

North Carolina Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources
Division of Waste Management

County Population, Waste Disposal, Per Capita Rate and Percent Reduction, FY 2011-2012

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Alamance	152,531	99,302	154,442	129,825	118,854	110,615	102,678	0.91	0.67	-26%
Alexander	37,528	25,716	23,606	21,166	20,202	20,240	21,187	0.90	0.56	-37%
Alleghany	11,069	14,131	9,707	8,689	8,390	8,612	8,287	1.45	0.75	-48%
Anson	25,822	14,229	21,757	21,601	19,200	20,084	22,529	0.61	0.87	43%
Ashe	27,423	18,089	24,445	22,011	19,756	19,246	18,566	0.81	0.68	-16%
Avery	17,834	11,130	21,628	17,351	16,078	16,687	16,178	0.74	0.91	23%
Beaufort	47,854	41,796	57,753	50,768	49,334	49,452	60,051	0.99	1.25	27%
Bertie	20,890	17,372	19,017	17,090	15,136	23,258	20,465	0.86	0.98	14%
Bladen	35,148	25,048	41,137	35,536	38,487	41,698	38,260	0.86	1.09	27%
Brunswick	110,140	78,123	168,476	127,664	120,361	218,786	124,903	1.48	1.13	-23%
Buncombe	243,855	159,040	331,932	259,216	232,304	224,529	221,899	0.90	0.91	1%
Burke	90,722	78,006	83,439	74,283	69,026	73,151	86,889	1.02	0.96	-6%
Cabarrus	181,253	95,215	307,502	270,153	239,988	227,772	226,556	0.94	1.25	33%
Caldwell	83,117	65,532	94,939	79,437	92,882	78,210	69,383	0.92	0.83	-9%
Camden	9,921	1,850	4,582	4,022	4,007	3,339	3,413	0.31	0.34	11%
Carteret	67,696	86,894	105,340	95,698	89,385	85,494	97,422	1.62	1.44	-11%
Caswell	23,654	5,136	8,153	9,864	9,344	6,619	13,085	0.25	0.55	121%
Catawba	154,992	151,559	190,014	166,138	146,368	145,259	144,265	1.26	0.93	-26%
Chatham	64,553	33,235	38,544	32,619	38,398	42,823	34,257	0.84	0.53	-37%
Cherokee	27,300	16,020	20,558	16,096	14,453	18,229	14,840	0.78	0.54	-30%
Chowan	14,796	13,692	17,262	15,742	11,926	12,140	11,632	0.99	0.79	-21%
Clay	10,460	4,172	5,357	4,934	4,597	4,663	4,344	0.57	0.42	-27%
Cleveland	98,209	73,138	140,099	124,349	128,103	144,688	165,744	0.86	1.69	96%
Columbus	57,657	45,199	46,415	41,315	41,828	41,213	44,542	0.91	0.77	-15%
Craven	104,965	86,549	104,319	96,408	80,074	75,949	85,595	1.05	0.82	-22%
Cumberland	327,643	227,302	425,481	404,787	369,794	357,671	390,248	0.81	1.19	47%
Currituck	23,643	13,792	36,496	24,769	22,565	22,944	18,100	1.00	0.77	-23%

