

# CONTAMINATED SOIL DISPOSAL

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Is soil from a new development  
that is not contaminated?

*No.*

*Yes.*

Soil can be accepted at all staffed facilities.

*Each subregion has different tipping fees for clean soil. Please refer to the tipping fee schedule for more information.*

**Note:** Large loads of clean soil must be brought to a subregional landfill.

Is the concentration of contaminants  
less than the lowest applicable  
industrial land use standards as  
defined in the BC Contaminated Site  
Regulations?

*No.*

*Yes.*

**SOIL CAN BE ACCEPTED** at the  
Regional District of East Kootenay's  
three subregional landfills:

- Columbia Valley Landfill
- Central Subregion Landfill
- Sparwood Landfill

**SOIL CANNOT BE ACCEPTED**  
at any Regional District of  
East Kootenay facility.

*Before you arrive*

**In order to accept the material the  
RDEK requires the following:**

- A Letter of Comfort from a Qualified Professional stating that the concentration of contaminants are below concentration's considered to be hazardous waste.
- Laboratory results showing concentration of contaminants

The RDEK's Solid Waste Superintendent will review the documents and confirm if the load will be accepted. Once approved, the RDEK will confirm volume and requested date of disposal at the landfill.

The Solid Waste Superintendent can be contacted by phone at **250-489-2791** or through email at **[environmentalservicesdept@rdek.bc.ca](mailto:environmentalservicesdept@rdek.bc.ca)**

**Note:** If a load of contaminated soil is brought to any subregional landfill without previous approval, the load will be turned away.