

Missouri Revised Statutes

Chapter 260 Environmental Control

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Regions, division of state into--procedures, purpose.

260.300. 1. The department shall propose a plan to divide the state into proposed solid waste management regions in consultation with the governing bodies of the counties of the state. The department shall propose the boundaries of solid waste management regions by March 1, 1991.

2. The department shall hold public meetings in each of the regions proposed pursuant to subsection 1 of this section within three months of its division of the state into proposed regions. Any county may request that it be placed with another regional grouping, and the department shall authorize any such change if the county clearly and convincingly demonstrates that the change is necessary for effective solid waste management within the county and will not negatively affect the solid waste management system of either region. The department shall adopt final boundaries for the regions by June 30, 1991.

3. Counties may, for the purpose of managing districts, cooperate as provided in sections 260.300 to 260.345 or formulate an alternative management structure agreed to by each county in the district. A solid waste management district, regardless of how formed, shall be governed by an executive board and comply with the provisions of sections 260.200 to 260.345.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530)

County may apply for change in region, when, procedures.

260.302. On June 19, 1992, and for three months thereafter and for the last three months of the year 1994 and every third year thereafter, the governing body of a county may apply to the department to request that the county be placed with another regional grouping or, if necessary, in a new regional grouping. After public notice and comment and within no more than ninety days after the completed application has been submitted, the department shall authorize any such change if the county clearly and convincingly demonstrates that the change is necessary for effective solid waste management within the county and will not negatively affect the solid waste management system of either region. The procedure for establishing solid waste management regions set forth in section 260.300 shall take priority over and be followed in exclusion to the rulemaking procedure set forth in chapter 536 and section 260.225.

(L. 1992 H.B. 1732)

**Creation of district, procedures--boundaries, limitations--petition to establish--
district a body corporate and politic, when--election.**

260.305. 1. A solid waste management district may be created and incorporated in each solid waste management region as provided in sections 260.300* to 260.345 and may exercise the powers granted to it in sections 260.300 to 260.345.

2. When a solid waste management district is organized it shall be a body corporate of the state and shall be known as "..... Solid Waste Management District".

3. A county or two or more counties within a region may form or join a district as provided herein. The governing body of any county, by adoption of an ordinance or order, may join an existing district or form a district if the county is located in a region which does not have an existing district. The governing body of any two or more counties within the same region may join together to form a district by adoption of an ordinance or order. A city located in more than one county may join a district which encompasses any one of the counties within which it is located, regardless of whether the remaining counties containing the city join the district.

4. A solid waste management district created and organized under authority of sections 260.300 to 260.345 shall become a body corporate and politic of the state at the time the governing body of the county or counties forming the district has adopted an order or ordinance to form the district under the provisions of this section and has provided written notice to the department of natural resources of the adoption of such order or ordinance. A county shall become a part of an existing district at the time the governing body of such county has adopted an order or ordinance to join the district and has provided written notice to the governing body of each county in the existing district and has provided written notice to the department of natural resources.

5. If a county governing body does not form or join a district, the question of forming or joining a district may be submitted to the voters of any county on any regular election day as provided in section 115.123. The question may be submitted or resubmitted to the voters of any county upon the submission of a petition signed by a number of voters which is at least equal to five percent of those voting in the most recent gubernatorial election. The question shall be submitted in substantially either of the following forms:

Shall (insert county name) become a member of the (insert name) solid waste management district?; or if a solid waste management district has not been formed within the region:

Shall (insert county name) form the (insert name) solid waste management district? The election authority shall notify the secretary of state as to the results of the election. The secretary of state shall transmit the election results to the director of the department of natural resources who shall declare districts created within all counties of each region wherein the

question received a majority of the votes cast. The director's declaration shall be transmitted to the governing body of each county within the district.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530, A.L. 1992 H.B. 1732)

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*Section number "260.200" appears in original rolls, an apparent typographical error.

Contractual authority, powers.

260.310. 1. The authority of the district shall not extend to any county within the region which has not joined the district.

2. The district may enter into a contract with any city or county within the district to provide all or part of the solid waste management services for the city or county. A city or county shall not be required to meet the provisions of section 260.220 or of section 260.325 if a district includes the city or county within its solid waste plan and the city or county has by contract given the district complete authority for managing the solid waste of the city or county.

