

# Recycling and Waste Diversion Grant

Chattooga County  
FY24 Awardee

Chattooga County was awarded \$341,467 for the purchase of a shredder to process recyclable materials. Prior to the grant, the county was unable to keep up with the volume of recyclable construction materials they received. The county provided a match of \$1,642.20 in staff time for the shredder's installation.

With RWD grant funding, Chattooga County purchased a slow-speed shredder and began processing metal, wood, and concrete from construction debris. Some of the processed recyclable materials are given directly to the community residents, included shredded concrete gravel and mulch.

The county plans to continue accepting and processing recyclable materials with the use of the shredder for years to come.

To learn more about the RWD Grant, visit <https://epd.georgia.gov/about-us/land-protection-branch/recovered-materials-and-abatement/recovered-materials/recycling-and>  
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