

North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality

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September 16, 2015

Mr. John L. Atkins, II
John L. Atkins II Grading Inc.
P.O. Box 440
Willow Springs, NC 27592

Re: Yard Waste Notification – Wake County
John L. Atkins II Grading Inc. – YWN92009

Dear Mr. Atkins, II,

The Solid Waste Section has received your yard waste facility notification form. As long as your facility only processes and stores less than 6,000 cubic yards of the following materials on a quarterly basis, you can continue to operate by notifying the Section on an annual basis **by June 1st of each year**. If your composting activities grow in size to more than 6,000 cubic yards quarterly or exceed the 2 acre size limitation please contact the Solid Waste Section for assistance in obtaining a permit.

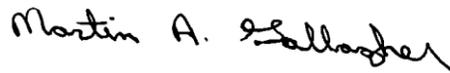
Facilities operating under notification shall only receive:

- a. Untreated and unpainted wood waste.
- b. "Silviculture Waste" as defined in 15A NCAC 13B .0101(41); waste materials produced from the care and cultivation of forest trees, including bark and woodchips.
- c. "Yard Trash" as defined in 15A NCAC 13B .0101(55); solid waste resulting from landscaping and yard maintenance such as brush, grass, tree limbs, and similar vegetative material.
- d. "Yard Waste" as defined in 15A NCAC 13B .0101(56); yard trash and land clearing debris to include stumps, limbs, leaves, grass, and untreated wood.

Facilities operating under notification are required to operate in accordance with 15 NCAC 13B .1406 and .1404(a)(1)-(10).

If you have questions or if we can be of any other assistance please do not hesitate to contact the Environmental Senior Specialist, Liz Patterson at 919-707-8286.

Sincerely,



Martin A. Gallagher, Environmental Supervisor
Composting & Land Application Branch

cc: Liz Patterson, Environmental Senior Specialist, Raleigh Central Office
Dennis Shackelford, Eastern District Supervisor, Fayetteville Regional Office
Central File, Solid Waste Section

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Pursuant to 15A NCAC 13B .1401(a), this provision applies to facilities that accept, store, or produce compost or mulch from yard waste.

Pursuant to 15A NCAC 13B .1402(g)(3), the owner or operator of any Type 1 Solid Waste (yard waste) facility which occupies less than two acres of land and processes and stores less than 6,000 cubic yards of material quarterly shall **submit this form to the Department by June 1st of each year.**

1. Facility Name: John L Atkins II Grading Inc Notification #: YWN92009
15A NCAC 13B .1402

2. Physical Address of Facility		3. Primary Facility Contact Information	
Street 1: <u>3728 Johnson Pond Rd</u>		Name: <u>John L Atkins II</u>	
Street 2: _____		Contact's Title: <u>President</u>	
City: <u>Apex</u> County: <u>Wake</u>		Phone: <u>919-779-2539</u> Fax: <u>919-779-1769</u>	
State: <u>North Carolina</u> Zip: <u>27539</u>		Email: <u>ntopsoil@aol.com</u>	
4. Property Owner Contact Information		5. Site Manager Contact Information	
Name: <u>John L Atkins II</u>		Name: <u>John L Atkins II</u>	
Phone: <u>919-779-2539</u> Fax: <u>919-779-1769</u>		Phone: <u>919-779-2539</u> Fax: _____	
Email: <u>ntopsoil@aol.com</u>		Email: <u>ntopsoil@aol.com</u>	
Street 1: <u>P O Box 440</u>		Street 1: <u>P O Box 440</u>	
Street 2: _____		Street 2: _____	
City: <u>Willow Springs</u>		City: <u>Willow Springs</u>	
State: <u>North Carolina</u> Zip: <u>27592</u>		State: <u>North Carolina</u> Zip: <u>27592</u>	

6. The land on which this facility is located is described in the deed recorded in:

Deed Book: 7039 Page: 0536 County: Wake County

For the following questions, please fill out based on your records for the period of June 1, 2014 to May 31, 2015.

7. What types of yard waste are accepted at this facility? (check all that apply)

- Land clearing debris Yard trash

Please indicate the specific materials accepted: (check all that apply)

- Stumps Whole trees Tree limbs chips Brush/shrubs Grass Leaves

- Branches Untreated wood Other yard trimmings

Other (specify) leaves, wood chips & little saw dust

8. Provide the quarterly volumes of yard waste (cubic yards) for this facility:

Quarter	Cubic Yards Received	Cubic Yards Removed	Distribution of Removed Product
June 1 - August 31	<u>800</u>	<u>1500</u>	<u>(use of tub grinder) we grind tree chips & bark for mulches - then put in neat</u>
September 1 - November 30	<u>1200</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>after grind - we sell as mulch</u>
December 1 - February 28	<u>1000</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>we sell small amount in winter - grind with tub grinder for mulch</u>
March 1 - May 31	<u>500</u>	<u>900</u>	<u>grind with tub grinder the wood chips</u>
Total			<u>make bark to sell</u>

They are allowing the leaves to sit for at least one season and turning occasionally before selling. -M.S.

10. Describe the mulching process to be used:

The description of the mulching process must minimally include a description of the process, usage of a tub grinder, etc.

with use of tub grinder - we grind ^{wood} tree chips & bark for mulch to sell - we place after we grind in small neat piles. We grind the tree or wood chips into mulch and place in neat piles and we grind the leaves into leaf mulch and place in neat pile - to sell -

CERTIFICATION: To the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify the information provided in this notification is true, accurate, and complete. Furthermore, the facility will comply with the operational and setback requirements of Small Type 1 Compost (yard waste) facilities as outlined in .1406 and .1404(a)(1)-(10) of the Solid Waste Compost Rules.

Signature:

John L Atkins II

Date:

5-26-15

Name:

John L Atkins II

Title:

President

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