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Dare	34,216	51,300	93,059	70,064	67,041	71,630	98,056	2.23	2.87	29%
Davidson	163,364	139,617	164,145	138,527	131,437	142,374	130,844	1.08	0.80	-26%
Davie	41,560	19,348	39,667	35,233	35,419	31,391	25,718	0.68	0.62	-9%
Duplin	59,476	33,310	50,038	56,222	54,878	51,660	58,364	0.82	0.98	20%
Durham	272,314	218,972	307,725	301,975	270,240	270,303	253,039	1.17	0.93	-21%
Edgecombe	56,089	71,471	51,712	61,733	57,086	58,826	69,956	1.25	1.25	0%
Forsyth	354,878	304,290	508,310	412,824	438,807	410,292	412,182	1.14	1.16	2%
Franklin	61,651	28,702	42,064	33,941	33,391	33,905	34,284	0.76	0.56	-27%
Gaston	207,506	165,100	241,022	224,543	251,134	257,428	303,914	0.93	1.46	57%
Gates	11,944	5,897	6,790	5,536	5,473	5,177	5,744	0.63	0.48	-24%
Graham	8,942	4,508	7,357	6,780	6,684	6,550	6,601	0.62	0.74	19%
Granville	60,863	54,548	62,550	54,204	52,922	53,603	52,199	1.39	0.86	-38%
Greene	21,489	7,428	7,595	5,275	5,780	11,697	8,673	0.48	0.40	-16%
Guilford	495,231	471,541	629,665	624,762	571,202	566,585	586,579	1.35	1.18	-12%
Halifax	54,397	54,907	61,308	55,712	55,456	57,706	58,299	0.98	1.07	9%
Harnett	118,615	69,073	92,540	84,342	82,262	95,266	81,965	1.01	0.69	-32%
Haywood	59,684	57,842	70,620	50,967	46,631	44,973	44,791	1.21	0.75	-38%
Henderson	108,448	81,498	116,850	97,342	101,496	101,519	96,452	1.14	0.89	-22%
Hertford	24,466	14,288	35,706	21,630	24,755	26,992	29,757	0.63	1.22	93%
Hoke	49,065	18,331	28,394	28,114	25,670	25,088	24,248	0.80	0.49	-38%
Hyde	5,815	2,762	6,461	5,658	4,831	5,409	6,059	0.50	1.04	108%
Iredell	161,522	114,539	216,957	198,155	163,932	160,321	165,280	1.19	1.02	-14%
Jackson	40,606	18,661	40,621	36,087	29,633	32,296	32,008	0.68	0.79	16%
Johnston	172,570	74,169	250,139	201,537	197,464	200,770	206,921	0.88	1.20	36%
Jones	10,327	4,360	2,884	1,644	2,189	3,193	3,609	0.47	0.35	-26%
Lee	58,304	48,341	66,949	54,776	54,964	56,351	58,241	1.16	1.00	-14%
Lenoir	59,314	67,693	74,618	69,969	62,056	61,908	63,081	1.17	1.06	-9%
Lincoln	79,026	44,442	75,557	70,251	71,478	70,559	68,431	0.87	0.87	0%
Macon	34,459	19,738	37,463	32,706	31,454	29,957	29,492	0.82	0.86	4%