3. The district and the counties and cities within the district may enter into whatever contracts or agreements they deem necessary to fulfill their responsibilities under this chapter. Nothing in this section shall preclude the transfer of solid waste outside the boundaries of the district.

4. Contracts issued for the collection or disposal of solid waste in cities, counties, and districts shall not require either security instruments or performance bonds in excess of twenty percent of the total cost of the contract.

5. Any county or counties which are within a solid waste management district may, in cooperation with the district, require by ordinance or order that any solid waste transported from outside the district to a solid waste processing facility or solid waste disposal area within the district be subject to the same requirements as solid waste originating from within the district as set forth in the solid waste management plan under section 260.325, including the separation of recyclable or compostable materials from the solid waste stream before entering a district's solid waste management system.

6. A solid waste management district may be created and incorporated in each solid waste management region as provided in sections 260.200 to 260.345 and may exercise the powers granted to it in sections 260.200 to 260.345.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530)

Council, selection of members, terms--meetings--powers--selection of executive board, terms.

260.315. 1. There is hereby established a solid waste management council for each solid waste management district, except for those districts which formulate an alternative management structure pursuant to section 260.300. The governing body of each city with a population over five hundred within the district shall appoint one member of the city governing body and the governing body of each county within the district shall appoint two members of the county governing body to the council.

2. Council members shall serve a term of two years and may be reappointed thereafter; however, members whose elected term of office in a city or county has expired shall be expeditiously replaced by the governing bodies from whence they were selected.

3. The council shall meet within thirty days of the receipt of notification of formation of the district at the call of the governing body of the county containing the largest population among those counties approving the formation of the district or, at the call of the director of the department, if the county does not call the meeting. A majority of the council shall constitute a quorum.

4. The council shall:

(1) Organize itself and select a chairman and such other officers as it deems appropriate;

(2) Select seven persons to serve on the executive board, at least a majority of whom shall be selected from members of the council. The council shall establish the terms of office for members of the executive board. The balance shall be selected in any manner approved by the council, including district-wide elections. Any subsequent member of the board shall be selected in the same manner as the person he replaces. If the council is composed of twelve or fewer members, the council shall act as the executive board;

(3) Meet at least twice annually and upon the call of either the chairman of the council or the chairman of the executive board; and

(4) Review and act upon the solid waste management plan recommended by the executive board.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530)

Executive board, meetings, selection of officers--powers, duties--contractual authority.

260.320. 1. The executive board shall meet within thirty days after the selection of the initial members. The time and place of the first meeting of the board shall be designated by the council. A majority of the members of the board shall constitute a quorum. At its first meeting the board shall elect a chairman from its members and select a secretary, treasurer and such officers or employees as it deems expedient or necessary for the accomplishment of its purposes. The secretary and treasurer need not be members of the board.

2. The executive board may adopt, alter or repeal its own bylaws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which its business may be transacted, including procedures for the replacement of persons who habitually fail to attend board meetings, and may establish its fiscal year, adopt an official seal, apply for and accept grants, gifts or appropriations from any public or private sector, make all expenditures which are incidental and necessary to carry out its purposes and powers, and take such action, enter into such agreements and exercise all other powers and functions necessary or appropriate to carry out the duties and purposes of sections 260.200 to 260.345.

3. The executive board shall:

(1) Review and comment upon applications for permits submitted pursuant to section 260.205, for solid waste processing facilities and solid waste disposal areas which are to be located within the region or, if located in an adjacent region, which will impact solid waste management practices within the region;

(2) Prepare and recommend to the council a solid waste management plan for the district;

(3) Identify illegal dump sites and provide all available information about such sites to the appropriate county prosecutor and to the department;

(4) Establish an education program to inform the public about responsible waste management practices;

(5) Establish procedures to minimize the introduction of small quantities of hazardous waste, including household hazardous waste, into the solid waste stream;

(6) Assure adequate capacity to manage waste which is not otherwise removed from the solid waste stream; and

(7) Appoint one or more geographically balanced advisory committees composed of the representatives of commercial generators, representatives of the solid waste management industry, and two citizens unaffiliated with a solid waste facility or operation to assess and make recommendations on solid waste management.

