

Highland Estates Evaluation of Global Climate Change Impacts

Table GHG-6 Solid Waste GHG Emissions

Land Use	Solid Waste Generation ¹ (Tons/yr)	CO ₂ E Emission Factor ² (MT CO ₂ E/MT waste)	Annual CO ₂ E Emissions (MT CO ₂ E/yr)
Apartments (General Population)	24.75	0.11	2.47
Apartments (Student/General Pop.)	24,75	0.11	2.47

Sources

- 1. Section IV.M.3, Solid Waste. Values inclusive of 62 percent diversion and converted to metric tons.
- 2. US Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, *Greenhouse Gas Emission Factors for Management of Selected Materials in Municipal Solid Waste (EPA-530-R-98-013)*, (1998). The factor is based on mixed municipal solid waste as disposed in landfills without landfill gas recovery.

Where:

CO₂E Carbon dioxide equivalent

MT Metric ton yr Year