

ENCLOSURE A
REFUSE/RECYCLING COLLECTION VEHICLE LICENSE
CLASS DEFINITIONS AND FEES

***NOTE: An appointment is required to pick up permits. The Recycling Section offices are open to establish appointments. Call (301) 883-3635**

COLLECTOR'S (BUSINESS) LICENSE (FEE -- \$50.00): A Collector's License is a license for your business that is required to be obtained by any owner of commercial vehicle(s) used to collect and transport any type of Solid Wastes* or Recyclable Materials**. This license is for the business and not the vehicle, and must be renewed annually. You must have this license to obtain a Refuse/Recycling Collection Vehicle License, subject to the following:

- If you collect and transport solid waste or recyclable materials for others and as your primary business, this license must be renewed each year.
- If you transport (not collect) solid waste and/or recyclables for yourself or for your business only, this is a one-time fee.

CLASS I COLLECTION VEHICLE (LICENSE FEE -- \$100.00) Do Not Require Health Department Inspection - An **ORANGE** sticker will be issued: A Class I Collection Vehicle License is required to be obtained by any owner of a commercial vehicle used to collect paper waste products which are not contaminated by food or liquid (paper collected in a dual steam method, not mixed with bottles and cans), construction/demolition debris, or yard waste/landscape debris (grass, leaves, and brush). Vehicles used only to collect and transport paper, or yard trim, bulky items such as furniture, construction and demolition (C&D) debris **DO NOT require a Health Department Inspection** unless otherwise deemed necessary by the Health Department.

CLASS II COLLECTION VEHICLE (LICENSE FEE -- \$275.00) Requires Health Department Inspection - A **PINK** sticker will be issued for Landfill and Composting Facility access (food scraps and yard trim). A **RED** sticker will be issued for Materials Recycling Facility access, Composting Facility access and Bulky ONLY at the Landfill (NO TRASH ACCESS): A Class II Collection Vehicle License is required to be obtained by any owner of a commercial vehicle used to collect Solid Waste* **OR** Recyclable Materials** (recyclables that may include bottles and cans). Vehicles collecting and transporting these types of materials **REQUIRES Health Department Inspection**.

CLASS III COLLECTION VEHICLE (LICENSE FEE -- \$350.00) Requires Health Department Inspection - A **BLUE** sticker for access to ALL Facilities: A Class III Collection Vehicle License is required by any owner of a commercial vehicle that may be used to collect **BOTH** Solid Wastes* **AND** Recyclable Materials**. Vehicles collecting and transporting these types of materials **REQUIRES Health Department Inspection**.

CLASS IV COLLECTION VEHICLE - A **SILVER** sticker for access to ALL Facilities: A Class IV Collection Vehicle License is only applicable to **government-owned** vehicles and **REQUIRES a Health Department Inspection if they are to collect those wastes identified for Class II or III. Local In-County Government (License Fee Waived)**.

*Solid Wastes include trash, garbage, rubbish, offal, industrial and commercial refuse and food product wastes.

**Recyclable Materials include food and beverage containers (including bottles and cans), and paper products.