4. The executive board may enter into contracts with any person for services related to any component of the solid waste management system. Bid specifications for solid waste management services shall be designed to meet the objectives of sections 260.200 to 260.345, encourage small businesses to engage and compete in the delivery of waste management services and to minimize the long-run cost of managing solid waste. Bid specifications shall enumerate the minimum components and minimum quantities of waste products which shall be recycled by the successful bidder. The board shall divide the district into units to maximize access for small businesses when it requests bids for solid waste management services.

5. No person shall serve as a member of the council or of the executive board who is a stockholder, officer, agent, attorney or employee or who is in any way pecuniarily interested in

any business which engages in any aspect of solid waste management regulated under sections 260.200 to 260.345; provided, however, that such member may own stock in a publicly traded corporation which may be involved in waste management as long as such holdings are not substantial.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530)

Solid waste management plan, submitted to department, contents, procedures-- approval, revision of plan--funds may be made available, purpose--audits.

260.325. 1. The executive board of each district shall submit to the department a plan which has been approved by the council for a solid waste management system serving areas within its jurisdiction and shall, from time to time, submit officially adopted revisions of its plan as it deems necessary or the department may require. In developing the district's solid waste management plan, the board shall consider the model plan distributed to the board pursuant to section 260.225. Districts may contract with a licensed professional engineer or as provided in chapter 70 for the development and submission of a joint plan.

2. The board shall hold at least one public hearing in each county in the district when it prepares a proposed plan or substantial revisions to a plan in order to solicit public comments on the plan.

3. The solid waste management plan shall be submitted to the department within eighteen months of the formation of the district. The plan shall be prepared and submitted according to the procedures specified in section 260.220 and this section.

4. Each plan shall:

(1) Delineate areas within the district where solid waste management systems are in existence;

(2) Reasonably conform to the rules and regulations adopted by the department for implementation of sections 260.200 to 260.345;

(3) Delineate provisions for the collection of recyclable materials or collection points for recyclable materials;

(4) Delineate provisions for the collection of compostable materials or collection points for compostable materials;

(5) Delineate provisions for the separation of household waste and other small quantities of hazardous waste at the source or prior to disposal;

(6) Delineate provisions for the orderly extension of solid waste management services in a manner consistent with the needs of the district, including economic impact, and in a manner which will minimize degradation of the waters or air of the state, prevent public nuisances or

health hazards, promote recycling and waste minimization and otherwise provide for the safe and sanitary management of solid waste;

(7) Take into consideration existing comprehensive plans, population trend projections, engineering and economics so as to delineate those portions of the district which may reasonably be expected to be served by a solid waste management system;

(8) Specify how the district will achieve a reduction in solid waste placed in sanitary landfills through waste minimization, reduction and recycling;

(9) Establish a timetable, with milestones, for the reduction of solid waste placed in a landfill through waste minimization, reduction and recycling;

(10) Establish an education program to inform the public about responsible waste management practices;

(11) Establish procedures to minimize the introduction of small quantities of hazardous waste, including household hazardous waste, into the solid waste stream;

(12) Establish a time schedule and proposed method of financing for the development, construction and operation of the planned solid waste management system together with the estimated cost thereof;

(13) Identify methods by which rural households that are not served by a regular solid waste collection service may participate in waste reduction, recycling and resource recovery efforts within the district; and

(14) Include such other reasonable information as the department shall require.

5. The board shall review the district's solid waste management plan at least every twenty-four months for the purpose of evaluating the district's progress in meeting the requirements and goals of the plan, and shall submit plan revisions to the department and council.

6. In the event any plan or part thereof is disapproved, the department shall furnish any and all reasons for such disapproval and shall offer assistance for correcting deficiencies. The executive board shall within sixty days revise and resubmit the plan for approval or request a hearing in accordance with section 260.235. Any plan submitted by a district shall stand approved one hundred twenty days after submission unless the department disapproves the plan or some provision thereof.

7. The director may institute appropriate action under section 260.240 to compel submission of plans in accordance with sections 260.200 to 260.345 and the rules and regulations adopted pursuant to sections 260.200 to 260.345.

