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Chapter 8.04

GARBAGE AND WASTE**

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8.04.010 Collection service.

The city shall provide by contract for the collection of solid waste, except bulky rubbish as provided in Section 8.04.50, from residential and commercial premises. Failure to comply with any pre-sort requirements will result in the imposition of any or all of the following penalties:

- A. The customer's solid waste will not be collected by the contractor, and such refusal to collect and remove shall not excuse the customer from the obligation to pay full fees for such services; and
- B. Such solid waste will be removed from the residence, with any and all additional fees or other form of expense therefor billed to the city by the contractor and charged back to the noncomplying customer at one hundred fifty percent thereof.

(Ord. No. 323, § 2(8.04.10), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.010 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.010 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.010 pertained to definitions and derived from Ord. No. 214 § 1, 1974.

8.04.020 Collection vehicles.

Vehicles or containers used for the collection and transportation of garbage and similar putrescible waste or solid waste containing such materials shall be leakproof, durable and of easily cleanable construction. They shall be cleaned to prevent nuisances, pollution or insect breeding and shall be maintained in good repair.

(Ord. No. 323, § 2(8.04.20), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.020 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.020 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.020 pertained to administration and derived from Ord. No. 214 § 3, 1974.

8.04.030 Loading.

Vehicles or containers used for the collection and transportation of any solid waste shall be loaded and moved in such a manner that the contents will not fall, leak, or spill therefrom, and shall be covered to prevent blowing or loss of material. Where spillage does occur, the material shall be picked up immediately by the collector or transporter and returned to the vehicle or container and the area properly cleaned.

(Ord. No. 323, § 2(8.04.30), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.030 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.030 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.030 pertained to duty to provide cans and derived from Ord. No. 214 § 2, 1974.

8.04.040 Frequency of collection.

All solid waste shall be collected from residential premises at least once each week and from commercial, industrial and institutional premises as frequently as may be necessary.

(Ord. No. 323, \S 2(8.04.40), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.040 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.040 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.040 pertained to storage and derived from Ord. 214 § 4, 1974; and Ord. 289 § 1, 2003.

8.04.050 Bulky rubbish.

Bulky rubbish which is too large or heavy to be collected in the normal manner of other solid waste may be collected by the collector upon request in accordance with procedures therefor established by the council.

(Ord. No. 323, § 2(8.04.50), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.050 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.050 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.050 pertained to rules and regulations and derived from Ord. 214 § 5, 1974.

8.04.060 Right of entry.

Solid waste collectors are hereby authorized to enter upon private property for the purpose of collecting solid

waste therefrom as required by this chapter; however, solid waste collectors shall not enter dwelling units or other residential buildings.

(Ord. No. 323, \S 2(8.04.60), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.060 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.060 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.060 pertained to collection and derived from Ord. 214 § 6, 1974.

8.04.070 Contract requirements.

No person shall engage in the business of collecting, transporting, processing or disposing of solid waste for the city without first entering into a contract with the city. This section does not prohibit an owner from transporting solid waste accumulating upon premises owned, occupied or used by such owner, provided such refuse is disposed of properly in an approved sanitary disposal project. Furthermore, a contract is not required for the removal, hauling, or disposal of earth and rock material from grading or excavation activities, provided that all such materials are conveyed in tight vehicles, trucks or receptacles so constructed and maintained that none of the material being transported is spilled upon any public right-of-way. (Ord. No. 323, § 2(8.04.70), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note-Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.070 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.070 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.070 pertained to permit required and derived from Ord. 214 § 7, 1974.

8.04.080 Collection fees.

The collection and disposal of solid waste as provided by this chapter are declared to be beneficial to the property served or eligible to be served and there shall be levied and collected a fee therefor in accordance with the following:

A. Fee for Collection. The monthly fee for solid waste collection and disposal service for each single family residence and for each dwelling unit of multi-family residences will be set by the council by resolution. The monthly fee is for each residence and will apply whether or not the service is used. The monthly fee is for one container provided by the contractor. If any residence has additional solid waste they must contact the contractor.

- B. Fines Imposed. Containers for solid waste left standing at the curb or alley line for collection longer than three days will be removed by the city and the resident will be fined fifteen dollars for each occurrence.
- C. Payment of Bills. All fees and charges for collection and disposal of solid waste shall be billed on the monthly combined utility service bill for the residence and such fees shall be due and payable under the same terms and conditions provided for the payment of combined utility service bills in Chapter 13.08 of the Corydon Municipal Code. Solid waste collection service may be discontinued if the combined service account becomes delinquent. (Ord. No. 323, § 2(8.04.80), 4-6-2015)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015 deleted § 8.04.080 in its entirety and enacted a new § 8.04.080 to read as set out herein. Former § 8.04.080 pertained to fees—schedule and derived from Ord. 214 §12, 1974; Ord. 258 §1, 1991; Ord. 267 §1, 1994; Ord. 271 §1, 1994; Ord. 289 §2, 2003; Ord. 296 §1, 2005; and Ord. 306, § 2, 8-7-2008.

