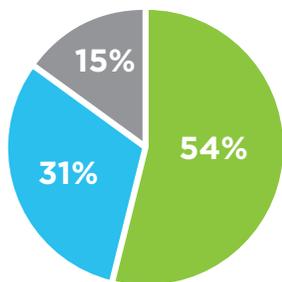


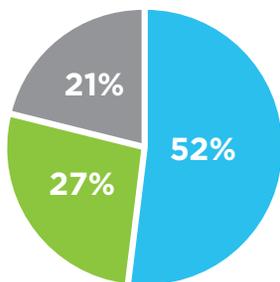
The Larimer County Landfill is going to reach capacity and close by 2024. Regional governments are proposing new resource recovery facilities and a convenient trash drop-off site to replace it.

FORT COLLINS' LANDFILL WASTE 2016

HOMES & BUSINESSES



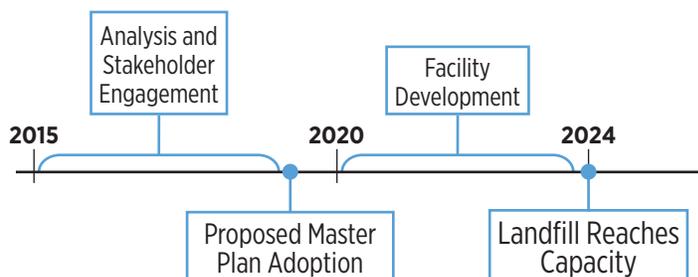
INDUSTRIAL



● COMPOSTABLE ● RECYCLABLE ● NOT CURRENTLY RECYCLABLE

Source: fcgov.com/recycling/publications-resources.php

TIMELINE



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WOULD THE COUNTY USE MY TAX DOLLARS TO BUILD THESE NEW FACILITIES?

No. The County would pay for the new facilities with fees collected from past landfill users.

HOW WOULD THE PROPOSED CHANGES AFFECT MY TRASH BILL?

Cost impacts to existing trash collection service are expected to be very small. Future costs for new services will vary for each community.

ARE NEW RULES NEEDED FOR WASTE HANDLING AND DISPOSAL?

- Policies are needed to direct mixed construction and demolition debris and mixed curbside recyclables to the recycling centers to kick-start markets for those materials and encourage investment in these facilities.
- Communities would need to develop programs and policies to encourage yard trimmings and food scraps recycling.
- No new rules are proposed for how or where trash is disposed.

WHAT CURRENT SERVICES WOULD REMAIN?

Larimer County would continue to host recycling and household hazardous waste drop-off at the new resource recovery center on West Trilby Road. Convenient trash drop-off at the new state-of-the-art transfer station would be easily accessible to visitors.

NEW FACILITIES PROPOSED NEAR EXISTING LANDFILL SITE



TRANSFER STATION

Convenient trash drop-off for both residents and trash haulers in separate traffic lines.



RECYCLING CENTER (UPGRADES)

Improvements to the existing facility that handles mixed recycling.



CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION DEBRIS SORTING

A covered facility that sorts out mixed loads of materials from building sites (such as wood, metal, and concrete, etc.).



YARD WASTE COMPOSTING

Windrow composting system that turns yard trimmings (leaves, branches, grass, etc.) into a valuable soil amendment (compost).



FOOD WASTE COMPOSTING

An enclosed composting system that turns food scraps into a valuable soil amendment (compost).

