

Athens-Clarke County

SOLID WASTE

PLANS REVIEW CHECKLIST



Solid Waste Collection Requirements	Completed
1. Show placement of and label trash and recycling containers in plans.	
2. If using existing services, please clearly state, show existing location on plans and exhibit how existing container(s) size is adequate and meets requirements of proposed project.	
3. If using dumpsters or roll-carts, demonstrate raised concrete pad; minimum size 8' x 12'.	
4. If using dumpsters, demonstrate the raised concrete pad is six (6) inches thick with 3,000 psi test strength.	
5. If using dumpsters, demonstrate a minimum three-foot clearance between container and the screening wall.	
6. If using dumpsters or roll-carts, demonstrate a clear and level loading area (nine (9) feet wide and 25 feet long) with an approximately 50-foot turning radius in front of each container for the use of servicing vehicle (truck).	
7. If using dumpsters, demonstrate a minimum of 25 feet of vertical clearance above the dumpster pad.	
8. Demonstrate that the service vehicle (truck) does not back into roadway to service containers.	
9. If using dumpsters or roll-carts, demonstrate screening from view by placement of a solid wood fence or masonry wall from five to eight feet in height. All refuse materials shall be contained within the screen.	
10. The screening must have doors that swing open (prefer barn door style) and have mounted door stops on the doors with drilled holes in pavement to hold doors open while being serviced.	
For Permitting:	
11. Business is compliant with Commercial Recycling Ordinance – the Commercial Recycling Plan is on file with the ACC Solid Waste Department.	
12. Containers are properly labeled for trash and recycling.	
13. Staff will inspect the trash and recycling enclosure prior to CO.	

The above is not an all-inclusive list but was created to help guide an applicant through the utility line extension process. Project specific details may vary.