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Madison	21,193	11,676	14,625	13,912	11,032	11,186	10,815	0.68	0.51	-25%
Martin	24,083	30,112	25,159	22,982	21,262	19,518	21,658	1.19	0.90	-24%
McDowell	45,462	29,180	38,972	34,794	33,707	34,250	37,964	0.82	0.84	2%
Mecklenburg	940,697	677,573	1,442,987	1,200,636	1,046,570	1,089,624	988,227	1.29	1.05	-19%
Mitchell	15,501	15,768	15,119	14,475	13,436	12,192	13,034	1.11	0.84	-24%
Montgomery	27,864	28,873	32,324	25,714	23,757	26,561	36,030	1.23	1.29	5%
Moore	89,395	74,062	98,820	82,221	77,101	76,837	76,778	1.23	0.86	-30%
Nash	96,122	84,594	112,341	86,023	83,496	77,676	77,424	1.09	0.81	-26%
New Hanover	206,774	157,647	267,292	242,696	270,491	242,013	209,968	1.28	1.02	-21%
Northampton	21,844	19,528	15,332	14,004	12,871	13,550	12,862	0.94	0.59	-37%
Onslow	184,228	158,344	178,092	184,852	184,777	175,209	200,737	1.04	1.09	5%
Orange	135,776	131,067	86,300	80,864	79,886	80,410	75,994	1.36	0.56	-59%
Pamlico	13,214	8,541	11,613	10,285	9,591	9,445	19,211	0.75	1.45	94%
Pasquotank	40,438	30,150	34,155	42,609	42,933	39,385	40,879	0.97	1.01	4%
Pender	53,437	18,188	38,396	34,675	33,216	31,153	30,519	0.60	0.57	-5%
Perquimans	13,537	7,520	10,819	8,036	10,797	10,675	10,996	0.73	0.81	11%
Person	39,700	24,249	38,464	32,203	30,447	35,668	44,858	0.80	1.13	41%
Pitt	170,263	132,896	155,082	135,761	132,093	129,853	139,533	1.21	0.82	-32%
Polk	20,453	9,327	22,119	20,173	18,275	17,771	19,474	0.63	0.95	51%
Randolph	142,901	78,663	110,920	96,065	96,641	104,518	110,073	0.73	0.77	6%
Richmond	46,459	60,752	59,407	55,275	50,077	63,790	78,410	1.35	1.69	25%
Robeson	134,651	104,700	116,303	121,612	118,264	113,576	102,293	0.99	0.76	-23%
Rockingham	93,558	71,481	97,694	92,631	89,481	135,770	105,921	0.83	1.13	36%
Rowan	138,309	90,081	138,954	116,942	111,335	102,749	100,756	0.80	0.73	-9%
Rutherford	68,392	89,175	65,238	59,619	50,157	55,589	56,704	1.56	0.83	-47%
Sampson	63,746	33,545	59,464	56,177	49,501	52,828	56,893	0.70	0.89	28%
Scotland	36,029	39,867	31,359	29,697	25,017	26,382	22,636	1.17	0.63	-46%
Stanly	60,936	69,288	71,700	66,036	71,393	54,840	54,746	1.32	0.90	-32%
Stokes	47,551	17,976	11,054	10,524	13,353	13,418	11,717	0.47	0.25	-48%

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Surry	73,575	73,595	83,132	66,997	75,241	55,117	53,336	1.18	0.72	-39%
Swain	14,263	5,651	9,157	8,452	8,669	8,217	8,916	0.50	0.63	25%
Transylvania	33,275	30,072	34,814	35,562	34,833	31,984	25,194	1.16	0.76	-35%
Tyrrell	4,342	2,985	2,883	2,725	2,651	2,411	3,853	0.79	0.89	12%
Union	205,717	77,842	241,045	185,067	183,921	177,641	176,386	0.90	0.86	-5%
Vance	45,558	43,267	41,926	49,269	39,941	36,546	33,125	1.11	0.73	-34%
Wake	925,938	569,622	1,151,050	976,762	886,814	911,828	898,506	1.29	0.97	-25%
Warren	20,883	10,978	10,442	9,857	9,435	9,364	8,969	0.63	0.43	-32%
Washington	13,060	11,699	10,535	9,342	10,617	10,301	11,215	0.84	0.86	2%
Watauga	52,111	36,755	67,510	67,431	48,699	45,517	46,309	0.99	0.89	-10%
Wayne	123,710	106,149	130,740	107,557	112,647	112,758	136,141	1.00	1.10	10%
Wilkes	69,592	58,818	58,637	57,484	49,575	48,031	51,474	0.97	0.74	-24%
Wilson	81,380	120,870	113,545	93,185	126,309	79,738	88,684	1.82	1.09	-40%
Yadkin	38,442	20,779	24,160	24,465	26,579	32,004	33,019	0.67	0.86	28%
Yancey	18,069	15,576	13,866	12,347	11,966	12,051	12,847	1.01	0.71	-30%
N.C. Waste - Unspecified County			0	0	0	0	8,195			
State Totals	9,669,244	7,257,428	11,284,712	9,910,031	9,395,457	9,467,045	9,443,380	1.07	0.98	-9%

Total Adjusted for Hurricane Debris (e.g. Fran, Floyd)

** Percent Change formula: (current year per capita minus base year per capita) divided by base year per capita