

**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING THE
REMOVAL OF GARBAGE, REFUSE AND
RECYCLABLE MATERIALS AND AMENDING
THE "CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY, 1968".**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Princeton, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. Article I of Chapter 17 of the "Code of the Township of Princeton, New Jersey, 1968" which regulates the disposal of refuse, garbage and recyclable materials is amended by adding thereto a NEW Section 17-6.2 and shall read as follows:

Sec. 17-6.2. Removal and storage of garbage, refuse and recyclables from commercial and business establishments and multiple and single dwellings.

(a) Removal of garbage. Commercial and business establishments and owners of multiple and single family dwellings shall arrange for the periodic removal of all garbage, refuse and recyclables from the premises as often as necessary to handle the amounts of waste generated. Only garbage refuse and recyclables which have been generated from the premises itself shall be placed for pick-up for collection in view from the public right-of-way.

(b) Storage of garbage: generally. No container, plastic bag, tied bundle, or other receptacle containing garbage, refuse or recyclables from any such establishment or multiple or single family dwelling shall be placed for pick-up in the public right-of-way; and no such container, plastic bag, tied bundle or other receptacle shall be placed in view from the public right-of-way before 6:00 p.m. the evening prior to the scheduled pick-up. No empty container or receptacle shall remain in view from the public right-of-way before 12:00 midnight after collection. This section shall not apply to dumpsters, which shall be screened from view at all times as otherwise provided in

this article; nor shall this section apply to trash receptacles installed by food establishments pursuant to ordinance.

(c) Disposal of insect infested property. No owner, tenant of rental property or agent for either shall place property infested with insects in the public right-of-way for disposal in the waste stream unless when, as a result of an insect infestation, any owner, agent of owner, or tenant of real property places affected personal property into the public right-of-way for disposal in the waste stream, the owner or agent of the owner of the real property shall ensure that the person placing the property in the public right-of-way shall completely seal the containers and clearly mark on the outside to indicate the date of placement into the right-of-way and nature of the infestation.

2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and publication as provided for by law.

Linda S. McDermott, Clerk

Bernard P. Miller, Mayor