

# Waste (Solid)

## Scrap Tire Hauler Registration

**What Activities Require This Permit?** This is a registration, rather than a permit. A registration is required for anyone engaged in the hauling of scrap tires in North Carolina. However, a tire retailer (licensed under G.S. 105-164.29) who only hauls scrap tires generated at their business when replacement tires were sold is not required to register.

**What Is The Purpose of This Permit?** Improper management of scrap tires poses a risk to public health and the environment. Upon registration, scrap tire haulers are provided information on the scrap tire management statutes and rules and instruction on completing the required paperwork which tracks scrap tires from point of generation to point of disposal.

**Who Issues This Permit?** N.C. Division of Waste Management, Solid Waste Section issues the registration.

**How Much Will This Permit Cost?** There is no cost for the registration.

**What Are My Payment Options for Permit Application Fees?** Not applicable

**If Paying by Check, Who do I Make the Check Payable to and Where Do I Send the Check?** Not applicable

**Where Can I Get The Application For This Permit?** Forms for registration are available at the following link:  
<https://deq.nc.gov/about/waste-management/document/scrap-tire-forms>.

**How Long Will It Take To Review My Application?** The application must be submitted at least 30 days before the hauler intends to begin hauling scrap tires.

**Where Do I Submit My Application?** The application should be submitted to: N.C. Division of Waste Management, 1646 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1646.

**How Long Is My Permit or License or Certificate Valid?** All hauler registrations expire on March 1 of each year but is renewed automatically for five years. A renewal application is sent to all currently registered scrap tire haulers in January of each year. [Online renewal](#) of your registration is also available.

**Notes/Comments:** Providing false information on the scrap tire hauler application or scrap tire certification (required scrap tire tracking document) is a Class 2 misdemeanor and subject to a fine of up to \$10,000 (G.S. 130A-26.2). In addition, providing false information on the scrap tire certification is subject to a civil penalty of up to \$15,000 per violation (G.S. 130A-22). Also, any person who knowingly hauls or disposes of a tire in violation of the Scrap Tire Disposal Act shall be assessed a civil penalty of \$50 per violation (G.S. 130A-309.62).

**Legal Authority/Statute Reference:** G.S. 130A-309.59

**Links:**

<https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/waste-management/waste-management-rules/scrap-tires>

**Statewide Contact Information:**

NC Division of Waste Management  
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Raleigh, NC 27699-1646  
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