

PVC Roof Recycling Guide Specifications & Suggested Bid Line Item



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[Note to Specifier: PVC roofs have a proven track record of being recycled into new roofing products and other products/applications. If you have an existing mechanically attached or induction welded PVC roof and you plan to remove the PVC roof, then it is an ideal candidate for recycling. It is recommended the recycling cost is broken out as a separate alternate bid line item on the project bid form so the owner can make an informed decision. **Recommend inserting the language below into your reroofing project specifications.]**

As part of an alternate bid line item, the roofing contractor shall provide a separate price for the existing PVC roof membrane to be packaged, removed from the roof, and shipped or picked up by the recycler. The roofing contractor should consult with their PVC roofing manufacturer or the CFFA website, vinylroofs.org, to determine the best course of action and the best method of packaging/bundling the original PVC roof.

As part of the project close out documentation, working with the recycler, the roofing contractor shall provide confirmation of how many pounds/tons of PVC roof membrane has been received and diverted from landfill.

Roofing contractors shall follow all OSHA and normal roof top safety protocol for all recycling steps.

Suggested PVC Roof Recycling Bid Form

[**Note to specifier:** Consider this language on reroofing projects where the existing mechanically attached or induction welded PVC roof membrane is specified to be removed and recycled].

Bid Form:

Alternate Bid No ____

The proposed lump sum price to package the original PVC roof membrane, safely remove from the roof and put on a flatbed/truck to ship to the recycler:

_____ Dollars (\$_____)

(Price includes all labor, overhead and profit, and should take into consideration the reduction in dumpster and landfill costs for diverting PVC membrane from landfill, and any additional shipping costs not paid by recycler).