

Wood Recycling Machine Purchase Legislation Informational Bullets

- The current wood recycling machine is a 2007 Model (more than 14 years old), and past its useful life.
- Machine downtime and repairs are making it challenging to run an efficient operation at the woodlot.
- The woodlot utilizes the wood recycling machine to grind up thousands of pounds of dead, damaged, or diseased trees, fallen limbs, and other brush that are the byproducts of the operation.
- The recycling machine produces product that is resold in the form of residential, commercial, and playground mulch and woodchips. The five year average of product sales equals \$108,067.
- If the City of Toledo did not run its own recycling operation it would be required to pay to have another operation take these items.