

Dear Resident:

Attached is an application for sanitation collection service for disabled DeKalb County residents, as specified in the DeKalb County Sanitation Ordinance. Upon completion, the original application must be mailed or delivered in person to the Sanitation Division's administrative office. To qualify for this service, the following requirements must be met:

1. Applicants must be full-time residents at the approved address; disabled to the extent, with doctor's certification, that he/she is incapable of moving county-provided garbage or recycling containers to the curb; with no other able-bodied individual residing at the address. Residents with a permanent disability can obtain an annual waiver of the doctor's disability certification, if proof of permanent disability is filed with the Division's administrative office. Such residents will still be required to complete the annual renewal application, and confirm active residency at the approved address. The applicant's inability to confirm residency at the approved address will result in the termination of this service.
2. **This service applies only to household garbage and single-stream recyclable materials collection.** Only one 35-, 45-, 65-, or 95-gallon county-provided garbage roll cart, and one 18-gallon recycling bin, 40-gallon recycling bag, 35-gallon recycling roll cart, or 65-gallon recycling roll cart qualify for this service. No excess garbage contained in plastic bags and placed at the curb for collection qualifies for this service.
3. Yard trimmings, leaves, pine straw, etc., do not qualify for this service. If placed at the curb for collection, these items must be containerized (containers should not exceed 50 lbs.). Further, logs or tree limbs for collection must be cut four (4) feet in length, must not exceed 50 lbs., and must be neatly stacked at the curb.
4. Containers must be readily accessible, outside garages, carports or fenced areas.
5. This Division, through a specially authorized prepaid service, collects building materials, stumps, dirt, rocks, concrete products, and large volumes of improperly prepared yard trimmings. A special collections assessment can be requested for the aforementioned items, and applicable collection fees will be provided on a completed special assessment form. All fees must be prepaid prior to the collection of items at the curb.
6. **This application must be renewed annually, 30 days prior to the anniversary date.** Failure to do so will result in this service being discontinued the date the agreement ends. Any violation of the above terms may result in termination of this service.

For more information, please contact the Division's customer service team at (404) 294-2900, or via email at sanitation@dekalbcountyga.gov. We look forward to serving you.