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Dear resident:

Attached is an application for garbage collection for disabled persons, as specified in the DeKalb County Sanitation Ordinance. Upon completion, the original application must be mailed or brought to the Sanitation Division's administrative office.

In order to provide this service, the following requirements must be met:

- A. Must be a full-time resident at the address indicated; disabled to the extent, with doctor's certification, that he/she is incapable of moving refuse to the curb, and **no other able-bodied** individual resides at the address.
- B. Only one 35-gallon, 45-gallon, 65-gallon, or 95-gallon county-issued garbage roll cart will be serviced. No excess garbage contained in plastic bags and placed at the curb for collection qualifies for this service. Additionally, only one 18-gallon recycle bin, 40-gallon recycle bag, and/or 65-gallon recycle roll cart qualifies for this service.
- C. Roll carts must be readily accessible, outside garages, carports, or fenced areas with a dog, free of water, pet litter, or excessive quantities of trash.
- D. Back-door collections are only for household garbage and single-stream recyclable material. Yard trimmings, leaves, pine straw, etc., must be containerized for easy handling by one person, and placed at the curb for collection. Container should not exceed 50 pounds.
- E. Logs or tree limbs must be cut four (4) feet in length, and stacked neatly at the curb. Special-purpose vehicles will collect large volumes as quickly as possible.
- F. This division, through a specially authorized prepaid service, handles building materials, stumps, dirt, rocks, concrete products, automobile body parts, tires, pet litter, paint, oil, and other liquids.
- G. This application must be renewed yearly, 30 days prior to anniversary date. Failure to do so will result in this service being discontinued the date agreement the ends. Any violation of the above will result in termination of service.
- H. If further information is required, please contact our customer service team at (404) 294-2900, or via email at www.sanitation@dekalbcountyga.gov.