8. The provisions of section 260.215 to the contrary notwithstanding, any county within a region which on or after January 1, 1995, is not a member of a district shall by June 30, 1995, submit a

solid waste management plan to the department of natural resources. Any county which withdraws from a district and all cities within the county with a population over five hundred shall submit a solid waste plan or a revision to an existing plan to the department of natural resources within one hundred eighty days of its decision not to participate. The plan shall meet the requirements of section 260.220 and this section.

9. Funds may, upon appropriation, be made available to cities, counties and districts, under section 260.335, for the purpose of implementing the requirements of this section.

10. The district board shall arrange for independent financial audits of the records and accounts of its operations by a certified public accountant or a firm of certified public accountants. Districts receiving two hundred thousand dollars or more of financial assistance shall have annual independent financial audits and districts receiving less than two hundred thousand dollars of financial assistance shall have independent financial audits at least once every two years. The state auditor may examine the findings of such audits and may conduct audits of the districts. Subject to limitations caused by the availability resources, the department shall conduct a performance audit of grants to each district at least once every three years.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530, A.L. 1991 S.B. 45, A.L. 1995 S.B. 60 & 112, A.L. 2005 S.B. 225)

**Landfill fee, amount--solid waste management fund, created, purpose--
department to enforce--transfer station, fee charged--free disposal day, notice.**

260.330. 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 6 of this section, effective October 1, 1990, each operator of a solid waste sanitary landfill shall collect a charge equal to one dollar and fifty cents per ton or its volumetric equivalent of solid waste accepted and each operator of the solid waste demolition landfill shall collect a charge equal to one dollar per ton or its volumetric equivalent of solid waste accepted. Each operator shall submit the charge, less collection costs, to the department of natural resources for deposit in the "Solid Waste Management Fund" which is hereby created. On October 1, 1992, and thereafter, the charge imposed herein shall be adjusted annually by the same percentage as the increase in the general price level as measured by the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the United States, or its successor index, as defined and officially recorded by the United States Department of Labor or its successor agency. No annual adjustment shall be made to the charge imposed under this subsection during October 1, 2005, to October 1, 2014, except an adjustment amount consistent with the need to fund the operating costs of the department and taking into account any annual percentage increase in the total of the volumetric equivalent of solid waste accepted in the prior year at solid waste sanitary landfills and demolition landfills and solid waste to be transported out of this state for disposal that is accepted at transfer stations. No annual increase during October 1, 2005, to October 1, 2014, shall exceed the percentage increase measured by the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the United States, or its successor index, as defined and officially recorded by the United States Department of Labor or its successor agency and calculated on the percentage of revenues dedicated under subdivision (1) of subsection 2 of section 260.335. Any such annual adjustment shall only be made at the discretion of the director, subject to appropriations. Collection costs shall be established by the department and shall not exceed two percent of the amount collected pursuant to this section.

2. The department shall, by rule and regulation, provide for the method and manner of collection.
3. The charges established in this section shall be enumerated separately from the disposal fee charged by the landfill and may be passed through to persons who generated the solid waste. Moneys shall be transmitted to the department shall be no less than the amount collected less collection costs and in a form, manner and frequency as the department shall prescribe. The provisions of section 33.080 to the contrary notwithstanding, moneys in the account shall not lapse to general revenue at the end of each biennium. Failure to collect the charge does not relieve the operator from responsibility for transmitting an amount equal to the charge to the department.
4. The department may examine or audit financial records and landfill activity records and measure landfill usage to verify the collection and transmittal of the charges established in this section. The department may promulgate by rule and regulation procedures to ensure and to verify that the charges imposed herein are properly collected and transmitted to the department.
5. Effective October 1, 1990, any person who operates a transfer station in Missouri shall transmit a fee to the department for deposit in the solid waste management fund which is equal to one dollar and fifty cents per ton or its volumetric equivalent of solid waste accepted. Such fee shall be applicable to all solid waste to be transported out of the state for disposal. On October 1, 1992, and thereafter, the charge imposed herein shall be adjusted annually by the same percentage as the increase in the general price level as measured by the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the United States, or its successor index, as defined and officially recorded by the United States Department of Labor or its successor agency. No annual adjustment shall be made to the charge imposed under this subsection during October 1, 2005, to October 1, 2014, except an adjustment amount consistent with the need to fund the operating costs of the department and taking into account any annual percentage increase in the total of the volumetric equivalent of solid waste accepted in the prior year at solid waste sanitary landfills and demolition landfills and solid waste to be transported out of this state for disposal that is accepted at transfer stations. No annual increase during October 1, 2005, to October 1, 2014, shall exceed the percentage increase measured by the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the United States, or its successor index, as defined and officially recorded by the United States Department of Labor or its successor agency and calculated on the percentage of revenues dedicated under subdivision (1) of subsection 2 of section 260.335. Any such annual adjustment shall only be made at the discretion of the director, subject to appropriations. The department shall prescribe rules and regulations governing the transmittal of fees and verification of waste volumes transported out of state from transfer stations. Collection costs shall also be established by the department and shall not exceed two percent of the amount collected pursuant to this subsection. A transfer station with the sole function of separating materials for recycling or resource recovery activities shall not be subject to the fee imposed in this subsection.
6. Each political subdivision which owns an operational solid waste disposal area may designate, pursuant to this section, up to two free disposal days during each calendar year. On any such free disposal day, the political subdivision shall allow residents of the political subdivision to dispose of any solid waste which may be lawfully disposed of at such solid waste disposal area free of any charge, and such waste shall not be subject to any state fee pursuant to this section. Notice of

