

HOUSE BILL No. 4992

June 24, 1991, Introduced by Reps. Hickner, Kosteva, Bandstra and Alley and referred to the Committee on Conservation, Recreation and Environment.

A bill to amend section 30a of Act No. 641 of the Public Acts of 1978, entitled as amended
"Solid waste management act,"
as amended by Act No. 52 of the Public Acts of 1989, being section 299.430a of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 30a of Act No. 641 of the Public Acts of
2 1978, as amended by Act No. 52 of the Public Acts of 1989, being
3 section 299.430a of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to
4 read as follows:

5 Sec. 30a. (1) The director shall not approve a plan update
6 unless:

7 (a) The plan contains an analysis or evaluation of the best
8 available information applicable to the plan area in regard to
9 recyclable materials and all of the following:

1 (i) The kind and volume of material in the plan area's waste
2 stream that may be recycled or composted.

3 (ii) How various factors do or may affect a recycling and
4 composting program in the plan area. Factors shall include an
5 evaluation of the existing solid waste collection system; materi-
6 als market; transportation networks; local composting and recycl-
7 ing support groups, or both; institutional arrangements; the pop-
8 ulation in the plan area; and other pertinent factors.

9 (iii) An identification of impediments to implementing a
10 recycling and composting program and recommended strategies for
11 removing or minimizing impediments.

12 (iv) How recycling and composting and other processing or
13 disposal methods could complement each other and an examination
14 of the feasibility of excluding site separated material and
15 source separated material from other processing or disposal
16 methods.

17 (v) Identification and quantification of environmental, eco-
18 nomic, and other benefits that could result from the implementa-
19 tion of a recycling and composting program.

20 (vi) The feasibility of source separation of materials that
21 contain potentially hazardous components at disposal areas. This
22 subparagraph applies only to plan updates that are due after
23 January 31, 1989.

24 (b) The plan either provides for recycling and composting
25 recyclable materials from the plan area's waste stream or estab-
26 lishes that recycling and composting is not necessary or feasible
27 or is only necessary or feasible to a limited extent.

1 (c) A plan that proposes a recycling or composting program,
2 or both, details the major features of that program, including
3 all of the following:

4 (i) The kinds and volumes of recyclable materials that will
5 be recycled or composted.

6 (ii) Collection methods.

7 (iii) Measures that will ensure collection such as ordi-
8 nances or cooperative arrangements, or both.

9 (iv) Ordinances or regulations affecting the program.

10 (v) The role of counties and municipalities in implementing
11 the plan.

12 (vi) The involvement of existing recycling interests, solid
13 waste haulers, and the community.

14 (vii) Anticipated costs.

15 (viii) On-going program financing.

16 (ix) Equipment selection.

17 (x) Public and private sector involvement.

18 (xi) Site availability and selection.

19 (xii) Operating parameters such as PH and heat range.

20 (D) THE PLAN PROVIDES FOR THE RECYCLING OF USED OIL IN A
21 MANNER THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE USED OIL RECYCLING ACT, ACT
22 NO. 411 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1980, BEING SECTIONS 319.311 TO
23 319.316 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.

24 (2) The director may promulgate rules as may be necessary to
25 implement this section.