

This chapter assesses the Proposed Action's potential impacts on solid waste management and its consistency with the State's solid waste management plan. The Village Department of Public Works oversees the collection and disposal of refuse within the Village. Garbage and rubbish and related materials are collected by the Sanitation Department. The Village also collects recyclables. Contractors are responsible for removing and disposing of all material used in construction and repairs. The Proposed Action, or the creation of additional open space for existing residents, would not generate additional solid waste in the Village. Any solid waste deposited in trash receptacles that may be placed on the project site for the convenience of the open space users would be handled by the Village's existing solid waste management system. Demolition debris would be handled by private contractors and disposed of at approved construction and demolition (C&D) debris landfills or registered or permitted C&D processing facilities. Moreover, the Proposed Action would be consistent with the New York State Solid Waste Management Plan, which encourages waste reduction, reuse, and recycling.¹ *

¹ New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, New York State Solid Waste Management Plan 1999-2000 Update.