

CITY OF ST. CHARLES

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OF THE ST. CHARLES MUNICIPAL CODE

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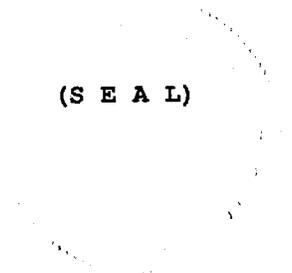
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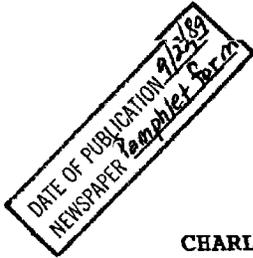
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AUTHORITY OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF ST. CHARLES,
KANE AND DU PAGE COUNTIES,
ILLINOIS, THIS 22ND DAY OF
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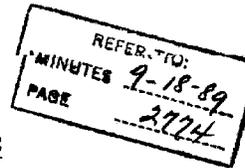
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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. CHARLES, KANE AND DU PAGE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, as follows:

1. That Title 8, "Health and Safety", Chapter 8.24 "Garbage and Refuse" of the St. Charles Municipal Code be and is hereby amended by deleting the same and substituting the following therefore:

"CHAPTER 8.24 Garbage and Refuse

"Sections:

8.24.010	Definitions.
8.24.020	Approved Containers.
8.24.030	Collection Services.
8.24.040	Charges and Bills.
8.24.050	Uncovered Garbage.
8.24.060	Wind-Blown Dust, Ashes or Trash.
8.24.070	Deposits on Streets.
8.24.080	Consent of Owner.
8.24.090	Title to Wastes.
8.24.095	Unlawful Removal of Recyclable Materials.
8.24.096	Unlawful Damage to City Recycling Containers.
8.24.097	Disposal of Compostable Materials.
8.24.098	Removal of Pre-Paid Bags or Stickers.
8.24.100	Penalty for Violation of Chapter 8.24.
8.24.110	Effective Date.

"8.24.010 DEFINITIONS.

As used in this Chapter, the following words shall have the meanings ascribed to them as follows:

A. 'Garbage and Rubbish' means:

1. All household and kitchen wastes, such as discarded food or food residues and paper used for wrapping same, books, newspapers, boxes, cartons, aluminum, tin cans, bottles, non-combustible trash (including but not limited to metals, glass crockery, other mineral waste) and street rubbish;

2. Furniture, appliances (including but not limited to ranges, TVs, microwaves, refrigerators, dishwashers, washing machines, dryers, room air conditioners, freezers, hot water heaters), automobile tires and wheels;

3. Small amounts of sod, earth, ashes and rocks in containers not exceeding fifty (50) pounds each; and

4. Home remodeling and repair construction materials in containers or bundles not exceeding four (4) feet in length, not weighing over seventy-five (75) pounds per container or bundle;

5. 'Garbage and Rubbish' does not include earth and wastes from building operation, solid wastes resulting from industrial processes and manufacturing operations such as food processing wastes, boiler house cinders, lumber, scraps and shavings.

B. 'Compostable Material' means grass, garden clippings and leaves.

C. 'Recyclable Material' means aluminum cans, tin/steel cans, plastic milk jugs, newspaper, and glass bottles/containers.

D. 'Administrative Services Director' means the Administrative Services Director of the City of St. Charles, and his or her authorized agent.

E. 'Pre-paid Sticker' means a specially designated sticker bearing a logo depicted on Exhibit A to be attached (as an option to affixing a pre-paid bag) to items too large to fit in refuse bags, as a means for paying for disposal of said items.

"8.24.020 APPROVED CONTAINERS.

A. Types of Approved Containers

1. Containers to be used for the pickup of garbage and rubbish shall be:

a. Pre-paid disposable refuse bags, exclusively supplied by the City's refuse hauler, bearing a logo as depicted on Exhibit A, not less than 1.4 mil gauge plastic, made of materials that will bio-degrade within a landfill environment within ten (10) years from date of disposal, and not exceeding a total weight when filled of fifty (50) pounds; or

h. Tightly covered metal or other non-corrodible material containers which are water-tight, do not exceed thirty-three (33) gallon capacity, and do not exceed a total weight when filled of fifty (50) pounds, and lined with a pre-paid disposable refuse bag/liner. Said containers (metal/other non-corrodible material) shall have secure handles for convenient lifting and carrying; or

c. Ninety (90) gallon mobile toters provided exclusively by the City's contracted refuse hauler clearly marked 'Garbage and Rubbish Only'.