any free disposal day shall be posted at the solid waste disposal area site and in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the political subdivision no later than fourteen days prior to the free disposal day.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530, A.L. 1995 S.B. 60 & 112, A.L. 1999 H.B. 603, et al., A.L. 2005 S.B. 225, A.L. 2007 S.B. 54)

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Distribution of fund moneys, uses--grants, distribution of moneys--advisory board, solid waste, duties.

260.335. 1. Each fiscal year eight hundred thousand dollars from the solid waste management fund shall be made available, upon appropriation, to the department and the environmental improvement and energy resources authority to fund activities that promote the development and maintenance of markets for recovered materials. Each fiscal year up to two hundred thousand dollars from the solid waste management fund be used by the department upon appropriation for grants to solid waste management districts for district grants and district operations. Only those solid waste management districts that are allocated fewer funds under subsection 2 of this section than if revenues had been allocated based on the criteria in effect in this section on August 27, 2004, are eligible for these grants. An eligible district shall receive a proportionate share of these grants based on that district's share of the total reduction in funds for eligible districts calculated by comparing the amount of funds allocated under subsection 2 of this section with the amount of funds that would have been allocated using the criteria in effect in this section on August 27, 2004. The department and the authority shall establish a joint interagency agreement with the department of economic development to identify state priorities for market development and to develop the criteria to be used to judge proposed projects. Additional moneys may be appropriated in subsequent fiscal years if requested. The authority shall establish a procedure to measure the effectiveness of the grant program under this subsection and shall provide a report to the governor and general assembly by January fifteenth of each year regarding the effectiveness of the program.

2. All remaining revenues deposited into the fund each fiscal year after moneys have been made available under subsection 1 of this section shall be allocated as follows:

(1) Thirty-nine percent of the revenues shall be dedicated, upon appropriation, to the elimination of illegal solid waste disposal, to identify and prosecute persons disposing of solid waste illegally, to conduct solid waste permitting activities, to administer grants and perform other duties imposed in sections 260.200 to 260.345 and section 260.432. In addition to the thirty-nine percent of the revenues, the department may receive any annual increase in the charge during October 1, 2005, to October 1, 2014, under section 260.330 and such increases shall be used solely to fund the operating costs of the department;

(2) Sixty-one percent of the revenues, except any annual increases in the charge under section 260.330 during October 1, 2005, to October 1, 2014, which shall be used solely to fund the operating costs of the department, shall be allocated through grants, upon appropriation, to

participating cities, counties, and districts. Revenues to be allocated under this subdivision shall be divided as follows: forty percent shall be allocated based on the population of each district in the latest decennial census, and sixty percent shall be allocated based on the amount of revenue generated within each district. For the purposes of this subdivision, revenue generated within each district shall be determined from the previous year's data. No more than fifty percent of the revenue allocable under this subdivision may be allocated to the districts upon approval of the department for implementation of a solid waste management plan and district operations, and at least fifty percent of the revenue allocable to the districts under this subdivision shall be allocated to the cities and counties of the district or to persons or entities providing solid waste management, waste reduction, recycling and related services in these cities and counties. Each district shall receive a minimum of seventy-five thousand dollars under this subdivision. After August 28, 2005, each district shall receive a minimum of ninety-five thousand dollars under this subdivision for district grants and district operations. Each district receiving moneys under this subdivision shall expend such moneys pursuant to a solid waste management plan required under section 260.325, and only in the case that the district is in compliance with planning requirements established by the department. Moneys shall be awarded based upon grant applications. Any moneys remaining in any fiscal year due to insufficient or inadequate applications may be reallocated pursuant to this subdivision;

