

From: Kevin Roth – Street & Sanitation Superintendent

Subject: Waste Tire Grant

Background:

The South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources is providing a waste tire grant to the City of Mitchell regional landfill at their discretion. The program is administered by the SD DANR and locally will be managed and operated by the City of Mitchell Street & Sanitation Department. Contacts: Kevin Roth – Street & Sanitation Superintendent at 605-995-8465 or Jay Tollefson - Landfill Manager at 605-995-8448.

Waste tire work plan:

- Timeline Tentative
Mitchell/Davison County & Surrounding Areas
 1. Four weeks
 2. Starting September
- Collection point locations
 1. Mitchell Regional Landfill
- Final Disposal options to be allowed - as hierarchy
 1. Recycling if able to identify option
 2. Landfill for Alternative Cover or Direct Bury as permitted by the State
 3. Energy recovery if able to identify option
 4. Any other Reduce, Reuse or recycling option that may be identified.
- Method of contractor selection
To be determined and as allowable by law.
Restrictions:

No tires from retailers or businesses will be accepted as part of this plan.

Staff will notify the Davison County Auditor and the Davison County Commission into the utilization of the site as a collection site.

Financial Consideration:

The award is for up to \$75,000 for the regional tire collection, transport and disposal. Add in cost of grant is 80/20% with City of Mitchell providing the 20% match. Final disposal cost is estimated to be around \$250.00 per ton. The choices for transport as seen at this point are to contract the haul. Cost for transportation is yet to be determined.



Resolution 2022-49
Supporting an application for a tire recycling grant
Between the City and South Dakota DENR

WHEREAS, the City of Mitchell wishes to provide an opportunity for the City of Mitchell, Davison County, and area residents to recycle tires: and

WHEREAS, The South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources may have grant funding available for tire recycling efforts in Davison County; and

WHEREAS, The City of Mitchell Regional Landfill provides sanitation disposal services for the City of Mitchell and surrounding areas would be an ideal location to recycle tires for Davison County; and

WHEREAS, the DANR grant would reimburse the City of Mitchell Regional Landfill 80% for the costs to have a vendor remove the tires recycled by the residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Governing Body of the City of Mitchell authorizes the tire recycling grant application and supports the South Dakota Department of Natural Resources efforts to encourage tire recycling and offers the City of Mitchell Regional Landfill as a potential collection site.

Dated at Mitchell, South Dakota this .

THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE
CITY OF MITCHELL, SOUTH DAKOTA

By: _____
Robert B. Everson, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

By: _____
Michelle Bathke, Finance Officer

July 20, 2022

South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources
Water & Waste Funding Program

Drew Huisken, P.E.

The City of Mitchell wishes to apply for a South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources' 2022 tire recycling grant. This grant would provide funding for tire recycling efforts in Davison County. The City of Mitchell is requesting \$75,000 in grant funds (80% state match is \$60,000 and the City of Mitchell will provide the required \$15,000 for the 20% match).

The DANR tire grant recycling program would provide an opportunity for the residents of Mitchell, as well as the surrounding areas of Davison County, to recycle tires at no cost for a limited period of time during 2022. Commercial contractors would be excluded from this benefit.

The City of Mitchell Regional Landfill would be an ideal collection site to recycle tires for Davison County. The grant would reimburse the City of Mitchell Regional Landfill 80% for the costs to have a contracted vendor remove the tires recycled by residents.

A grant from the DANR would be greatly beneficial for the residents of Mitchell as well as those residing in the surrounding areas of Davison County. This request is sent with emphasized importance as the Mitchell City Council has authorized the tire recycling grant application and strongly supports the South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources' efforts to encourage tire recycling.

Sincerely,

Kevin Roth
Street & Sanitation Superintendent



CITY OF MITCHELL
PRESS RELEASE
For Immediate Release

July 20, 2022

FREE TIRE RECYCLING PROGRAM

City of Mitchell Regional Landfill and SD DANR are working together to offer free tire recycling to residents of Davison County. The program will run over the course of the next five weeks starting September 1st. The collection sites at this time are the City of Mitchell Regional Landfill. Other sites may become available in the future. Please check www.cityofmitchell.org for collection site updates.

The City of Mitchell Regional Landfill hours are 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. It is also open Tuesday evenings until 7:00 p.m. For more information or questions contact the Street Department at (605) 995-8465 or City of Mitchell Regional Landfill at (605) 995-8448.

Check out our web site at www.cityofmitchell.org

We are sending this News Release as a service to the news media and citizens of Mitchell.

NOTE: NO TIRES FROM RETAILERS OR BUSINESSES WILL BE ACCEPTED AS PART OF THIS PLAN