- (3) THE ELECTED EXECUTIVE OF ANY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.
- (B) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY TO A COUNTY THAT HAS A CHARTER FORM OF GOVERNMENT UNDER ARTICLE XI A OF THE CONSTITUTION.
- (C) BEFORE AN APPLICANT FOR A PERMIT TO INSTALL, MATERIALLY ALTER, OR MATERIALLY EXTEND A REFUSE DISPOSAL SYSTEM REGULATED UNDER § 9 204(A) OF THIS SUBTITLE MAY SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT, THE APPLICANT SHALL SUBMIT THE APPLICATION TO THE EXECUTIVE IN THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION IN WHICH THE REFUSE DISPOSAL SYSTEM IS LOCATED.

## (D) THE EXECUTIVE SHALL:

- (1) ANALYZE THE PERMIT APPLICATION TO DETERMINE IF THE PROPOSED REFUSE DISPOSAL SYSTEM MEETS THE ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FACILITY IN THAT JURISDICTION; AND
- (2) SUBMIT TO THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION A WRITTEN ANALYSIS OF THE APPLICATION AND A RECOMMENDATION ON WHETHER THE LEGISLATIVE BODY SHOULD PASS A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE PERMIT FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT.
- (E) (1) AFTER RECEIPT OF THE ANALYSIS AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE EXECUTIVE, THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION SHALL DECIDE WHETHER TO PASS A RESOLUTION THAT APPROVES THE APPLICATION FOR THE PERMIT.
- (2) IF THE LEGISLATIVE BODY REFUSES TO PASS A RESOLUTION, THE LEGISLATIVE BODY SHALL STATE ITS REASON IN WRITING.
- (F) IF THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION DECIDES TO APPROVE THE APPLICATION FOR THE PERMIT, THE LEGISLATIVE BODY, IN ITS RESOLUTION, SHALL CERTIFY THAT THE PROPOSED REFUSE DISPOSAL SYSTEM MEETS THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:
- (1) THE SITE MEETS LOCAL ZONING REQUIREMENTS AND IS CONSISTENT WITH THE AREA MASTER PLAN;
- (2) THE PROPOSED REFUSE DISPOSAL SYSTEM IS INCLUDED IN THE JURISDICTION'S 10 YEAR SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN:
- (3) A PUBLIC HEARING WAS HELD ON THE PROPOSED APPLICATION AND 60 DAYS' NOTICE WAS GIVEN FOR THE HEARING; AND