 and includes oil that has been
12		contaminated as a result of handling, transportation, or storage.
13	<u>E.</u>	"Used oil collection center" means the same as defined in 40 CFR 279.1
14	<u>F.</u>	"Used oil burner" means the same as defined in 40 CFR 279.1.
15	<u>G.</u>	"Used oil fuel marketer" means the same as defined in 40 CFR 279.1.
16	<u>H.</u>	"Used oil handler" means a used oil burner, used oil marketer, used oil transporter, or
17		used oil processor.
18	<u>l.</u>	"Used oil processor" means the same as defined in 40 CFR 279.1.
19	<u>J.</u>	"Used oil transporter" means the same as defined in 40 CFR 279.1.
20	R18-1	3-2002. Used Oil Handler Registration; Fee
21	<u>A.</u>	Initial registration. An existing used oil handler that has received, or is required to obtain,
22		an EPA identification number pursuant to 49 CFR 279 as of the effective date of this
23		Section shall register with the Department by March 1, 2025, on a form approved by the
24		Department and pay the fee amount under subsection (B). A new used oil handler that
25		has received, or is required to obtain, an EPA identification number pursuant to 49 CFR
26		279 shall not begin operation until the owner or operator registers with the Department
27		on a form approved by the Department. A new used oil handler shall submit an initial

registration fee at the time of registration under this subsection as follows:

For a used oil processor, \$9,000;

For a used oil burner, \$15,000;

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1		<u>3.</u>	Tot a used oil transporter, \$1,800, and	
2		<u>4.</u>	For a used oil fuel marketer, \$1,800.	
3	<u>B.</u>	Annual registration fee. The Department shall bill an annual registration fee to a used oi		
4		handl	er that has received, or is required to obtain, an EPA identification number pursuant	
5		to 40	CFR 279 that has not filed a notice of termination of registration with the	
6		Depar	tment as follows:	
7		<u>1.</u>	For a used oil processor, \$7,500;	
8		<u>2.</u>	For a used oil burner, \$12,500;	
9		<u>3.</u>	For a used oil transporter, \$1,500; and	
10		<u>4.</u>	For a used oil fuel marketer, \$1,500.	
11	<u>C.</u>	The re	egistered used oil handler shall pay the annual registration fee within 30 days of	
12		invoic	e receipt.	
13	<u>D.</u>	Begin	ning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (B)	
14		and (0	C) of this Section annually by the following method:	
15		<u>1.</u>	Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide	
16			by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer	
17			Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,	
18			published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-	
19			resources.htm, for October of that year.	
20		<u>2.</u>	Round the result from subsection (D)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the	
21			new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as	
22			practicable.	
23	R18-1	3-2003	. Used Oil Collection Center Identification Number; Requirements	
24	<u>A.</u>	<u>A used</u>	d oil collection center shall request a used oil collection center identification number	
25		on a f	orm provided by the Director pursuant to A.R.S. § 49-802(C) that contains all of the	
26		follow	ving:	
27		<u>1.</u>	The company name;	
28		<u>2.</u>	The name of the owner of the company;	
29		<u>3.</u>	The mailing address and telephone number of the company;	

The location of the collection center; and

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- 1 5. A description of the type of used oil activity at the company.
- <u>B.</u> Within 30 days of receiving the completed form, the Director shall issue the identification
 number to the used oil collection center.

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ARTICLE 21. SOLID WASTE LANDFILL REGISTRATION AND DISPOSAL FEES

R18-13-2101. Definitions

- 7 In addition to the definitions in A.R.S. §§ 49-701 and 49-701.01, for the purpose of this Article,
- 8 the terms used in this Article have the following meanings:
- 9 1. "Defined time period" means the 12-month period that begins on July 1 of a calendar year and ends on June 30 of the following calendar year and consists of the actual number of calendar days in that 12-month period.
 - 2. "Disposal fee invoice" means the quarterly landfill disposal fee invoice the Department mails to a landfill operator, on which the landfill operator indicates the amount of waste received and the amount of the disposal fees owed to the Department as required under A.R.S. § 49836.
 - 3. "Full quarter" means any of the standard fiscal quarters of the defined time period for which a municipal solid waste landfill accepted waste on or before the first day of the quarter and on or after the last day of that quarter.
 - 3. "Local public facility" means a facility operated for the disposal of solid waste generated within the jurisdiction the facility is located pursuant to A.R.S. § 49-741.
 - 4. "Recycling residue" means waste generated from recycling:
- 22 <u>(a)</u> solid waste; or
- 23 (b) effluent from a secondary wastewater treatment plant or wastewaters.
- 24 R18-13-2102. Solid Waste Landfill Registration; Annual Registration Fee for an Existing Solid
- 25 Waste Landfill
- 26 **A.** An operator of a new solid waste landfill shall register the solid waste landfill with the
 27 Department on a form approved by the Department.
- An existing solid waste landfill, except those described in subsection (C), shall pay an annual registration fee within 30 days of receipt of an invoice from the Department according to the following:

