

# Borough of Doylestown

Department of Building and Zoning  
Permit Application for  
Dumpster/Refuse Container Placement

## Background:

The Borough of Doylestown requires that prior to placing a dumpster or other trash container in the street or right of way the property owner or owner's agent shall acquire a Permit from the Department of Building and Zoning, located at 57 West Court Street. There is a \$25 fee for Unmetered Stalls & a \$25/per week fee for Metered Stalls.

## When A Dumpster Permit is Required:

Placement in the street or public right-of-way requires a permit.

**Process:** Complete the Permit Application and bring it to the Borough Zoning and Planning Office at 57 West Court Street.

2. The staff will accept your completed permit application.
3. You will be contacted when a decision has been made on your application.
4. Do not place dumpster until your application has been approved and you have an issued permit in your hand.
5. You must schedule a final inspection upon removal of the dumpster to close the permit.

## Requirements:

- Dumpster must be removed within two weeks.
- If dumpster is needed for longer than two weeks applicant must have permit extended by Borough
- Dumpster must be marked with reflective tape on all sides. If on arterial or collector highway or where otherwise necessary Type A flashing yellow barricades shall be placed facing direction of traffic.
- Dumpster must be placed as far as possible from the travel lanes and in a legal parking space. Dumpster may not obstruct traffic, pedestrians, or sight triangles, or cause travel lane to be narrowed to less than 12 feet. If dumpster cannot be safely placed no permit will be issued.
- Dumpsters must be placed on nominal 2- inch thick solid lumber to protect road. Applicant is responsible for any damage to road.
- Dumpster must be painted and free of graffiti or commercial advertisements.
- Dumpsters must be kept clean and not permitted to overflow. Food waste, liquids and hazardous substances are not to be disposed of in dumpsters.
- Permit must be posted on the dumpster.
- It is your responsibility to call for inspection when dumpster is placed and to call for a final inspection when dumpster is removed.

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Hours of Operation Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
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## PROPERTY INFORMATION:

Property Address:	Owner Phone:
Property Owner Name:	Owner email:
Property Owner Address: _____	

## REFUSE CONTAINER COMPANY INFORMATION:

Company Name:	Phone:
Company Address:	
Contact Name :	Contact Phone:

## PLACEMENT DIAGRAM: Show all relevant features with dimensions

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## APPLICANT SIGNATURE:

	Date:
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## APPLICATION PROCESSING RECORD (Borough Office Use Only)

Date Received:	
Zoning Officer:	Date of Zoning Review:
Permit is:    Granted                      Denied                      Other:	
Reason/Comments/Conditions: _____	
Dumpster Remove By Date: _____	
Zoning Officer Signature: _____	