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(d) The Office shall:

(1) Assist the counties in developing an acceptable recycling plan required under § 9-1703 of this subtitle and § 9-505 of this title, including technical assistance to the local governments;

(2) Coordinate the efforts of the State to facilitate the implementation of the recycling goals at the county level; [and]

(3) Review all recycling plans submitted as part of a county plan as required under § 9-505 of this title and advise the Secretary on the adequacy of the recycling plan; AND

(4) ADMINISTER THE STATEWIDE COMPUTER RECYCLING PROGRAM UNDER PART IV OF THIS SUBTITLE.

9-1703.

(a) Each county shall submit a recycling plan to the Secretary for approval when the county submits its county plan to the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of § 9-505 of this title.

(b) In preparing the recycling plan as required in § 9-505 of this title, the county shall address:

(1) Methods to meet the solid waste stream reduction;

(2) The feasibility of source separation of the solid waste stream generated within the county;

(3) The recyclable materials to be separated;

(4) The strategy for the collection, processing, marketing, and disposition of recyclable materials, including the cost-effective use of recycling centers;

(5) Methods of financing the recycling efforts proposed by the county;

(6) Methods for the separate collection and composting of yard waste;

(7) The feasibility of a system for the composting of mixed solid wastes;

(8) The feasibility of a system for the collection and recycling of white goods;

(9) The separate collection of other recyclable materials; and

(10) Any other alternative methods of recycling that will attain or exceed the solid waste stream reduction goals determined by the county.

(C) (1) IN PREPARING THE RECYCLING PLAN AS REQUIRED UNDER § 9-505 OF THIS TITLE, THE COUNTY MAY ADDRESS METHODS FOR THE SEPARATE COLLECTION AND RECYCLING OF COMPUTERS, INCLUDING EFFORTS BY THE