

Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) Tour Guidelines



The Delaware Recycling Center is home to Delaware's only Materials Recovery Facility (MRF), operated by DSWA partner company Republic Services.



A MRF is used to sort recyclables using manual and automatic processes. The tour will be conducted through an operating MRF*.



For your safety, all guidelines must be followed prior to and during the tour. A release form must be signed before entry.



*Unexpected shutdowns of the facility due to mechanical issues/maintenance may occur.

Guidelines for Visitors:

- Must be 18 years or older.
- Must wear closed toe, sturdy shoes.
- Must wear long pants.
- Must wear safety gear including a high visibility vest, hard hat and safety glasses (all provided).



Please Be Aware of the Following:

- No photography inside the MRF.
- There is a lot of walking, including numerous sets of stairs.
- Conditions inside the MRF are loud and dusty, those with hearing sensitivity, asthma or other health conditions are advised not to tour.
- Those with a pacemaker will not be permitted inside for safety of the visitor.
- If the daily temperature exceeds 90° tours will be rescheduled.

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