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C&D Reuse & Recycling – NERC is an Expert

According to the U.S. EPA, commercial construction and demolition debris (C&D) is responsible for 40% of the total waste stream in the U.S. This material is primarily wood, metal, asphalt shingles, concrete, rock, brick, cardboard, and plastic film. Contractors and builders can save money on disposal fees by diverting C&D to reuse and recycling.

NERC works directly with contractors and builders on C&D reuse and recycling. Among the services offered are:

- Developing waste assessments for individual jobs
- Identifying reuse and recycling markets for individual material streams
- Training staff on diverting waste materials for reuse and recycling
- Negotiating with haulers for C&D collection services
- Conducting C&D reuse and recycling trainings for builders, recycling coordinators, engineers, architects, haulers, etc.

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