2. Containers to be used for the pickup of compostable materials shall be:

(a) Pre-paid disposable refuse bags or liners clearly marked (color coded) for the disposal of compostable materials, constructed of 1/50 natural Kraft, 1/50 wet strength printed with one color, one side water soluble ink and extra wet strength adhesive. Said bags shall be exclusively supplied by the City's contracted refuse hauler; or

(b) A clearly marked ninety (90) gallon mobile toter used for the disposal of compostable materials provided exclusively by the City's contracted refuse hauler.

3. 'Recycling Bins': Containers to be used for the pickup of recyclable materials shall be made of non-corrodible materials, and made available through the City exclusively.

B. Disposal in Containers Required

For single-family dwellings and multifamily dwelling units, it is unlawful to dispose of any recyclable material, garbage and rubbish or compostable material anywhere in the City except through placement of such material in the types of approved containers described in Sec.8.24.020(A), and placed for collection as herein prescribed or, in the case of compostable materials, placed in a City-approved Drop-off Center. The fee for such collection at single-family and multi-family dwelling units shall be such as are set from time to time by the City Council. For commercial, industrial, school and other nonresidential establishments, it is unlawful to dispose of any garbage, refuse, compost-able material, or recyclable material anywhere in the City except in an incinerator or disposal device, properly constructed and operated by a lawfully established garbage or refuse pickup service.

C. Commingling Prohibited

No compostable material or garbage and rubbish (other than recyclable material) shall be placed in any recycling bin. No garbage and rubbish or recyclable material shall be placed in any containers designated for compostable materials (as defined in Section 8.24.020 [2]).

D. Replacement of Recycling Bins

Any damage to or loss of recycling bins shall be reported to the St. Charles Police Department by the primary user of the recycling bins or by the person responsible for the damage or loss within 24 hours of the damage or loss. The cost to repair or replace recycling bins damaged or lost due to negligence shall be borne by the person responsible for the damage or loss.

E. Title to Containers

All recycling bins and 90 gallon toters shall remain property of the City and the City's refuse hauler, respectively, and shall not be removed from the property on which the dwelling unit is located without the written consent of the Administrative Services Director.

"8.24.030 COLLECTION SERVICES.**A. Location for Pickup****1. Dwellings of 4 or less units:**

(a) All single family dwellings and multi-family dwellings comprised of four (4) or less units (not in a complex of more than four total units) shall be picked up at curbside, unless otherwise authorized by the Administrative Services Director.

(b) All containers shall be placed in a manner readily accessible for collection immediately behind the curb (i.e., on the parkway) at the street or at the alley lot line, as designated by the Administrative Services Director, no earlier than seven p.m. on the day preceding the day on which collection is scheduled and no later than six a.m. on the day of collection. The empty containers shall be removed as soon as possible but, in no event later than seven p.m. on the day of collection.

2. Dwellings of more than 4 units:

All multi-family dwellings comprised of more than four (4) units shall be provided a common garbage

and refuse container, and a recyclable materials depository or a recycling bin (as designated by the Administrative Services Director).

B. Routes and Schedules

The routes and schedules for collection of refuse and recyclable materials shall be depicted on Exhibit B.

"8.24.040 CHARGES AND BILLS.

A. The charges for garbage and rubbish, compostable material and recyclable material collection service within the corporate limits of the City shall be as follows:

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>COST</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>COST</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>UNIT COST PER MONTH</u>
10/1/89 to 5/31/90	Curbside garbage/ refuse bag or sticker	\$1.00/ bag or sticker	Curbside Compostable Material	\$1.00/ bag	Common Refuse Container; Common Recycl. Depository	\$2.50
6/1/90 to 5/31/91	Curbside garbage/ refuse bag or sticker	\$1.01/ bag or sticker	Curbside Compostable Material	\$1.01/ bag	Common Refuse Container; Common Recycl. Depository	\$2.58
6/1/91 to 5/31/92	Curbside garbage/ refuse bag or sticker	\$1.03/ bag or sticker	Curbside Compostable Material	\$1.03/ bag	Common Refuse Container; Common Recycl. Depository	\$2.66
6/1/92 to 5/31/93	Curbside garbage/ refuse bag or sticker	\$1.05/ bag or sticker	Curbside Compostable Material	\$1.05/ bag	Common Refuse Container; Common Recycl. Depository	\$2.74
6/1/93 to 5/31/94	Curbside garbage/ refuse bag or sticker	\$1.07/ bag or sticker	Curbside Compostable Material	\$1.07/ bag	Common Refuse Container; Common Recycl. Depository	\$2.83

