ISOSWO Supports the Bottle Bill

ISOSWO supports the state's time proven bottle and can redemption law. The Association remains committed to considering ways to ensure the redemption system has long term viability and continues as a litter reduction strategy. We support changes to the program that would not increase the financial burden on solid waste management organizations, negatively impact recycling processing facilities or lessen redemption opportunities for Iowans.

ISOSWO Supports Sustainable Funding

ISOSWO supports sustainable funding of state solid waste programs. Landfill tipping fees send $6M annually to the State, which provide funds for diversion projects, hazardous materials programs, solid waste grants, solid waste inspections and facility permitting. There is a potential to assess fees on all types of waste generated in addition to waste managed by landfills. ISOSWO supports an equitable fee structure to create additional sustainable funding sources on all waste generated. Equitable fees will ensure adequate funding for regulatory, technical and financial assistance services currently provided by IDNR.

ISOSWO Supports Safe Secure Transport of Materials

ISOSWO supports the safe transport of materials traveling to waste facilities. Loads that are uncovered or not secured are a safety hazard for motorists and a source of litter on the highways. ISOSWO supports requiring all vehicles be fully enclosed or covered with a tarpaulin or similar covering, or secured with a strap to prevent ejection from the vehicle. Secure loads equal safe roads!

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