

Construction, Demolition and Excavation Waste Policy

Hertfordshire Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) are provided for householders to take their own household waste to for recycling and disposal. Not all waste from your house is classified as household waste under the Controlled Waste Regulations (England and Wales) 2012.

Hertfordshire HWRCs do not have to accept any construction, demolition or excavation waste from your home. However, we do operate a limited concession for householders carrying out small DIY jobs around their homes and gardens.

What is Construction, Demolition and Excavation Waste?

Construction, Demolition and Excavation Waste is the type of waste you would not normally take with you when you move house. This includes such things as waste from home improvements / DIY, for example, bricks, rubble, plasterboard, taking out your bathroom or kitchen, soil, turf, paving slabs and fence panels etc.

How much Construction, Demolition and Excavation Waste we accept at our Household Waste Recycling Centres?

We will accept the equivalent amount of a boot-full of a normal sized saloon car with the seats up in one trip once every 30 days.

We do not accept part loads. This means if you have more than one boot-full from the project you are undertaking, you will have to make your own private arrangements for the disposal of your waste.

The waste does not need to be made to fit into your boot – but it can be no more than the equivalent of the concession amount.

To assist our residents we have incorporated certain common exceptions to the “one boot-full of waste” guideline. These are stated below.

You may bring to the site:

- 1 bathroom suite = 1 bath, 1 sink, 1 toilet and 1 bidet only.
- 8 fence panels and 9 posts.
- 8 window frames.
- A set of kitchen cupboards, including worktop and sink only.
- 8 internal / external doors.
- A shed (maximum size 3m x 2m).

What if I have more than a boot-full of Construction, Demolition and Excavation Waste?

You will need to make your own private arrangements for the disposal of your waste by:

- Taking it to a licensed private disposal site.
- Hiring a skip.
- Hiring ‘Hippo’ bags.
- Hiring a registered private disposal waste company to dispose of your waste.

You can find details of some private disposal sites on the other side of this sheet. You can find details of other companies in Yellow Pages or on the Internet.



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Below are some companies that offer alternative private disposal arrangements. Please be advised that these companies will make a charge for their services and should be contacted prior to arrival. (Details correct as of Jan 2015).

<p>A G Evans Chesham Way Wigginton Tring HP23 6JG Tel: 01494 758388</p>	<p>Envirowaste Recycling Centre Jacks Hills Graveley SG4 7EQ Tel: 0800 1698588</p>	<p>Skip Hire Companies: Pink Skips, Watford Tel: 01923 675677 Interskips, Royston Tel: 0800 078 7127</p>	<p>Skip and Bin is a website which offers a price comparison of your local skip hire companies via a postcode search engine. www.skipandbin.com</p>
<p>Hurleys Cranbourne Road Potters Bar EN6 3JN Tel: 01707 656086</p>	<p>F D O'Dell & Sons Langford Road Biggleswade SG18 9JT Tel: 01767 313113</p>	<p>Bishops Stortford Skip Hire Tel: 01279 898882</p>	<p>Freegle is a website which offers the opportunity to advertise items you no longer want for others to collect free of charge. (It's like eBay but without the money). www.ilovefreegle.org</p>
<p>Froom & Co Ltd River Works Essex Road Hoddesdon EN11 0AT Tel: 01992 444274</p>	<p>GBN Services Hastingwood Road Harlow CM17 9JT Tel: 01279 444444</p>	<p>Harpenden Skip Hire Tel: 01582 355662 Metro Cairns Skips Hemel Hempstead Tel: 01442 501052</p>	<p>To check if a company has a "waste carriers licence", you can use the search engine at: http://epr.environment-agency.gov.uk/ePRInternet/searchregisters.aspx</p>
<p>Skip bags available from: Hippo Bags - 0800 068 9386 Wickes - 0845 163 2847 B&Q - 0845 609 6688 Homebase - 0845 077 8888 HSS Hire - 0845 728 2828</p>	<p>Asbestos Removal Contractors Association (ARCA) – Please contact for asbestos removal queries. 01283 566467 www.arca.org.uk</p>	<p>David Brown Skip Hire Turnford Tel: 01279 218233 Herts Skip Hire Stevenage 01438 357757</p>	<p>For more information on Hertfordshire County Council's waste or recycling policies, please visit: http://www.hertsdirect.org/services/envplan/waste/wasteaware/ or contact 0300 1234 051 option 1.</p>

Hertfordshire County Council cannot take responsibility for any issues arising from using the services of the above companies.