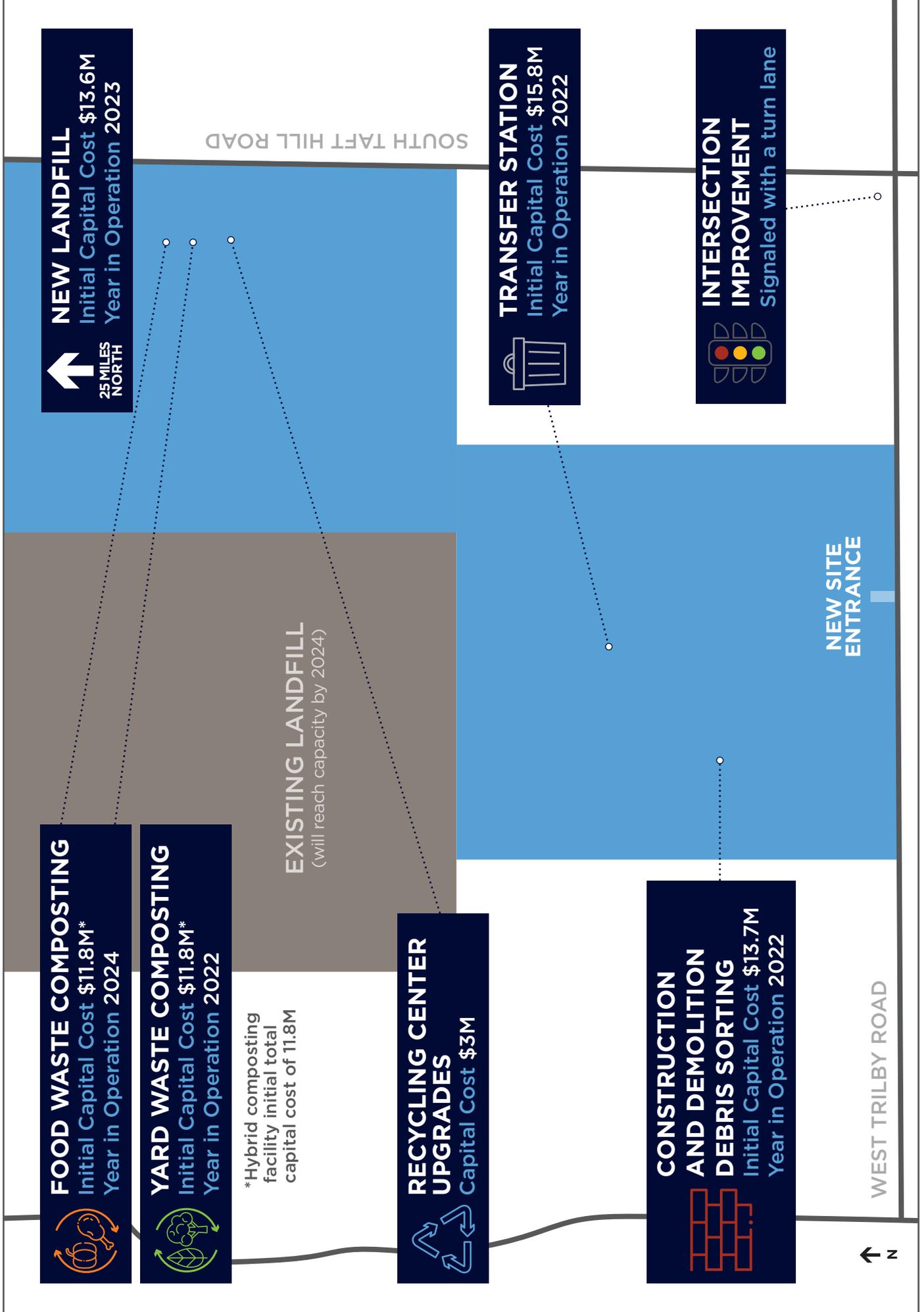
NEW LANDFILL

A sanitary landfill would be located in Northern Larimer County accepting only transferred trash.



MORE INFO: FCGOV.COM/WASTESHED

REGIONAL WASTESHED RESOURCE RECOVERY CENTER (PROPOSED)



NEW LANDFILL
Initial Capital Cost \$13.6M
Year in Operation 2023
25 MILES NORTH

SOUTH TAFT HILL ROAD

TRANSFER STATION
Initial Capital Cost \$15.8M
Year in Operation 2022

INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT
Signaled with a turn lane

FOOD WASTE COMPOSTING
Initial Capital Cost \$11.8M*
Year in Operation 2024

YARD WASTE COMPOSTING
Initial Capital Cost \$11.8M*
Year in Operation 2022

*Hybrid composting facility initial total capital cost of 11.8M

EXISTING LANDFILL
(will reach capacity by 2024)

RECYCLING CENTER UPGRADES
Capital Cost \$3M

CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION DEBRIS SORTING
Initial Capital Cost \$13.7M
Year in Operation 2022

NEW SITE ENTRANCE

WEST TRILBY ROAD

