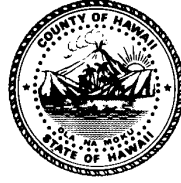


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### **CHANGES TO TRANSFER STATION & RECYCLING OPERATIONS, EFFECTIVE FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2020**

#### **RESIDENTIAL LOAD RESTRICTIONS AT TRANSFER STATIONS, eff. May 1, 2020:**

- **LOAD RESTRICTIONS**
  - Maximum 1 (residential) load PER DAY and
  - Maximum 3 cubic yards of trash per load
    - 3 cubic yards is the equivalent of a full-sized pickup truck with an 8-foot bed filled up to the side rails
  - Note: Businesses cannot use the transfer stations, and must use the East Hawai'i Sanitary Landfill (Hilo) or West Hawai'i Sanitary Landfill (Waikoloa)

#### **RECYCLING HOURS AT COUNTY TRANSFER STATIONS:**

- Collection of recyclables will be from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., eff. May 1, 2020.

#### **COLLECTION OF GREENWASTE IS POSTPONED**

- The Division will notify the public when greenwaste collection at Hāwī, Honoka'a and Keauhou Transfer Stations will be implemented, once the restrictions due to the COVID-19 pandemic have been lifted.

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