

Requiring trash and recycling containers to be brought to the curb for pickup, exceptions, placement and removal of trash and recycling receptacles
Sponsored by: Councilmember Dudinsky

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 09-03

Resolution and Ordinance of the Town of University Park, to repeal and re-enact Chapter 7 "Public Health and Sanitation" Section 7-102 "Disposition of trash", of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of University Park, to require that all trash and recycling receptacles be brought to the curb for collection, except in certain circumstances, and be removed from the curb by a certain time after collection, and be stored behind the front building line, providing for a penalty and making certain non-substantive changes.

Section 1: Be it resolved and ordained by the Mayor and Common Council of University Park that Chapter 7, "Public Health and Sanitation", Section 7-102 "Disposition of trash", of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of University Park be repealed and re-enacted as follows:

Section 9-104. Disposition of trash.

(A) Regarding the handling of trash of all types, no person shall:

~~{a}~~ (1) Deposit trash on any Town property, except in conjunction with Town trash collection;

~~{b}~~ (2) Deposit trash on private property without the consent of the owner;

(3) Deposit trash, leaves, or any material so as to block the flow of water; OR

EXPLANATION:

CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law

UNDERLINED CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED IN AMENDMENT

Asterisks indicate provisions of existing law which have been omitted from the ordinance.

~~[(e)]~~—Accumulate trash beyond the time it can be picked up, or]

~~[(d)]~~ 4. Burn trash or leaves, provided that the burning of normal fireplace fuels in an exterior fireplace is excluded from this provision.

~~[(e)]~~ B. All PERSISHABLE TRASH AND trash subject to rapid decay shall be stored in a container which has a close fitting lid and is free of leaks.

C. TRASH AND RECYCLING CONTAINERS MUST BE PLACED AT THE CURB FOR COLLECTION BY THE TOWN. EXEMPTION FROM THIS REQUIREMENT DUE TO ILLNESS, INFIRMITY OR OTHER VALID BASIS MAY BE REQUESTED BY APPLICATION TO THE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR. AN EXEMPTION DENIAL MAY BE APPEALED TO THE MAYOR. ANY SUCH CONTAINER SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE CURB BY THE OWNER/RESIDENT WITHIN 24 HOURS OF TRASH/RECYCLING COLLECTION. WHEN NOT PLACED AT THE CURB FOR COLLECTION, TRASH AND RECYCLING CONTAINERS SHALL BE STORED BEHIND THE FRONT BUILDING LINE OF EACH PROPERTY.

D. TRASH AND OTHER DEBRIS SHALL BE STORED AND PLACED FOR COLLECTION PURSUANT TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL TO ENFORCE THIS CHAPTER.

Section 2: Be it further resolved that this ordinance shall become effective on the twentieth day after enactment by the Mayor and Common Council of University Park.

Section 3: Be it further resolved that a complete and exact copy of this proposed Ordinance shall be posted on the entrance door of the Town Building of University Park, Maryland, for a period of not less than ten (10) days, and a fair summary of this Ordinance shall

be published at least once in a newspaper having general circulation in the community.

APPROVED this 18th day of May, 2009.

ATTEST:

MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL
TOWN OF UNIVERSITY PARK

Amy S. Headley
Amy S. Headley, Town Clerk

By:

[Signature]
John Rogard Tabori, Mayor