R. One pre-paid bag or one pre-paid sticker (as defined herein) shall be securely and visibly attached to (a) every container containing sod, earth and/or rocks; (b) every bundle or container of home remodeling and repair construction materials, not to exceed 2 cubic yards; and (c) one pre-paid bag or sticker for every two appliances, automobile tires or automobile wheels, or pieces of furniture left out for collection.

C. Bills for the collection of garbage and rubbish and recyclable material to multi-family dwellings over four units shall be sent out monthly. The due date of bills shall be fifteen days from the date of billing.

D. Late payments shall include an additional ten percent charge.

"8.24.050 UNCOVERED GARBAGE.

It is unlawful to place or permit to remain anywhere in the City any garbage, or other material subject to decay other than leaves or grass, and other than recyclable material placed in a recycling bin, excepting in a tightly covered container.

"8.24.060 WIND-BLOWN DUST, ASHES OR TRASH.

It is unlawful to cause or permit to accumulate, except in a covered container, any dust, ashes, or trash or such material that can be blown away by the wind anywhere in the City.

"8.24.070 DEPOSITS ON STREETS.

It is unlawful to deposit or permit to fall from any vehicle any garbage, refuse compostable material or ashes on any public street or alley in the City; provided that this section shall not be construed to prohibit placing garbage and rubbish, recyclable material and compostable material as herein defined in a container complying with the provisions of this Chapter preparatory to having such garbage, rubbish, recyclable material and compostable material collected and disposed of in the manner provided in Section 8.24.030.

"8.24.080 CONSENT OF OWNER.

It is unlawful to dump or place any garbage, refuse compostable material or ashes on any premises in the City without the consent of the owner of such premises.

"8.24.090 TITLE TO WASTES.

All garbage, rubbish, compostable and recyclable materials collected in accordance with the terms hereof shall become and be the property of the Contractor as soon as the same is picked up or otherwise placed in the Contractor's vehicle.

"8.24.095 UNLAWFUL REMOVAL OF RECYCLABLE MATERIAL.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, except a refuse collector contracting with the City, to remove any item of recyclable material including newspaper, aluminum or bimetal cans, glass bottles or plastic milk containers placed in or adjacent to City recycling containers.

"8.24.096 UNLAWFUL DAMAGE TO CITY RECYCLING CONTAINERS.

Except as authorized by the City Council, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to remove, from a residential premises at which it is located, or to damage, any City recycling container.

"8.24.097 DISPOSAL OF COMPOSTABLE MATERIALS.

Compostable materials shall not be commingled with garbage and refuse or with recyclable materials, but shall be disposed of in compliance with state law.

"8.24.098 REMOVAL OF PRE-PAID BAGS OR STICKERS.

Any person other than the City's contracted refuse hauler who takes furniture, appliances or other items left for collection from curbside shall remove any pre-paid bags or stickers from said items, and leave the bags or stickers at the dwelling unit from which the items were left for collection.

"8.24.100 PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF CHAPTER 8.24.

The person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this Chapter shall be fined not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each offense, and a separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which the violation occurs or continues.

"8.24.110 EFFECTIVE DATE.

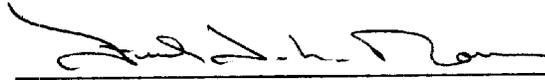
This Ordinance shall become effective no sooner than October 1, 1989."

2. That after the adoption and approval hereof this Ordinance shall (i) be printed or published in book or pamphlet form, published by the authority of the City Council, or (ii) within thirty (30) days after the adoption and approval hereof, be published in a newspaper published in and with a general circulation within the City of St. Charles.

PRESENTED to the City Council of the City of St. Charles, Illinois, this 18th day of September, 1989.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of St. Charles, Illinois, this 18th day of September, 1989.

APPROVED by the Mayor of the City of St. Charles, Illinois, this 18th day of September, 1989.



