#### **Fairfax TTF**

2023 Facility Performance



## Landfill Diversion

#### 1.18M

tons of MSW processed

Enough to cover the National Mall in

#### 24

feet of waste

Or, fill

#### 143,400

garbage trucks, bumper to bumper

# **Energy Recovery**

#### 692,000

MWh net electricity export

Enough to power

#### 65,000

homes for 1 year

Or, charge

#### 160,000

Electric vehicles for 1 year

# Metal Recycling

#### 34,200

tons of ferrous metals

Equivalent to:

### 29,000

cars recovered from steel

Paperclip chain wrapped around the earth

52 times

## 4,700

tons of nonferrous metals

#### 321M

aluminum cans

Energy savings from avoided metal mining:

#### 10.6M

gallons of gasoline



Looping around the Capitol Beltway 8 times

#### **Net Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Avoidance**

#### **2.5 tons**

of net CO<sub>2</sub>e avoided\* for every ton of waste diverted from landfill

#### 2.7M

metric tons of GHGs avoided

#### (>

Equivalent to removing/displacing:

#### 658,000

Vehicles from roads

3.31B

Pounds of coal

#### **Environmental Compliance**

up to

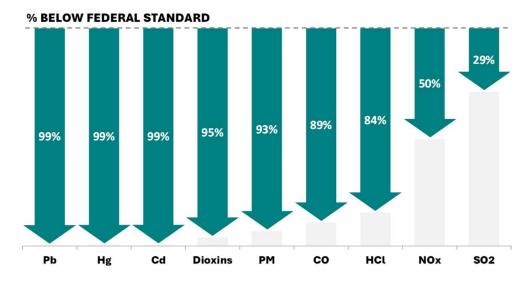
#### 99% below

Federal emissions standards, based on annual averages\*\*

#### 99.97%

### compliant

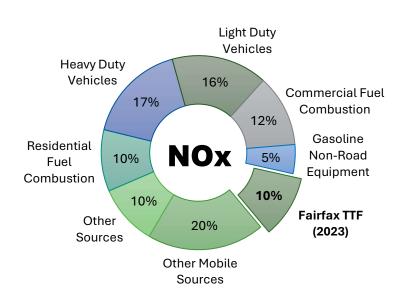
with Continuous Emissions Monitoring (CEMS) standards

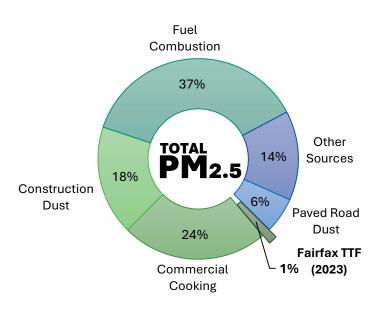


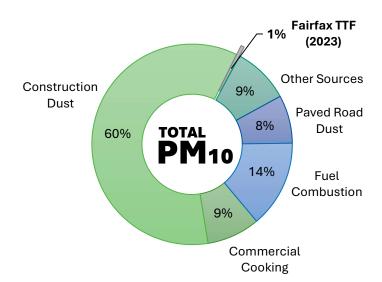


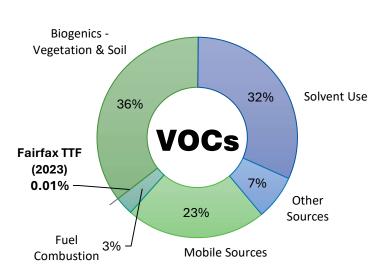
#### **How Do Our Emissions Compare to Other Sources in the County?**

Local air emissions\*\*\* in Fairfax County & Fairfax City, VA









<sup>\*</sup> GHGs are represented in  $CO_2$  equivalents ( $CO_2$ e) using global warming potentials (GWPs) to compare the warming power of different gases. This analysis uses the 20-yr GWP for methane of 81 from the IPCC's 6<sup>th</sup> assessment report. TTFs in the U.S. reduce lifecycle emissions by an average of 2.4 tons of  $CO_2$ e per ton of MSW diverted from landfills. The data presented here reflects facility-specific operating data and the local electrical grid, which can differ from the national average.

<sup>\*\* 2021-2023</sup> Average Annual Emissions compared to federal guidelines for existing facilities (40 CFR 60 Subpart Cb). Facility may be subject to more stringent requirements by permit or in accordance with other federal guidelines.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Based on the 2020 US EPA National Emissions Inventory; the most recently released complete inventory.

Where available, the facility's 2020 emissions were replaced with the most recently reported 2023 emissions.