

For More Information

The following references and contacts can help your community plan for disaster debris cleanup.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

For more information about FEMA requirements, contact:

Infrastructure Support Division, Room 714
Response and Recovery Directorate
Federal Emergency Management Agency
500 C Street, SW.
Washington, DC 20472
Phone: 202 646-4240

EPA regional offices

EPA's local offices can help provide information on solid waste management and regulations. Contact the EPA office in your region:

Region 1

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: HER-CAN6
90 Canal Street
Boston, MA 02203
Phone: 617 573-9670
Fax: 617 573-9662

Region 2

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: 2AWM
290 Broadway
New York, NY 10007-1866
Phone: 212 637-4099
Fax: 212 637-4437

Region 3

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: 3HW53
841 Chestnut Building
Philadelphia, PA 19107
Phone: 215 597-9636
Fax: 215 580-2013

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Region 4

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: 4WD-OSW
345 Courtland Street, NE.
Atlanta, GA 30365
Phone: 404 347-2091 ext. 6425
Fax: 404 347-0076

Region 5

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: HRP-8J
77 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, IL 60604-3590
Phone: 312 886-0976
Fax: 312 353-4788

Region 6

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: 6H-H
1445 Ross Avenue
Dallas, TX 75202-2733
Phone: 214 665-6656
Fax: 214 665-6762

Region 7

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: STPG
726 Minnesota Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66101
Phone: 913 551-7666
Fax: 913 551-7947

Region 8

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: 8HWM-WM
999 18th Street, Suite 500
Denver, CO 80202-2466
Phone: 303 293-1667
Fax: 303 293-1488

Region 9

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: H-W-3
75 Hawthorne Street
San Francisco, CA 94105
Phone: 415 744-2106
Fax: 415 744-1044

Region 10

U.S. EPA
Mail Code: HW107
1200 Sixth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98101
Phone: 206 553-2857
Fax: 206 553-8509

Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Hotline

For general information on solid waste management and regulations, contact the RCRA Hotline Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. EST, at:

☎ **800 424-9346.**

☎ **800 553-7672**—TDD (for hearing impaired).

☎ **703 412-9810**—in the Washington, DC, metropolitan area.

☎ **703 412-3323**—TDD (for hearing impaired in the Washington, DC, metropolitan area).

RCRA Information Center

To order EPA publications on solid waste management and regulations, write to:

RCRA Information Center [5305W]
U.S. EPA
401 M Street, SW.
Washington, DC 20460

Publications disaster debris planners might find useful include:

Criteria for Solid Waste Disposal Facilities: A Guide for Owners/Operators (530/SW-91-089)

Environmental Fact Sheet: Yard Waste Composting (530/SW-91-009)

Household Hazardous Waste Management: A Manual for One-Day Community Collection Programs (530-R-92-026)

Joining Forces on Solid Waste Management: Regionalization Is Working in Rural and Small Communities (530-K-93-001)

Recycling Works! State and Local Success Stories (530/SW-89-014)

Safer Disposal for Solid Waste: The Federal Regulation for Landfills (530/SW-91-092)

Summary of Markets for Compost (530/SW-90-0736)

Magazine articles

Below are a few articles that served as resources in writing this guide and might be of use to disaster debris planners:

Brickner, R. 1994. *How To Manage Disaster Debris*. C&D Debris Recycling. April, p. 8.

Friesen, G., J. Harder, and W. Rifer. 1994. *Closing the Loop After the Storm*. *Resource Recycling*. October, p. 37.

Sheehan, K., and C. Thoresen. 1993. *Des Moines, Iowa: A River Ran Through It, and Over It*. *Waste Age*. November, p. 39.

Steuteville, R. 1992. *Recycling After the Storm*. *BioCycle*. October, p. 30.



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