

Chapter 114

GARBAGE, RUBBISH and REFUSE

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GENERAL REFERENCES

Junkyards — See Ch. 128.

§ 114-1. Prohibited disposal.

- A. No person shall throw, cast or direct or permit any garbage, trash, refuse or rubbish of any kind to be thrown upon any street, walk, lawn, road, park or other public place or upon any private property, whether owned by such person or not, within the village; and further, no person shall cast, place or sweep anywhere within the village any rubbish or refuse (grass clippings) in such a manner that it may be carried or deposited by the elements upon any street, sidewalk, alley, sewer, drain, gutter, parkway or other public place or into any occupied premises within the village.

- B. No person shall throw, dump, deposit or place, or cause to be thrown, dumped, deposited or placed, upon any street within the village or within the limits of the right-of-way of such street or upon private lands adjacent thereto, any refuse, trash, garbage, rubbish, litter or any noxious or offensive matter.¹

§ 114-2. Unlawful storage.

It shall be unlawful for any person, either as owner, occupant, lessee, agent, tenant or otherwise, to store or deposit or cause or permit to be stored or deposited abandoned, junked or discarded refrigerators, stoves, furnaces, furniture items or building materials on any residential or commercial property or on any other property in the village not specifically designated by the Zoning Ordinance² or other ordinances or by licensed use for such storage or disposition.

§ 114-3. Definitions and word usage.

- A. For the purposes of this chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

DUMPING — The throwing, placing, depositing or leaving, or causing to be dumped, thrown, placed, deposited or left, of any refuse of any kind or any object or substance which tends to pollute, mark or deface, into, upon or about any public street, highway, alley, road, right-of-way, park or other public place or any stream, watercourse or any other body of water, except by direction of some public officer or employee authorized by law to direct or permit such acts.

- B. The term "shall" is mandatory; "may" is permissive.³

¹ Editor's Note: Amended at time of adoption of Code; see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. I.

² Editor's Note: See Ch. 200, Zoning.

³ Editor's Note: Added at time of adoption of Code; see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. I.

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§ 114-4. Permitted curbside deposit.

This chapter does not permit the placing of household garbage (or waste) cans or bags, nor approved recyclable materials, curbside for Thursday pickup before 4:00 p.m. the afternoon preceding pickup, and furthermore cans or bags must be removed from curbside by 7:00 p.m. the day of scheduled pickup.

§ 114-5. Importation and dumping prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person, whether said person is a resident of the Village of Vernon or not, to engage in the importation and dumping within the boundaries of the Village of Vernon.

§ 114-6. Penalties for offenses.⁴

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this chapter shall be guilty of a violation and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.) or be subject to imprisonment for not more than fifteen (15) days. Each violation of this chapter shall be deemed a separate offense.

⁴ Editor's Note: Amended at time of adoption of Code; see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. I.

