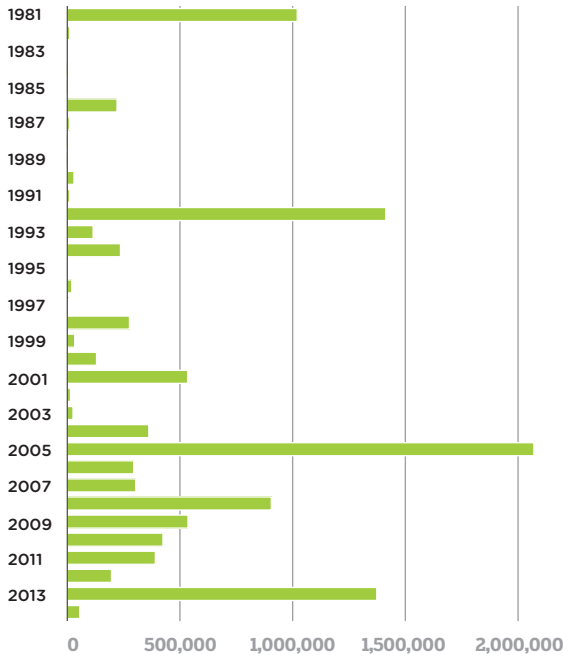
Manure: A messy matter

The state's first community digester in Dane County spilled 435,000 gallons of manure in three accidents since November. But these state data also include spills from other sources, like tanker trucks and manure lagoons. The less manure has to travel, the less likely it is to spill — a selling point for digesters that receive waste via underground pipes.

Total gallons of manure spilled, 1981-2014



SOURCE: Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources The Capital Times