1. For municipal solid waste landfills that received less than 12,000 60,000 tons 1 2 during the defined time period, \$1,250 \$5,000. 2. 3 For municipal solid waste landfills that received at least 12,000 60,000 tons but less than 60.000 225,000 tons during the defined time period, \$2,500 \$10,000. 4 3. For municipal solid waste landfills that received at least 60,000 tons but less than 5 225,000 tons or more during the defined time period, \$7,500 \$20,000. 6 4. For municipal solid waste landfills that received 225,000 tons or more during the 7 defined time period, \$12,500. 8 5. Non-municipal solid waste landfills shall pay a flat fee of \$3,750. 9 10 6. Solid waste landfills that are closed to the public and that accept nonhazardous waste only shall pay a flat fee of \$3,750. 11 The Department shall determine the amount of waste received by a municipal solid waste 12 В. С. landfill by one of the following methods: 13 For a municipal solid waste landfill that accepted waste over the entire defined 1. 14 15 time period: As the reported tons of solid waste received on the disposal fee invoices 16 a. 1. 17 over the defined time period; or As the reported units of compacted or uncompacted solid waste received on the 18 b. 2. disposal fee invoice invoices and reported under A.R.S. § 49-836(A)(1) R18-13-19 20 2104 over the defined time period; or. 2. For a municipal solid waste landfill that accepted waste for only a portion of the 21 22 defined time period, but no less than a full quarter, the Department shall project 23 the total amount of waste that would have been received by the landfill over the 24 entire defined time period, using one of the following methods: 25 a. For a municipal solid waste landfill that reported receiving waste for at least a full three quarters but less than the entire defined period, the 26 amount of waste for the remaining quarter is the total amount of the 27 waste reported for the full three quarters divided by three; 28 For a municipal solid waste landfill that reported receiving waste for at 29 b. least a full two quarters but less than three quarters, the amount of waste 30

1			for the remaining two quarters is the same as the total amount of waste
2			reported for the two full quarters; or
3			c. For a municipal solid waste landfill that reported receiving waste for at
4			least one full quarter but less than two quarters, the amount of waste for
5			the remaining three quarters is the total of the amount of the waste
6			reported for the full quarter multiplied by three.
7	C.	For a	municipal solid waste landfill that accepted waste for less than a full quarter, the
8		annu	al landfill registration fee is \$1,250.
9	<u>D.</u>	<u>Begin</u>	ning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (B) of
10		this S	ection annually by the following method:
11		<u>1.</u>	Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide
12			by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer
13			Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,
14			published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-
15			resources.htm, for October of that year.
16		<u>2.</u>	Round the result from subsection (C)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the
17			new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as
18			practicable.
19	R18-1	l3-2103	. Annual Landfill Registration: Due Date and Fees Landfill Closure and Post-Closure
20		Care	Obligations; Fees
21	A.	An op	perator of a new solid waste landfill shall register the solid waste landfill and pay the
22		landfi	III registration fee as follows:
23		1.	The operator shall pay the initial landfill registration fee within 30 days of the date
24			that the Department approves the facility plan. The initial landfill registration fee
25			is \$1,250.
26		2.	Registration is valid for one year, except if the landfill is initially registered during
27			October, November, or December of a calendar year, the next landfill registration
28			due date is December 31 of the following calendar year and each calendar year
29			thereafter unless released from the annual landfill registration requirement as
30			specified in subsection (C).

- The annual registration fee remains \$1,250 until the first annual registration

 period after the first full quarter of the defined time period.
- After the first full quarter, the Department shall calculate the annual registration fee

 according to R18-13-2102, and specify the fee on the Department's annual landfill

 registration invoice for the solid waste landfill. The Department shall calculate and the

 solid waste landfill shall pay the annual landfill registration fee until the first registration

 defined time period after the solid waste landfill stops accepting waste during a fiscal quarter of the defined time period.
- From the time a solid waste landfill stops accepting waste as specified in subsection (B)

 (A), until the owner or operator of the solid waste landfill is released from its obligation to provide financial assurance for closure has completed closure and is released from its obligation for post-closure care as required by A.R.S. §§ 49-761 or 49-770, the annual registration fee is \$1,250 \$3,500.
- 14 C. Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (B) of
 this Section annually by the following method:
 - Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (C)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

R18-13-2104. Solid Waste Landfill Disposal Fee; Exemptions

- 25 A. The operator of a solid waste landfill shall pay to the Department the disposal fee required
 26 by A.R.S. § 49-836 as follows:
- 27 <u>1. \$.58 for each six cubic yards of uncompacted solid waste;</u>
- 28 2. \$.58 for each three cubic yards of compacted solid waste; or
- 29 <u>3.</u> \$.58 per ton of solid waste.

