The Department of Sanitation Services has over 500 employees. The department is responsible for the collection and disposal of approximately 240,000 residential household's non hazardous waste.

Activity	Description	Significant Aspects
Administrative Office	Support staff to the following sites: Residential Garbage Collection – 3 Districts Residential Recycling – 1 District Transfer Stations – 3 Facilities	Significant Aspects:
	Landfill – 1 Consent Decree Facility	
Recycling District	22 Semi-automated Trucks Dallas residents have the option to use a Big Blue roll-cart or the plastic bag method for their recycling. Recycling is picked up once every two weeks. Consent Decree Facility	Significant Aspects: Spills, stormwater/surface water discharges
Customer Service and Special	27 trucks assigned to facility	Significant Aspects: Land
Services	Responsibility for private property repairs caused by city equipment, the pick-up and disposal of dead animals and Cost Plus services. Cost Plus service is provided to Dallas residents at an extra charge. Construction or remodeling materials (lumber or roofing material) can be picked up as Cost Plus. In addition, Cost Plus service is available on demand for brush/bulky objects outside the normal collection week. Consent Decree Facility	utilization, spills
Collection of Garbage Districts 1,2,5 Brush Districts 1.2.5 Garbage Districts 3,4 Brush & Garbage	174 Garbage trucks in the fleet Residential garbage collection is provided in alleys, or if no alley is present, from the front curb. Residential garbage is picked up twice weekly. Consent Decree Facilities	Significant Aspects: Spills, stormwater/surface water discharges
Disposal of Garbage Bachman Transfer Station Fair Oaks Transfer Station Southwest Transfer Station	21 Tractor Trailers in the fleet Transfer stations serve as collection points for garbage and brush trucks to transfer their loads to other long haul vehicles. The transfer operation is responsible for long distance hauling of solid waste to the McCommas Landfill.	Significant Aspects: Spills, generation of dust
McCommas Landfill	Landfill operations involve disposing of municipal solid waste and operating the McCommas Landfill.	Significant Aspects: Generation of dust