

Falkirk Council

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Application for Permission to Deposit a Builders Skip on a Road

Notes of Guidance for Applicant

Under Section 85 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984, it is an offence to deposit a builders skip on any road without permission of the Roads Authority. It should be noted that the terms 'road' encompasses the carriageway, footway and/or verge of any road and any remote public footpaths or cycle track.

Three sets of paper copies of a location plan, to a scale of not less than 1:1250 must be submitted at least **seven days in advance of the required siting date**, along with the attached application form to the Director of Development Services, Roads Services, Earls Road, Grangemouth. FK3 8XD. Telephone Enquiries - 01324 504600.

The applicant's attention is drawn to the following:-

- (a) Section 85 (1), (2), (5) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 empowers the local Roads Authority to impose conditions to its permission relating in particular to the siting and lighting of the skip, the care and contents of the skip and the removal of the skip at the end of the period of the permission. Section 85 (3) makes it an offence to use a skip in contravention of the Act and specifies a fine not exceeding £1000.
- (b) Section 86 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 empowers a police officer to have removed or repositioned any builder's skip which is causing or likely to cause a danger or obstruction irrespective of permission being granted under Section 85 and empowers the Roads Authority to remove or reposition a builder's skip where there is a contravention of a condition attached to permission, and in each case any reasonable costs incurred may be recovered from the owner. Failure to comply with a request to remove or reposition a skip may result in a charge not exceeding £100.

The minimum conditions attached to any permission granted are printed on page 2 of the application form.

Check List

1. Have you read and understood all the notes?
2. Have you completed all this form?
3. Have you included drawings?
4. Have you included the relevant Fee ?
5. Any enquiries please phone Falkirk (01324 504600)

Fees & Charges – see over

Fees & Charges

ROADS PERMITS – CHARGES 2010/11

Roads (Scotland) Act 1984	TYPE	Proposed Fees	Additional Charge for Traffic Sensitivity (per application)	Late Application fee	Retrospective Charging * This may be substituted by a larger fine.
Section 85	Skip	£21 per month	All supplementary charges set at £20 each		