



Valley County Board of County Commissioners Invites You to Participate in a PUBLIC HEARING

Amendment of Ordinance 2026-01 Valley County Transfer Station and Resolution Establishing Fees Failure to Properly Cover Loads

The Board of County Commissioners will hold a public hearing to obtain input on amending Ordinance 2026-01.

This hearing is taking place to gain input from the public on how to amend Ordinance 2026-01 to more clearly specify what constitutes "trash, garbage or refuse of any kind", and what, if any, exceptions will apply.

Ordinance 2026-01 amended Valley County Code by establishing penalties for failure to comply with Valley County Code 3-5-5.B that requires loads of materials taken to the Valley County transfer station to be appropriately covered.

3-5-5: TRANSPORTATION OF TRASH, GARBAGE AND SOLID WASTE: No person shall transport trash, garbage or refuse of any kind over the public streets and ways of the county in violation of the following conditions:

- A. Loads: No person shall cause or permit any vehicle used for such transportation of trash, garbage or refuse of any kind to be so loaded, or to be of such construction or condition, so as to permit any of such trash, garbage or refuse of any kind to drop or fall upon or in any street or public way.
- B. Cover Required: All vehicles used for such purpose shall be provided with a suitable cover securely fastened so as to retain dust and prevent the scattering or dropping of such trash, garbage or refuse of any kind in or upon the public streets or public ways. (Ord. 11-8, 7-11-2011)

The \$25.00 fee or a citation for an infraction for failure to properly cover a load was adopted on June 18, 2026, by resolution approved by the Board of County Commissioners.

**More information,
including the ordinance will be posted
online at:**

www.co.valley.id.us/meetingdashboard

PUBLIC HEARING

October 26, 2026

2:30 p.m.

**Valley County Courthouse
2nd Floor
219 North Main Street
Cascade, Idaho**

You are invited to participate in the public hearing and/or comment on the proposal.

You may view the hearing by going to our website, www.co.valley.id.us, and click on "Watch Meetings Live".

You may comment in person, by U.S. Postal Service mail, or by email. Written comments greater than one page must be received at least seven days prior to the public hearing. To be included in the staff report, comments must be received by

5:00 p.m., October 19, 2026.

Direct questions and written comments to:

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