

# Waste Disposal and Recycling Measurement Policy

**Policy Statement:** October 6 University is committed to minimizing its environmental impact through responsible waste management and recycling practices. The university recognizes the importance of measuring and reducing the amount of waste sent to landfill while actively promoting recycling and sustainability.

# **Policy Details:**

- 1. Scope:
  - This policy applies to all university-owned and operated facilities and campuses, including academic buildings, administrative offices, residence halls, and any other locations where waste is generated.

#### 2. Waste Measurement:

 October 6 University will establish procedures for the regular measurement and documentation of the amount of waste sent to landfill and recycled, including a clear distinction between different waste streams (e.g., general waste, recyclables, hazardous waste).

#### 3. Recycling Initiatives:

 The university is committed to actively promoting recycling initiatives, such as single-stream recycling, e-waste recycling, and composting, to divert waste from landfills and reduce its environmental impact.

# 4. Waste Reduction:

 October 6 University encourages waste reduction practices, including source reduction, reusing materials, and purchasing products with minimal packaging, to reduce the overall waste generated.

# 5. Education and Awareness:

• The university actively promotes education and awareness about waste reduction and recycling among all members of the university community, including students, faculty, staff, and visitors.

# 6. Compliance:

 October 6 University will ensure that all waste disposal and recycling practices are in compliance with applicable federal, state, and local waste management regulations.

#### 7. Reporting:

• The university will report its waste diversion and recycling metrics and progress to relevant authorities, as required by law.

**Implementation Date:** This Waste Disposal and Recycling Measurement Policy will go into effect on [2015].

**Review and Revision:** This policy will be periodically reviewed to ensure its effectiveness and alignment with the university's commitment to waste reduction and recycling. Review in 2022