

Donation Boxes

Municipality	Definition	Standards	Enforcement
<p>Winston Salem/Forsyth Co</p> <p>Section 5.3.3E</p>	<p>Donation container - A box, bin, trailer, or similar receptacle used as a depository or collection point for the donation of clothing or other household items that is not a structure as defined by this Ordinance.</p>	<p>1. NUMBER Only one donation container shall be allowed on a zoning lot.</p> <p>2. INSPECTION a. Donation containers shall be inspected on a sufficiently regular and frequent basis by the container's owner to ensure that all donations are placed inside the container. b. Donations found outside the container constitute evidence of violation of this provision.</p> <p>3. EVIDENCE OF PROPERTY OWNER AUTHORIZATION The sponsoring organization responsible for the donation container must submit written evidence on demand that the property owner has authorized said location for a donation container site.</p> <p>4. MAINTENANCE Donated items shall be placed inside the donation container and shall not be allowed to accumulate outside the same.</p> <p>5. IDENTIFICATION a. The name and telephone number of the party responsible for its maintenance shall be clearly posted on the container. b. The donation container shall also contain information that states the sponsoring organization and charities receiving benefit (including telephone number and address) if different from the party responsible for maintenance.</p>	<p>6. RESPONSIBILITY/VIOLATIONS a. Both the sponsoring organization responsible for the donation container and the owner of the property where it is located shall be subject to the enforcement provisions contained in Section 10.2, Enforcement, of the UDO. b. Additionally, with respect to any site upon which the standards and regulations of this section have been violated twice, but less than six (6) times, within a twelve (12) month time period, a donation container shall not thereafter be a permitted accessory use thereon, but shall, for purposes of this subsection only, and notwithstanding Section 11.2, Definitions, be considered nonconforming, and any donation container shall be immediately removed from the site where the violations occurred. c. At the expiration of two (2) years from the removal of the donation container, it may be re-established at the site from which it had been removed. d. Additionally, should the sponsoring organization responsible for any donation container violate the standards or regulations of this section at least six (6) times within a twelve (12) month period at any one or more sites within the City's/County's zoning jurisdiction, then such sponsoring organization may not place a donation container within the City's/County's zoning jurisdiction for a period of two (2) years following the date of the sixth violation, and all such donation containers shall be immediately removed from the City's/County's zoning jurisdiction.</p>
<p>Durham – City Only</p> <p>5.4.7.e</p>	<p>An unattended clothing container is any box, bin, dumpster, trailer or other receptacle that is intended for use as a collection point for donated clothing or other household materials at times when no employee or representative of the sponsoring company or organization is present to accept donations.</p>	<p>Notwithstanding the other provisions of this section, unattended clothing donation containers are prohibited unless located at the operational site of a company or organization that collects used clothing for resale or donation as a primary business function.</p>	<p>Prohibited clothing donation containers that exist at the time this section is adopted shall be removed within 30 days of adoption.</p>

<p>Greensboro</p> <p>Nothing specific to donation boxes – recycling centers mentioned however I believe this is intended for cardboard, glass etc</p> <p>30-15-17</p>	<p>Recycling Collection Point - An incidental use that serves as a neighborhood drop-off point for temporary storage of recoverable resources. No processing of such items shall be allowed. This facility is generally located in a shopping center parking lot or in other public/quasi-public areas, such as at religious assembly uses and schools.</p>	<p>No additional standards</p>	
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