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- 1 <u>B.</u> A solid waste landfill that receives only waste generated on site shall compute the fee in subsection (A) of this Section by one of the following methods:
- 3 <u>1.</u> <u>By actual volume or weight; or</u>
- By estimate based on landfill capacity use, volume or number of waste loads or
 any other reasonable means for approximating the volume or weight of disposed
 waste.
- 7 C. Facilities that generate recycling residue shall pay the disposal fee required by A.R.S. § 49-836 as follows, to a maximum of \$34,942.20, for on-site disposal:
- 9 1. \$.29 for the dry weight or volume of the recycling residue generated; or
- 10 2. \$.29 for the dewatered weight or volume of the recycling residue generated.
- 11 D. A person who for a fee disposes of waste in a solid waste landfill that is not regulated by
 12 the Department shall keep accurate records of the waste disposed of in those landfills
 13 and shall pay to the Department the disposal fee as prescribed in subsection (A) of this
- 14 <u>Section.</u>
- 15 **E.** The operator of a local public facility that does not have on-site operators or scales shall

 16 pay to the Department a fee that shall be calculated by multiplying the population of the

 17 political subdivision served by the local public facility by \$.16.
- 18 F. A person who is subject to fees under this Section shall sign and submit a form prepared

 19 by the Department with each fee payment. The form shall state the total volume or

 20 weight of solid waste disposed of at that landfill during the payment period and shall

 21 provide any other information deemed necessary by the department.
- 22 **G.** The following are exempt from the requirements of this Section:
- 1. Persons disposing of a load containing less than six cubic yards of uncompacted
 solid waste or three cubic yards of compacted solid waste.
- 25 <u>A site used solely for the reclamation of land through the introduction of landscaping rubble or inert material.</u>
- 27 3. Material produced in connection with a mining or metallurgical operation.
- 28 **H.** Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsections (A),
 29 (C), and (E) of this Section annually by the following method:
- 1. Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide

- by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer

 Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items,

 published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regionalresources.htm, for October of that year.
 - 2. Round the result from subsection (H)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage and install them in the billing software as soon as practicable.

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ARTICLE 22. NEW TIRE SELLERS

R18-13-2201. Definitions

- 4. "Motor vehicle" means any automobile, motorcycle, truck, trailer, semitrailer, truck
 tractor and semitrailer combination or other vehicle operated on the roads of this state,
 used to transport persons or property and propelled by power other than muscular
 power, but motor vehicle does not include traction engines, vehicles that run only on a
 track, bicycles or mopeds.
- "Tire seller" means a retail seller of motor vehicle tires or a wholesale seller of motor vehicle tires who sells tires to the state, political subdivision of the state, or to a private entity not for resale, and includes a person whose retail sales of new motor vehicle tires are not in the ordinary course of business.

R18-13-2202. New Tire Sellers; Fee

- A tire seller of new motor vehicle tires shall collect a fee of 2% of the retail sales price, not including sales tax, of each tire to a maximum of \$4.66 per tire. For the sale of a new motor vehicle with a gross weight of under 10,000 pounds by a manufacturer to a wholesaler or retailer, if the sales price of the tires is not specified by the manufacturer, the seller shall collect a fee of \$2.33 per tire.
- A seller required to collect a fee under subsection (A) of this Section may credit \$.10 per tire against the fee for expenses incurred by the seller for accounting and reporting related to the fee.

- A seller who collects a fee under subsection (A) of this Section shall remit the fee to the

 Department of Revenue for deposit on a quarterly basis in the waste tire fund established

 pursuant to section A.R.S. § 44-1305.
- 4 D. Beginning January 1, 2026, the Director shall adjust the fee amounts in subsection (A) of
 5 this Section annually by the following method:

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- Multiply the amount by the October CPI for the most recent year and then divide by the October CPI for the year 2024. The October CPI for any year is the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ, all items, published by the United States Department of Labor at www.bls.gov/cpi/regional-resources.htm, for October of that year.
- 2. Round the result from subsection (D)(1) to the nearest cent. ADEQ shall post the new amounts on its webpage.