

WM NEWS

Neighbor to Neighbor
WM is Committed to Keeping You Informed

Atascocita Landfill Fall 2025

MANAGER'S REPORT

Hello, neighbors! Regardless of the temperature outside, fall has officially arrived—and we're embracing the new season here at Atascocita Landfill. It's been a busy summer, and we don't expect that pace to slow down as we head into the final months of the year.



Marco Maldonado
District Manager

One of our most exciting updates is the launch of our new gas flare system, which came online this summer. This system adds an important layer of operational redundancy, enhancing safety in the event of a gas plant interruption.

In August, we completed construction of a new 13-acre cell to support our ongoing operations. We anticipate state certification and full use of the cell by mid-October, helping us continue to manage waste responsibly and efficiently.

Our Commitment to Environmental Stewardship

At Atascocita Landfill, environmental responsibility is at the heart of everything we do. The new gas flare system not only improves safety—it also helps reduce greenhouse gas emissions by safely burning off gas that is a natural part of waste mass decomposing.

The newly constructed cell was designed with advanced engineering controls to protect groundwater and minimize environmental impact. These include composite liners, leachate collection systems, and rigorous monitoring protocols to ensure compliance with state and federal regulations.

We also continue to explore innovative ways to recover resources and reduce waste. Our team is committed to sustainable practices that support a cleaner, healthier future for our community and beyond. [Learn more in our 2025 Sustainability report.](#)

Supporting Our Community

Beyond our operational updates, we're proud to continue supporting local events this fall. Atascocita Landfill is sponsoring the following fall events:

- ▶ Family Promise Chicks & Hogs BBQ Cookoff
- ▶ Fall Creek Elementary's Cardinal County Fair
- ▶ Park Lakes Elementary's Trunk-Or-Treat
- ▶ Humble Good Oil Days

Atascocita Hauling Site Update



WM is making great progress on the new Atascocita Hauling site located on Atascocita Road. Construction is expected to wrap up by the end of the year. This 64-acre site will feature:

- ▶ A 42,500-square-foot maintenance shop
- ▶ An 18,686-square-foot office
- ▶ A 27,500-square-foot container shop

Once operational, the hauling district will support more than 170 trucks running 142 routes. The maintenance shop will employ 47 team members, and the new office space will serve as the headquarters for the WM Texas Oklahoma market area.

If you have any questions or would like to learn more about our operations, please don't hesitate to reach out at 281-446-6545.

Atascocita Recycling and Disposal Facility

Public Affairs Specialist: Jenna Armstrong Bridges
Email: JArmstr1@wm.com
Phone: 281-505-8378

Landfill Hours

Monday- Friday: 7 AM to 4 PM
Saturday: 7 AM to 2 PM
Sunday: Closed

