

BRACKNELL FOREST BOROUGH COUNCIL

CONDITIONS OF THE SKIP OPERATORS LICENCE
SECTIONS 139 AND 140 OF THE HIGHWAYS ACT 1980

1. If you wish to be a skip operator you need to register with the authority. You will need to show that you are adequately insured and have a waste carrier permit and goods vehicle operators licence. Skip Operators shall not place skips on the public highway unless this is approved in writing by the Highway Authority
2. An annual charge of £80.40 is made to cover the costs for the licence, this fee will need to be paid before the licence is granted.
3. We aim to process your application within 21 working days of receiving it. As it is in the public interest, we must process your application before it can be granted. Please contact us if you have not heard from us within this period.
4. The skip owner undertakes to indemnify the Highway Authority against any claims arising out of or by reason of anything done or omitted to be done in respect of the siting of the skip pursuant to this application. For this purpose an insurance policy will be maintained by the skip owner to cover any liability up to £5,000,000 for any such claim and to produce the policy to the Highway Authority upon demand together with the receipt for the last premium.
5. If at any point your public liability insurance, waster carriers permit and good vehicle operators licence become invalid for any reason, this will invalidate the skip operators licence.
6. If at the point the dates on your public liability insurance, waster carriers permit and good vehicle operators licence expire and we have not received an up to date copy of these, this will invalidate the skip operators licence.
7. The skip operator must apply separately to this licence for a permit for each skip they wish to place on the public highway. Failure to do so can result in the skip operator licence becoming invalid.
8. Once granted the skip operator licence is personal to the licensee and is not transferable to any other person or premises.
9. The Licensee shall make no claim or charge against the Council in the event of any skips being lost stolen or damaged in any way from whatever cause
10. The Licensee must comply with all statutory requirements in respect of the placing of any skips.
11. Any damage caused to the highway as a result of the placement of any skip shall be repaired by the Council and all reasonable costs incurred by the Council in carrying out such repairs shall be recovered by the Licensee.
12. The Licensee will ensure that the skips are freestanding and shall make no fixtures to or excavations of any kind in the surface of the highway.
13. The Licensee shall also read and agree to all of the Conditions for the placing of skips on the public highway sections 139 and 140 of the highways act 1980.