

CURBSIDE COLLECTION REGULATIONS FOR ALL HAULER BUSINESSES

Curbside collection zones have been in effect for a number of years now, and customers should be receiving correct information from their service providers. The purpose of this letter is to inform and remind all haulers specifically of the provisions for curbside collection - see the following section taken from the municipal code.

Section 11-54. Curbside collection; schedule

(B) Except for persons collecting recyclable materials pursuant to a contract with the city, the schedule allowing curbside collection to occur shall be in the following areas within the city only on the designated days as provided herein:

Monday: The geographical area which is located south of and including both sides of Illinois Street and the extension thereof, and west of and including both sides of Anderson Street and the extension thereof; and

Tuesday: The geographical area which is located south of and including both sides of Illinois Street and the extension thereof, and east of Anderson Street and the extension thereof; and

Wednesday: The geographical area which is located north of Illinois Street and the extension thereof.

If a city-observed holiday should occur on one (1) of the designated days, haulers will be allowed to provide curbside collection on the day following the holiday for that geographical area. The occurrence of such holiday may impact subsequent designated curbside collection days; therefore, if such holiday should occur on Monday, that geographical area will be allowed to be collected on Tuesday; if Tuesday, that geographical area will be allowed to be collected on Wednesday; if Wednesday, that geographical area will be allowed to be collected on Thursday; for the remainder of such week.

Enclosed is a map for your use, which depicts these collection zones. Code provisions regarding municipal waste are found on page 13 [Chapter 11, Article IV, Division 2] of the enclosed pamphlet for your reference. **Please take time to read this information.** In addition, other significant sections (in abbreviated language) are also provided here for your information.

Section 11-53 (C) All waste must be placed into appropriately sized containers – except occasional large bulky waste.

Section 11-53 (D) [40 hour rule] Waste containers are only allowed to remain in a front yard or upon the parkway for a 40 hour period – from 6:00 pm. the day before until 10:00 am. the day after the designated curbside day.

Section 11-53 (E) Haulers shall return containers in such a manner so not to obstruct street, sidewalk or driveway.

Section 11-54 (A)(1) Curbside collection of waste is only allowed for residential dwellings (structures containing 6 or fewer dwellings).

Several firms will likely need to change collection days for some of their customers in order to operate in full compliance with the code. If there are any questions, you may contact Jason Arrasmith, Environmental Compliance Officer by phone at (217) 384-2416 or by email at jlarrasmith@urbanainllinois.us.