

Chapter 162, SOLID WASTE

ARTICLE I Collection and Disposal

§ 162-5. Containers required.

It shall be the duty of every person in possession, charge or in control of any dwelling, flat, rooming house, apartment house, hospital, school, hotel, club, restaurant, boarding house or eating place or in possession, charge or control of any shop, place of business or manufacturing establishment where refuse is created or accumulated, at all times to keep or cause to be kept containers of the type specified in § 162-6 herein for the deposit therein of refuse and to deposit or cause to be deposited the same therein. It shall be the duty of the owner or tenant of any dwelling, flat, apartment house or trailer camp to furnish such containers.

§ 162-6. Container specifications.

Refuse shall be placed in covered containers or bound bags.

- A. Residential containers shall be of such size and shape as to be easily handled by one man and shall have the capacity of not more than 32 gallons and shall be provided with handles sufficient for safe and convenient emptying and shall, when full, not exceed a total weight of 75 pounds, except for trash haulers issued containers which cannot exceed 96 gallons and, when full, 250 pounds and shall be kept in good, serviceable condition and covered at all times.
- B. Bags shall be of durable construction, securely tied, maximum 35 gallons; total weight when full shall not exceed 30 pounds.
- C. Except as permitting in division D of the section, containers and bags may not be located in the front yard or within any required front yard setback of residential lots, except for temporary placement curbside, not more than 24 hours before pickup.

Two tightly closed, impermeable garbage containers may be kept in the front yard

- D. within three feet of the exterior wall of the home.

All owners or occupants shall have the contents of all garbage containers removed

- E. from the premises at their own cost at least once a week, and it shall be unlawful to fail to do so.

§ 162-8. Violations and penalties. [Amended 5-5-1998 by Ord. No. 1264]

Any refuse collector who violates any of the prohibitions or provisions of any section of this article shall be deemed guilty of a Class III Misdemeanor. Unless otherwise

specified in the particular section for which the company violated, the penalty for such violation shall be fined in a sum of \$500, three months imprisonment, or both.

Any person who violates any of the prohibitions or provisions of any section of this article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. Unless otherwise specified in the particular section for which the person stands convicted of violating, the penalty for such violation shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$500 or imprisoned three months, or both said fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the sentencing court.

§ 162-9. Continuation of violations.

Each day, or part thereof, in which a violation under this article continues, shall be a separate offense.

ARTICLE III Dumping

§ 162-17. Dumping of trash.

It shall be unlawful for any person to willfully, maliciously or negligently place or throw upon the premise of another, any filth, garbage, leaves, papers or other matter to the annoyance of the owner or occupant thereon.

§ 162-18. Violations and penalties.

Any refuse collector who violates any of the prohibitions or provisions of any section of this article shall be deemed guilty of a Class III Misdemeanor. Unless otherwise specified in the particular section for which the company violated, the penalty for such violation shall be fined in a sum of \$500, imprisoned for three months, or both.

Any person who violates any of the prohibitions or provisions of any section of this article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. Unless otherwise specified in the particular section for which the person stands convicted of violating, the penalty for such violation shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$500 or imprisoned three months, or both said fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the sentencing court.