



FREDERICK COUNTY GOVERNMENT

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Jessica Fitzwater
County Executive

News Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
SEPTEMBER 6, 2023

CONTACT: [Vivian Laxton](#)
Communications Director, 301-600-1315

Reichs Ford Landfill Closed for Emergency Response

*Transfer Station, Yard Waste Inaccessible;
Recycling Center Remains Open*

FREDERICK, Md. – Due to a downed power line near the facility entrance, the Reichs Ford Road solid waste facility will be closed until further notice. The closure affects the scalehouse, transfer station, yard waste and compost program. The closure also impacts all commercial haulers that would offload at the transfer station. Residents can still access the recycling center and Citizens Convenience Center. The power company is on site to address the downed wire, but a lengthy repair is anticipated.

The Frederick County Division of Solid Waste and Recycling appreciates the public's patience during this emergency situation.

###

Frederick County: Rich History, Bright Future

Winchester Hall • 12 East Church Street, Frederick, MD 21701 • 301-600-1100 • Fax 301-600-1050
www.FrederickCountyMD.gov