

COST ESTIMATING FORM FOR SOLID WASTE FACILITIES

GUIDANCE

- 1) Inflation-Factor Adjusting Estimate:
 - a. Only pages 1 and 2 must be completed and submitted.
 - b. Page 1 needs to be filled completely, as appropriate.
 - c. The Part III(a) box must be checked.
 - d. The “This adjustment is based on ... estimate dated” date is the date of the engineer or owner/operator signature on the previously submitted estimate.
 - e. Inflation factor is available from www.dep.state.fl.us/waste/categories/swfr
 - f. The form may be signed by either an engineer or the owner/operator.

- 2) Recalculating Estimates:
 - a. Pages 1-9 must be completed.
 - b. Page 1 needs to be filled completely, as appropriate.
 - c. Page 2 is left blank **except** for the Part III(b) box which must be checked.
 - d. An engineer must certify the estimates on page 9.
 - e. The owner/operator must sign on page 9.
 - f. Some permitting offices allow for the submission of only the relevant parts (e.g., leaving off Part IV if the entire facility is Certified Closed Department Accepted and is in long-term care or leaving off Part V if the facility type does not require long-term care).

- 3) Using both Inflation-Factor Adjusting and Recalculating Estimates:
 - a. This is when either closing or long-term care is inflation-factor adjusted and the other is recalculated.
 - b. Complete all 9 pages.
 - c. Check both Part III(a) and Part III(b) boxes.
 - d. Complete the appropriate part of Part III(a), including a signature for owner/operator or engineer.
 - e. Complete either Part IV or Part V, as appropriate. A note on the unused part, “See inflation-factor adjusting,” may be helpful.
 - f. Engineer and owner must both sign on page 9.

- 4) For assistance with the cost estimating form, contact your permitting office.

- 5) Send the completed cost estimating form to your permitting office for evaluation and approval/acceptance. For permitted facilities, send a copy to the Solid Waste Financial Coordinator at the address identified below.

All financial assurance documents associated with the facility should be sent to:

Solid Waste Financial Coordinator
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
2600 Blair Stone Road, MS 4565
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400

Visit the Solid Waste Financial Assurance web pages for assistance with financial documents: www.dep.state.fl.us/waste/categories/swfr