

EAGLE VALLEY RDF YOUR COMMUNITY CONNECTION



Meet Dave Rogers, Eagle Valley District Manager

Dave Rogers has been with WM for over 10 years, spending his first 10 years at one of WM's largest facilities, WM's Pine Tree Acres Landfill in Macomb County.

Prior to managing WM landfills, Dave worked in the construction industry managing the earth work associated with landfill construction. Dave has a deep understanding of design and construction of today's modern landfill engineering. Dave can be reached at the numbers listed below.

Site Activities

We are currently filling the upper east and southwest slopes of the landfill. You may also notice some new activity in the area of our property at Giddings and Silver Bell Rd. This year, WM installed a device that

is utilized to remove hydrogen sulfide (H2S) from the landfill gas. We are also constructing a concrete pad in this area. The pad is for a 500,000 gallon leachate collection tank. Leachate is the liquid that is released by waste as it decomposes, along with precipitation that filters through the waste.



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WM sites provide meaningful habitats for local wildlife.

Questions? Contact your Community Relations Representative, Kathleen Klein at 734.231.8258 kklein2@wm.com

The team at Eagle Valley RDF would like to extend a big congratulations to Orion Township - for their grant award by *American in Bloom* - which will support plantings in the Orion Community. Orion Township was further recognized at the *American in Bloom* symposium with an *Outstanding Achievement Award for Community Vitality*, selected as best community out of 39 others represented.

A big thank you to the members and businesses who assisted Orion Township in a two-day whirlwind tour of Orion and all of its amazing assets!

- Orion Township Planner, Tammy Girling
- Molly LaLone, Village of Orion DDA
- Grant Fodor Family (and farm)
- WM Eagle Valley Recycling and Disposal Facility
- Scott and Laura Gabriel
- Jimmy Johnson
- Chase Munn, Orion Library
- Linda Moran, Polly Ann Trail
- Shannon Filarecki
- Orion Township Trustee, Julia Dalrymple
- Orion Township's Aaron Whatley and Patrick Ross
- Beth Kendziorski, Keatington HOA
- Larry Wick of United Methodist Church
- Bob Watros of the Orion Veteran's Memorial



Good News for SE Michigan Recycling WM Invests in Detroit Recycling Facility (MRF)

On October 18th, 2022, WM announced its plans to make a \$35 million capital investment in a new, state-of-the-art materials recovery facility (MRF) in the City of Detroit.

"Our intent with this investment is to position Detroit as a recycling hub for further sustainability progress in the State in Michigan," said WM Great Lakes Area Vice President Aaron Johnson. "We are committed to the environment, the Detroit community, and increasing access to recycling infrastructure."

The new Detroit MRF is expected to create an estimated 50 new careers directly, including administrative, technician, operator, exempt and general labor roles, and hundreds of new careers indirectly.



Every time you choose to recycle, you're giving that item a second life to serve a new purpose and save natural resources. Now more than ever, it's important that only the right items, free from contamination, make their way into your recycling bin. Learn more at wm.com/recycleright