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Hamilton County's Recycling Rate Increased Over 18 Percent in 2007

The Ohio EPA recently verified Hamilton County's recycling rate for 2007. Hamilton County's total recycling rate for 2007 was 46.16% which is an 18.57% increase from the total recycling rate in 2006.

The recycling rate is the percentage of material that was recycled compared with the total amount of waste generated.

2007 Recycling Rate

Residential/Commercial : 43.23%
Industrial: 56.15%
Total Recycling Rate : 46.16%

2006 Recycling Rate

Residential/Commercial : 36.27%
Industrial : 53.78%
Total Recycling Rate : 38.93%

The total recycling rate includes all recycling activities in Hamilton County from residential curbside recycling and paper recycling in offices to recycling of industrial materials. Every sector of Hamilton County has contributed to this success.

Congratulations to all of Hamilton County for this accomplishment and thank you for your commitment to recycling! To learn how to start recycling, visit www.hamiltoncountyrecycles.org or call 946-7766.

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