

VILLAGE OF GRANDVIEW, ILLINOIS

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ORDINANCE NO. 11- 10

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ADOPTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF THE VILLAGE OF GRANDVIEW, ILLINOIS  
THIS 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF Aug, 2011

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*BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF GRANDVIEW, ILLINOIS:*

**Section 1: Definitions**

The following words and phrases for the purpose of this ordinance shall have the meaning respectively ascribed to them in this section:

(a) **GARBAGE.** Garbage is hereby defined to include all putrescible (or easily decomposable) wastes, including vegetable and animal matter produced or resulting from the use and storage of food for human consumption.

(b) **ASHES.** Ashes is hereby defined to include the solid residue from outdoor cooking, recreational fires, and authorized burning of landscape waste.

(c) **HOUSEHOLD RUBBISH.** Household Rubbish is hereby defined as tin cans, metal utensils, bottles, glass, crockery, paper, boxes, rags, discarded clothing or footwear and all domestic wastes and similar refuse resulting from the regular operations of a household, not classed as Garbage, Ashes, Bulky Waste, or Construction Debris.

(d) **BULKY WASTE.** Bulky Waste is hereby defined as furniture, box springs, mattresses and other discarded household items with weights or volumes greater than those allowed for Containers. It also shall mean television sets, kitchen stoves, clothes dryers, clothes washers, furnaces, humidifiers, hot water heaters, trash compactors, dishwashers, refrigerators, freezers, central air conditioners, window air conditioners,

dehumidifiers, and other appliances, metal sinks, metal counter tops, and bathroom fixtures such as porcelain toilets, vanity sinks, bathtubs and all other related items.

e) CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS. Construction Debris is hereby defined as building materials resulting from construction, remodeling, repair or demolition operations; except that occasional residential construction debris placed in a container for collection shall be treated as rubbish.

f) REFUSE. Refuse is hereby defined as Garbage, Ashes, and Household Rubbish.

g) RECYCLABLES. Recyclables are hereby defined as materials that would otherwise become municipal waste, including without limitation newspapers, glass, metal cans, aluminum cans, and plastic items that are placed by a resident in a recycling container at curbside and collected by the waste disposal service's curbside recycling program in order to eventually be separated or processed and returned to the economic mainstream in the form of raw materials for new, reused, or reconstituted products.

h) CONTAINER. A Container is hereby defined as a receptacle with a capacity of greater than 20 gallons constructed of plastic, metal or fiberglass, having handles of adequate strength for lifting and having a tight fitting lid capable of preventing entrance into the container by animals, and it shall also mean plastic bags, which when full shall not exceed forty (40) pounds gross weight, which shall have sufficient wall strength to maintain physical integrity when lifted by the top, and which shall be securely tied at the top and kept in a secure place away from animals prior to scheduled collection by a waste disposal service. Container shall also mean a recycling collection bins selected and

furnished by the waste disposal service, or other suitable receptacles agreeable to that purpose.

i) LEAF BAGS. Leaf Bags is hereby defined as heavy paper, closed biodegradable bags containing leaves, grass, and appropriate-size garden and yard waste.

j) WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE. Waste Disposal Service is hereby defined as the person or entity authorized by owner, tenant, or lessee of any private premises, or duly authorized under common law or by the village board, to collect and remove garbage, rubbish, ashes, bulky waste, and construction debris.

k) COLLECTION PLACE. Collection place is hereby defined as the location where garbage, rubbish and recyclables are placed prior to scheduled collection it shall be outside each residence or dwelling at the street edge, curb, gutter or rear edge of the sidewalk or at a properly constructed storage area acceptable to the waste disposal service and is readily accessible the waste disposal service's personnel; service for the infirmed or disabled will be at the convenience of the resident and treated as an exception.

## **Section 2: Duty of Village Residents Regarding Disposal and Storage of Garbage and Other Rubbish**

The owner, occupant or lessee of any premises in the village shall remove from such premises or otherwise dispose of all refuse, bulky waste and construction debris of every description whatsoever at least once each week, and shall keep such premises at all times free and clear of any accumulation of refuse, bulky waste and construction debris of every description whatsoever.

### **Section 3: Garbage Containers**

The owner, occupant or lessee of any premises in the village, upon which shall accumulate any refuse, shall provide or cause to be provided, and shall maintain clean and in good repair, adequate containers.

### **Section 4: Storage of Garbage and Other Rubbish**

It shall be the duty of every owner, occupant or lessee of any premises in the village to cause all refuse as defined in this ordinance, to be deposited in the containers provided for garbage: provided, however, that it shall not be unlawful for any owner, occupant, or lessee of any premises in the village to dispose of any garbage, ashes, or household rubbish which may be produced, on his own premises, when such disposal is accomplished in a manner which does not create a nuisance or cause annoyance or discomfort to the inhabitants of the village. And, while storing refuse, bulky waste, construction debris, or recyclables prior to collection, the owner, occupant or lessee of any premises in the village shall maintain that such storage shall not create a fire hazard, a breeding ground for rodents and vermin, or in any way endanger the safety and welfare of any person.

### **Section 5: Burning Garbage or Other Rubbish**

It shall be unlawful for any person to burn or set fire to, or cause to be burned, or cause to be set afire, any refuse or construction debris as defined in this ordinance at any place within the village.

### **Section 6: Placement of Garbage Containers**

All containers for refuse, ashes, and recyclables shall be placed outside the

residence in an accessible place and at ground level. Where there is an alley accessible to the residence, such receptacles shall be placed adjacent to the alley as close to the property lies as practicable.

(a) All containers for refuse and recyclables shall be placed by residents at the collection place of the premises served not earlier than 24 hours prior to contracted pick up day.

(b) All empty containers must be removed from collection place sites within 24 hours of set collection day.

(c) While in use during the week and excluding the contracted pick up day, all containers must be kept behind the face-line of the individual premises being served.

(d) No container shall be placed so as to constitute a nuisance to adjacent property or to the occupants thereof.

#### **Section 7: Leaf Bags**

Leaf bags may be placed curbside along public streets and on the public parkway for pickup by a waste disposal service.

a) Owners, tenants, or lessees of any private premise in the village shall be responsible for purchasing their own yard waste stickers for individual use.

b) All curbside leaf bags must display a yard waste sticker, as required by waste disposal services for yard waste pick-up services.

c) Leaf bags shall not be placed less than 10 feet from any storm drain inlet, nor shall they create a safety hazard for vehicles, bicyclists or pedestrians.

d) Owners, tenants, or lessees of any private premise in the village shall be

responsible for all leaf bags placed curbside at their residences. Leaf bags shall not be allowed to degrade into a condition unsuitable for pick-up. Uncollected leaf bags shall not be allowed to remain curbside beyond a normal yard waste pick-up cycle or period greater than two weeks.

**Section 8: Littering**

It shall be unlawful for any person to deposit or permit to fall from any vehicle in or upon any sidewalk, street, alley, park, or other public place in the village, garbage or rubbish of any kind whatsoever.

**Section 9: Enforcement**

Any violation of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), and each day on which an offense is committed or allowed to continue shall constitute a separate offense.

**SECTION 10: Effective Date; Publication; Repeal of Prior Ordinances**

This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law. All prior ordinances of the Village of Grandview relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance are hereby repealed. The Clerk shall forthwith publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form.

PASSED this 2nd day of Aug, 2011.



VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

Madeleine Bates

Village Clerk

AYES: 6

NAYS: 0

PASSED: 6

APPROVED: 6

ABSENT: 0