(3) Except for the amount up to one-fourth of the department's previous fiscal year expense, any remaining unencumbered funds generated under subdivision (1) of this subsection in prior fiscal years shall be reallocated under this section;

(4) Funds may be made available under this subsection for the administration and grants of the used motor oil program described in section 260.253;

(5) The department and the environmental improvement and energy resources authority shall conduct sample audits of grants provided under this subsection.

3. The advisory board created in section 260.345 shall recommend criteria to be used to allocate grant moneys to districts, cities and counties. These criteria shall establish a priority for proposals which provide methods of solid waste reduction and recycling. The department shall promulgate criteria for evaluating grants by rule and regulation. Projects of cities and counties located within a district which are funded by grants under this section shall conform to the district solid waste management plan.

4. The funds awarded to the districts, counties and cities pursuant to this section shall be used for the purposes set forth in sections 260.300 to 260.345, and shall be used in addition to existing funds appropriated by counties and cities for solid waste management and shall not supplant county or city appropriated funds.

5. The department, in conjunction with the solid waste advisory board, shall review the performance of all grant recipients to ensure that grant moneys were appropriately and effectively expended to further the purposes of the grant, as expressed in the recipient's grant application. The grant application shall contain specific goals and implementation dates, and grant recipients shall be contractually obligated to fulfill same. The department may require the

recipient to submit periodic reports and such other data as are necessary, both during the grant period and up to five years thereafter, to ensure compliance with this section. The department may audit the records of any recipient to ensure compliance with this section. Recipients of grants under sections 260.300 to 260.345 shall maintain such records as required by the department. If a grant recipient fails to maintain records or submit reports as required herein, refuses the department access to the records, or fails to meet the department's performance standards, the department may withhold subsequent grant payments, if any, and may compel the repayment of funds provided to the recipient pursuant to a grant.

6. The department shall provide for a security interest in any machinery or equipment purchased through grant moneys distributed pursuant to this section.

7. If the moneys are not transmitted to the department within the time frame established by the rule promulgated, interest shall be imposed on the moneys due the department at the rate of ten percent per annum from the prescribed due date until payment is actually made. These interest amounts shall be deposited to the credit of the solid waste management fund.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530, A.L. 1993 S.B. 80, et al., A.L. 1995 S.B. 60 & 112, A.L. 2004 S.B. 1040, A.L. 2005 S.B. 225, A.L. 2007 S.B. 54)

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**Solid waste advisory board, members--qualifications--duties and powers--
removal of board member for failure to attend meetings, when.**

260.345. A state "Solid Waste Advisory Board" is created within the department of natural resources. The advisory board shall be composed of the chairman of the executive board of each of the solid waste management districts and other members as provided in this section. Up to five additional members shall be appointed by the director of which two members shall represent the solid waste management industry and have an economic interest in or activity with any solid waste facility or operation, one member may represent the solid waste composting or recycling industry businesses, and the remaining members shall be public members who have demonstrated interest in solid waste management issues and shall have no economic interest in or activity with any solid waste facility or operation but may own stock in a publicly traded corporation which may be involved in waste management as long as such holdings are not substantial. The advisory board shall advise the department regarding:

- (1) The efficacy of its technical assistance program;
- (2) Solid waste management problems experienced by solid waste management districts;
- (3) The effects of proposed rules and regulations upon solid waste management within the districts;
- (4) Criteria to be used in awarding grants pursuant to section 260.335;

(5) Waste management issues pertinent to the districts;

(6) The development of improved methods of solid waste minimization, recycling and resource recovery; and

(7) Such other matters as the advisory board may determine.

(L. 1990 S.B. 530, A.L. 1995 S.B. 60 & 112, A.L. 2005 S.B. 225)

