

SYNTHETIC TURF RECYCLING PROGRAM

An alternative to synthetic turf disposal in landfills

Container Loading Procedures for Used Synthetic Turf:

1. Remove as much infill and debris as possible. 95% infill free turf weighs approximately 0.7 lbs per sq. ft. (Infill free turf is approx. ½ lb per sq. ft.)
2. Cut turf into widths that suit your equipment - up to 90" or 6" below height of container. Typical is 40" – 45" widths which can be double stacked. Roll as tight as possible to a 2.5' diameter and secure with stainless steel or carbon bands approximately every 20". Each band should be tightened with a fastener to ensure the tightest roll. Bands are available at any local box store or packaging supply company
3. Rolls should be loaded vertically – 3 rolls across; up to 16 deep for a total of 96 if double stacked (weight dependent)
4. The weight of each roll should be estimated and kept track of so as not to exceed the 44,000 lb net weight limit
5. Once container is loaded, it must be tagged with the project name, the date the material is leaving the site, the container and seal number. Door to be secured with metal seal provided
6. During the course of loading, we require a series of pictures to be taken. 1) the empty container 2) at half capacity 3) at full capacity 4) the closed container showing the container number and lastly 5) the closed container showing the seal number
