

Kanifing



Gambia

This information was confirmed by ACCP in May 2024.

Kanifing is a town in the Gambia and lies immediately west of the capital city of Banjul.

The Kanifing Local Government Area has the largest population of any of the administrative districts in Gambia. It includes Serrekunda, the largest urban area in the Gambia, as well as the Atlantic coastal resorts in which most of the region's hotels are to be found.

*Source: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kanifing>



2013
Total
population

377,137

Institutional System

- Legal System



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- Public health Policy and strategy

- National Strategy · Policy



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- Guidelines · Plans



- Guidelines for local authorities on how to implement the laws and strategies

- Local Government Act
- Financial and Audit Act

- Strategies or plans in place implemented at the city level for municipal solid waste management

- The waste management plan 2019 - 2022

- Effective mechanisms for identification of land for waste management facility siting

- National Environment Agency are responsible for the EISA for landfill identification.

- Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR)



There is no national legislation on Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR)

- National institution



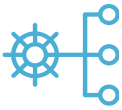
- The status of institutionalizing the solid waste management policy/strategy implementation and coordination at the national level

- Institutional mechanism in place for coordination of strategy implementation with the participation of all relevant ministries, or waste department lightly staffed within the environmental regulator.

- The institution(s) in charge of the solid waste management

- National Environment Agency
- Ministry of Health
- Ministry Environment Climate Change and Natural Resources, Local Councils

- Organisational structure



KMC

Annual budget **N/A** USD / year

Role collection and transportation and disposal of waste.

- Availability and quality of solid waste management data



Data such as the amount of municipal solid waste generated, collected, recovered and disposed of as well as composition, are not regularly monitored.

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- Public education & Awareness



- Public education and / or awareness raising programmes for 3Rs (Reuse, Reduce, Recycle)

Often: The city has no regular budget for the environmental / awareness campaigns.

Operational System

- Waste Generation, Collection and Clean-ups

- Who collects and transports



from households to collection points or disposal facilities

1. Municipal councils and private waste collectors.

- How often



is waste collected from households

Daily

- Who transports



from collection points to transfer stations, recovery or final disposal facilities

KMC

- Other activities in the city



KMC have two unit 1. Mbalit Unit responsible for the daily collection of household waste 2. Environment and Sanitation is responsible for the collection of all markets, street cleaning, drain cleaning, communal dump collection, illegal dump clearance and collection of Liquid waste from public sanitary facilities.

- Total amount of MSW generated



22,500 tonnes/day

- Total amount of MSW collected



700 tonnes/day

- Amount of MSW recovered



- Amount of MSW recovered

N/A tonnes/day

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N/A
tonnes/day

- Final disposal



- Amount of MSW received

- Bakoteh Dumpsite: **700 tonnes/day**

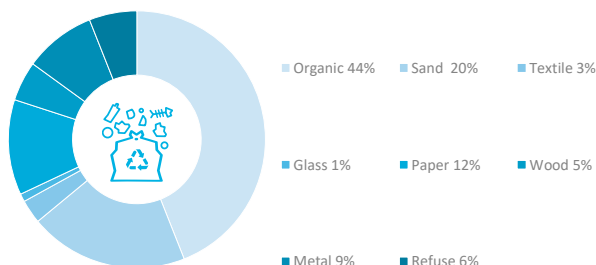
- Total amount of MSW received

all the disposal facilities

700
tonnes/day

- Waste composition

The data collected from **at households**



- MSW finance

- Annual budget for MSWM

2,240,000 USD/year

N/A USD/tonne



- Source of revenue for MSWM

Tax collection.

- Local cost recovery from households

25% to 49% of households are paying for waste collection services

- Pricing of disposal



- Waste collection/transport operators do pay for tipping fees at disposal facilities. Tipping fees is by categories ranging from GMD per trip 50, 100 150, 200, 250 (1,500 2,500 per trip).

- Donor support



The city receives support from donors on solid waste management;

- UNDP/ MECCNAR / KMC
- SOS / KMC / German Government
- GCCA+ / Waste Aid / KMC
- EU- KMC / Peter Borough City Council
- AMB Municipality of Barcelona / Mbolo/ KMC / BCC/ BAC Councils