



Town of Berwyn Heights

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Resolution No. 02-2010

Ordinance No. 117 – Refuse Collection Fee and Fine Schedule

Section 1. Collection Fees

- A. Appliances – \$25 per appliance to be paid at Town Administration Office prior to collection
- B. Building, Construction or Remodeling Materials, Waste or Debris –
 - a) Contractor, property owner or occupant must remove to a State or Prince George's County authorized disposal site; or
 - b) Fee determined by Public Works Director or his designee.
- C. Bulk Refuse –
 - a) No fee if under 3 cubic yards
 - b) Fee as determined by Public Works Director or designee if over 3 cubic yards (see also Special Collection Materials)
- D. Clean Outs – Landlords, mortgage holders, property owners or occupants must arrange for disposal with
 - a) Private hauler, or
 - b) Code Department to obtain pickup date and estimate of disposal fee
- E. Electronics or Electronic Recyclables – Fees as determined by Town Council.
- F. Hazardous Materials or Waste – Not accepted. Contact Public Works Department for advice.
- G. Household Refuse –
 - a) No fee for first roll-out container
 - b) Fee for additional roll-out containers as determined by Town Council.
- H. Imported Waste – Not accepted. Importing waste is strictly prohibited and subject to a fine of up to \$1,000.
- I. Loose Leaves – No fee.
- J. Motor Vehicles and Parts – Fees as determined by Public Works Director or designee
- K. Pressured Containers – Not accepted. Fines may apply.
- L. Recyclable Materials – Fee collected as a tax established by Town Council.
- M. Special Collection Material – Fee as determined by Public Works Director or designee
- N. Tires – \$5.00 per tire to be paid at Town Administration Office prior to collection.
- O. Yard Waste –

- a) No fee under 3 cubic yards
- b) Fee as determined by Public Works Director or designee if over 3 cubic yards

Section 2. Violations of Section 4 of Ordinance No. 117 - Duties and Responsibilities of Property Owners and Occupants

A. Fines for improper disposal of A. Appliances, B. Bamboo, D. Bulk Refuse, F. Composting, H. Fish and Animal Carcasses, J. Household Refuse, L. Leaves, N. Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories, O. Pressured Containers, P. Recyclable Materials, Q. Special Bulk Refuse Collection, R. Tires, S. Yard Waste, and T. Corrugated Cardboard Boxes and Recycling Bins/Containers shall be:

- a) first occurrence in calendar year - \$15.00
- b) Second occurrence in calendar year - \$25.00
- c) Third occurrence in calendar year - \$35.00
- d) Repeat violation in subsequent calendar year - \$50.00

B. Fines for the improper disposal of C. Building, Construction, and Remodeling Materials and Waste, E. Clean-outs, I. Hazardous Materials or Waste, and M. Litter shall be:

- a) First occurrence in calendar year - \$50.00
- b) Second occurrence in calendar year - \$75.00
- c) Third occurrence in calendar year - \$100.00.

C. Fines for improper disposal of materials into storm drains prohibited in Sub-section L.3 *National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System* (NPDES) of this Ordinance or in county, federal or state statutes relating to same shall be:

- a) First occurrence in calendar year - \$50.00
- b) Second occurrence in calendar year - \$75.00
- c) Third occurrence in calendar year - \$100.00 .

Section 3. Violations of Section 10, Sub-Section D. of Ordinance No. 117 – Imported Refuse

Fines for bringing refuse from outside of Town into Town for curbside disposal as prohibited in Sub-section 10-D *Imported Refuse* shall carry a fine of up to \$1,000.00 per occurrence per day.

Section 4. Violations of Section 6. Safeguards for Collectors, Section 7. Accessibility of Items Placed for Collection, and Section 8. Collection License of Ordinance No. 117

Fines for violations of Section 6 *Safeguards for Collectors*, Section 7. *Accessibility of Items Placed for Collection*, and Section 8. *Collection License* shall be:

- a) First occurrence in calendar year - \$25.00
- b) Second and each subsequent occurrence in calendar year - \$50.00

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