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**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF RUMSON
BY AMENDING CHAPTER XIII, STREETS AND SANITATION ORDINANCE**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Rumson, in the County of Monmouth and State of New Jersey that Chapter XIII (Streets and Sanitation) of the General Ordinances of the Borough of Rumson is hereby amended or supplemented as follows:

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Ordinance is to Amend Chapter XIII (Streets and Sanitation), Section 13-1, Regulations Concerning Streets, to amend the garbage collection and bulk pickup regulations and holiday schedule wording, and Section 13-5, Fees for Off-Street Garbage Collection, to amend the wording to include contractor and recycling, and Section 13-6, Mandatory Recycling Program, to amend the collection pickup schedules listed on the Borough Website.

Chapter XIII (Streets and Sanitation Ordinance), of the General Ordinances of the Borough of Rumson are hereby amended or supplemented as follows (new text is double underlined, text to be deleted is ~~struck through~~ and notations to the reader and changes in subparagraph designations either with or without changes to content are italicized):

SECTION 1.

That Chapter XXII, Streets and Sanitation, shall be amended to as follows:

**CHAPTER XIII
STREETS AND SANITATION**

13-1 REGULATIONS CONCERNING STREETS.

13-1.1 Obtaining Grades or Lines from Borough Engineer. No Change.

13-1.2 Obstructing Streets and Sidewalks; Placement of Garbage for Collection.

a. through d. No Change.

e. Regulations pertaining to garbage, trash, bulk pickup and move-in/move-out stops ~~moving stop~~ and leaves, grass and brush shall be as follows:

1. GARBAGE. No Change.

2. TRASH.

(a) Paper goods or light trash must be placed in sealed plastic bags or containers.

(b) All larger amounts of household trash and larger items other than garbage shall be removed only on "~~clean-up~~" bulk pick-up days. See schedule below.

(c) All smaller amounts of household trash and smaller items other than garbage shall be removed on the 2nd collection weekly, limited to two (2) small items per week.

3. CLEAN-UP BULK PICKUP AND MOVE-IN/MOVE-OUT STOPS REGULATIONS.

(a) The revised "~~clean-up~~" bulk pickup and move-in/move-out procedures ([read paragraphs (b), (c), (d) and (e)]) which took effect in 1991 will remain in effect until further notice for the entire Borough. ~~Clean-up~~ Bulk pickups and move-in/move-out stops ~~are~~ is for normal household debris of the property in question, other than normal garbage and building material or construction debris.

- (b) Each resident will be entitled to two (2) annual ~~clean-ups~~ bulk pickups ([not to exceed five (5) cubic yards each] ~~and/or one (1) move-in and one (1) move-out stop, by appointment only calling Borough Hall in advance for an appointment.~~)
- (c) No one will be permitted to place ~~clean-up~~ bulk pickup debris at the curb for collection any sooner than the day prior to their appointed pickup. Anyone who violates this rule will be notified by the police to remove the debris at once.
- (d) through (e) No Change.

~~4. MOVING STOP.~~

- ~~(a) Each property owner shall be entitled to one (1) move in pickup and one (1) move-out pickup. The items to be collected must be limited to boxes and small containers. A moving stop shall not include any of the contents of the house such as old furniture, rugs, etc. Moving stops must be made by appointment at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance by call Borough Hall.~~

~~5. 4. LEAVES, GRASS AND BRUSH.~~ No Change.

~~6. 5. PLACEMENT OF GARBAGE, TRASH, LEAVES AND BRUSH.~~

No Change.

13-1.2A Holiday Garbage Schedule.

There will be no garbage collection on the holidays as listed ~~in the annual~~ on the Borough DPW Brochure Website www.rumsonnj.gov. When a resident's garbage collection day falls on one of those holidays their garbage will be picked up on the next regular collection day.

13-1.3 Placing Litter and Trash on Private Property without Permission. through 13-1.4 Permit to Encumber Street.

No Change.

13-2 STREET EXCAVATION AND OCCUPANCY. through 13-4 REMOVAL OF GRASS, WEEDS AND IMPEDIMENTS FROM SIDEWALKS.

No Change.

13-5 FEES FOR OFF-STREET GARBAGE AND RECYCLING COLLECTION.

13-5.1 Fee Stated.

After January 1, 2009 the fee for off-street collection of garbage and ~~rubbish~~ recycling from residential properties where the dwelling house is set back seventy-five (75) feet or more from the street line shall be four hundred (\$400.00) dollars for a period of one (1) calendar year, or less, payable in advance. Fees will not be prorated for periods of less than one (1) year.

13-5.2 Adequate Driving Facilities Required.

Such off-street collection shall be provided only for those properties which have driveway facilities adequate to accommodate garbage trucks of the size and shape currently in use by the Sanitation Department of the Borough or its contractor without damage to the trucks or the property from which collection is to be made. All garbage and ~~refuse~~ recycling containers from which collection is to be made shall be placed by the occupant of the premises at a point no more than fifteen (15) feet distant from that at which the garbage truck will stop and no fewer than seventy-five (75) feet from the street line.

13-6 MANDATORY RECYCLING PROGRAM.

13-6.1 Purpose. through 13-6.6 Direct Disposal of Recyclable Material by Resident.

No Change.

13-6.7 Garbage, Solid Waste, Leaves and Brush Pick-up Pickup Schedules.

Garbage and solid waste will be picked up from all residential property twice a week on a schedule to be fixed by the Superintendent of Public Works, as set forth ~~in~~ on the ~~annual~~ DPW page of the ~~Bulletin~~ Borough Website.

Effective July 1, 2011, garbage and solid waste for large business establishments will no longer be picked up from any containers (standard cans or dumpsters).

Effective July 1, 2011, garbage and solid waste for small business establishments will be picked up twice a week but the quantity will be limited to three (3) standard size garbage cans, as set forth ~~in~~ on the ~~annual~~ DPW page of the ~~Bulletin~~ Borough Website.

No garbage or solid waste will be picked up unless access shall be afforded at all times and the same shall be placed into the covered standard size garbage cans ([maximum 45-gallon cans and maximum weight per can of forty (40) pounds each]), as set forth ~~in~~ on the ~~annual~~ DPW page of the ~~Bulletin~~ Borough Website.

Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, no persons, partnership or corporation who is owner, lessee or occupant of any residential, or nonresidential property may place any solid waste of garbage in the Borough recyclables or in the Borough recyclable drop area or any other Borough street or property.

Leaves will be picked up from October 15 through December 31 only, as specified ~~in~~ on the ~~annual~~ DPW page of the ~~Bulletin~~ Borough Website.

Brush will be picked up from January 1 through November 1 only, as specified ~~in~~ on the ~~annual~~ DPW page of the ~~Bulletin~~ Borough Website.

13-6.8 Enforcement. through **13-6.11 Reserved.** No Change.

13-7 CLEAN COMMUNITIES PROGRAM. No Change.

SECTION 2.

If any section, subsection, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 3.

This ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication according to law.

Introduced: March 10, 2015.

Passed and Approved:

I hereby approve of the
passing of this ordinance.

John E. Ekdahl
Mayor

Attest:

Thomas S. Rogers
Municipal Clerk/Administrator