



## DIRECTOR'S POLICY 500-23

### SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

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<b>Originating Component:</b>	Logistics Directorate
<b>Effective:</b>	May 14, 2021
<b>Releasability:</b>	Unlimited. This Director's Policy (DP) is approved for public release and is located on the Defense Commissary Agency's (DeCA) internet website at <a href="http://www.commissaries.com">www.commissaries.com</a> .
<b>Reissues and Cancels:</b>	DP 500-23, "Solid Waste Management," June 29, 2018

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**1. PURPOSE.** The purpose of this DP is to implement a Solid Waste Container Infrastructure (SWCI) for DeCA.

**2. POLICY.** The enclosure is the authorized SWCI for DeCA. This policy has been developed using the sales band methodology so that stores with similar sales will have the same SWCI.

### **3. RESPONSIBILITY.**

a. The Logistics Directorate, Solid Waste Team, is responsible for managing the overall SWCI. This will be accomplished under the auspices of DeCA's Environmental Management Program, titled Waste Management. The Solid Waste Team is also responsible for approving any deviations to the overall SWCI structure such as the number of pickups, change in container type, and use of roll-offs.

b. DeCA should be responsible for ensuring that all DeCA facilities comply with the guidelines as outlined in the enclosure to only use roll-off containers for cleanup in situations where the installation recycling program cannot/will not take the materials. Prolonged use of roll-off containers is not authorized without prior approval of the Area Director and the Solid Waste Team.

c. DeCA employees are responsible for ensuring all material that is eligible to be recycled is recycled.

**4. APPLICABILITY.** This DP assigns responsibility for accomplishing the requirements of DoD Issuance program, in accordance with DoDI 5025.01.

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William F. Moore  
Director

Attachment:  
DeCA's Solid Waste Container Infrastructure

DeCA's Standardized Solid Waste Infrastructure					
Store Sales	Solid Waste Infrastructure	Refuse Capacity	Solid Waste Infrastructure	Refuse Capacity	Solid Waste Infrastructure
(\$millions)	(3/wk. pick up)	(cy)	(5/wk. pick up)	(cy)	(includes compactor)
\$88.2 to \$100 +	8, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	9,984	5, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 5/wk.	10,400	1, 10-ton compactor picked up 3/wk. 1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.
\$62.81 to \$88.1	7, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	8,736	4, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 5/wk.	8,320	1, 10-ton compactor picked up 2/wk. 1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.
\$61.61 to \$62.8	6, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	7,488			1, 10-ton compactor picked up 1/wk. 1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk. Stores within this sales range must be able to demonstrate 75% fill rate for each PU to retain compactor.
\$42.51 to \$61.6	5, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	6,240	3, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 5/wk.	6,240	
\$27.11 to \$42.5	4, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	4,992	2, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 5/wk.	4,160	Compactors introduced in these sale range
\$14.51 to \$27.1	3, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	3,744			
\$8.51 to \$14.5	2, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	2,496	1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 5/wk.	2,080	
\$5.51 to \$8.5	1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 3/wk.	1,248			
\$1.51 to \$5.5	1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 2/wk.	832			
\$0 to \$1.5	1, 8-cy dumpsters picked up 1/wk.	416			