

# The Disposal Capacity Shortage in New Hampshire

NEW CAPACITY IS NEEDED TO SERVE MUNICIPALITIES



## THE PROBLEM

There is an emerging disposal capacity shortfall in New Hampshire. Customers in over 150 municipalities that rely on the North Country Environmental Services landfill in Bethlehem for waste disposal will need an alternative in less than five years. If an alternative site is not located within New Hampshire, residents will lose control of their long-term ability to manage their own environmental health and safety needs. Longer interstate distance hauling will drive up costs and environmental impact significantly and cause instability in long-term economic planning for municipalities across the state. **Without additional capacity, there will be an estimated disposal shortage of 20 million tons over the next 20 years.**

## THE SOLUTION

A highly-engineered, highly-regulated, state-of-the-art landfill sited in Dalton, New Hampshire owned and operated by Casella Waste Systems, Inc.

## KEY FACTS & BENEFITS



An exhaustive statewide search identified **Dalton** as a prime location based on accessibility, capacity, and natural surroundings that will limit visual and environmental impact.

Landfills play a key role as part of a resource renewal strategy, including the generation of clean, renewable electricity that stays in New Hampshire and **positively impacts** customers.



Ensures the **long-term stability** of New Hampshire's disposal needs.

Casella employs more than **175** honest, hardworking people across New Hampshire.



Casella is a committed member of the New Hampshire communities it serves, providing direct, and indirect benefits in each of its host communities as well as to the more than **5,500** businesses and **50,000** households it serves in the state.

## HOW YOU CAN HELP

You have the ability to work towards ensuring New Hampshire's disposal security. Your voice in state government plays a key, fact-based role in helping policymakers understand the long-term needs of the state's municipalities. **Do not hesitate to make your voice heard. Visit [bit.ly/NHRepresentative](http://bit.ly/NHRepresentative) to contact your local representative.**

Every minute, our landfills can capture over **8,000,000** BTUs of gas. Safe, secure, and low carbon disposal facilities are an essential part of our full suite of Resource Solutions.

## Landfill Gas to Energy

Our landfill gas collection systems are designed to actively extract gas to power landfill gas to energy plants, producing clean electricity and mitigating greenhouse gas emissions. Within our model, landfill sites become environmental campuses where resources are extracted from all aspects of the waste stream.

Here's a quick look at how landfill gas to energy is produced...