 Mayor

ATTEST:

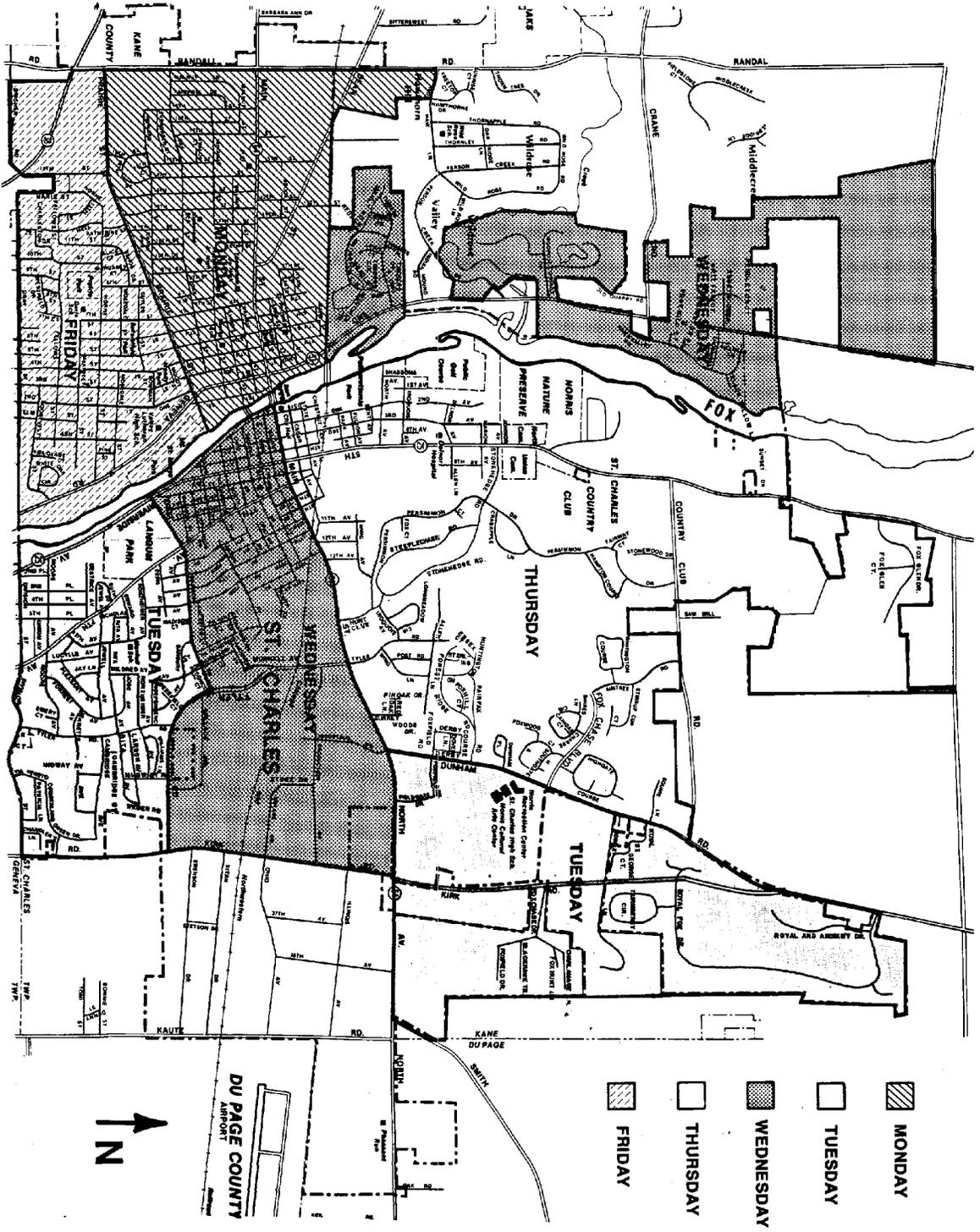


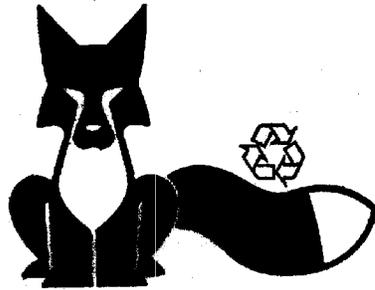
 City Clerk

COUNCIL VOTE:

Ayes: 9
 Nays: 0
 Absent: 1

ST. CHARLES DISPOSAL PICK UP-MAP





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