8.04.090 Reserved.

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015, repealed § 8.04.090 in its entirety. Former § 8.04.090 pertained to fees—collection and derived from Ord. 214 §11, 1974; and Ord. 292 §1, 2003.

8.04.100 Fees--Penalty charge.

Solid waste collection and disposal fees which are not paid when due by full payment of the monthly combined utility service bill shall be deemed delinquent. If payment of the fee for collection and disposal of solid waste is delinquent, then all city utilities including water service, sewer service and solid waste collection and disposal service shall be discontinued and shall not be restored until payment of all unpaid due or delinquent combined utility service bills, including any late payment charges, has been made along with any required reconnection fees and any utility service deposit fees required by the city. (Ord. 292 §2, 2003: Ord. 214 §13, 1974).

8.04.110 Reserved.

Editor's note—Ord. No. 323, § 2, adopted April 6, 2015, repealed § 8.04.110 in its entirety. Former § 8.04.110 pertained to fees--due date and derived from Ord. 214 §14, 1974; and Ord. 292 §3, 2003.

8.04.120 Fees--Delinquent.

Solid waste collection and disposal fees and charges remaining unpaid and delinquent by failure to make full payment of the monthly combined utility service bill shall constitute a lien upon the premises served and shall be certified by the city clerk to the county auditor or county treasurer for collection in the same manner as real estate property taxes unless the provisions for lien exemption relating to residential rental properties have been satisfied for the premises. (Ord. 292 §4, 2003: Ord. 214 §15, 1974).

8.04.130 Waste, litter and grass clippings prohibited.

- A. It is unlawful to discharge or place any industrial or commercial waste, any wastewater, any other waste liquid, or any dirt onto the sidewalks, alleys or streets of the city.
- B. It is unlawful to throw, place, or deposit any litter, grass clippings, lawn clippings, leaves, twigs or branches onto any city street, or to cause, permit or allow the throwing, placement or depositing of any litter, grass clippings, lawn clippings, leaves, twigs or branches onto any city street.
- C. Any violation of this section shall, upon conviction, be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010 of this code. (Ord. 295 §1, 2004: amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 177 §§1, 2, 1953).

8.04.140 Burning of refuse.

It is unlawful to burn any garbage in trash containers or any other place except in incinerators approved by the council or city superintendent. Combustible materials which normally can burn without odor may be burned in trash containers and incinerators, provided objectionable odors and smoke nuisance do not occur, subject to any further restrictions in air pollution control laws or ordinances of the city. (Ord. 214 §8, 1974).

8.04.150 Refuse other than garbage.

Each person shall dispose of all refuse other than garbage and rubbish accumulating on the premises he owns or occupies before it becomes a nuisance. If it does become a nuisance, it will be dealt with as provided in Chapter 8.08. (Ord. 214 §9, 1974).

8.04.160 Sanitary landfill.

The council, by resolution, may designate a sanitary landfill and establish reasonable rules and regulations necessary to control its use by the public. The council, by resolution, may provide for such charges for the use thereof within the range set by this chapter or for special cases not covered in this chapter. (Ord. 214 §10, 1974).

8.04.170 Penalty for violation. Anyone violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 214 §16, 1974).

Chapter 8.06

YARD WASTE

Sections:

- 8.06.010 Definitions.
- 8.06.020 Separation of yard waste required.
- 8.06.010 Definitions. For use in this chapter, "yard waste" means organic debris (e.g. grass clippings, leaves, tree limbs, bark, branches, flowers, etc.) which is produced as part of yard and garden development and maintenance. (Ord. 257 §1(part), 1990).
- 8.06.020 Separation of yard waste required. All yard waste shall be separated by the owner or occupant from all other garbage and refuse accumulated on the premises and set out for collection by the city. (Ord. 257 §1(part), 1990).

Chapter 8.08

NUISANCES*

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- 8.08.090 Failure to abate.
- 8.08.100 Penalty for violation.

For statutory provisions authorizing cities to abate nuisances, see Code 1977 §364.12(3)(a); for provisions on nuisances generally, see Code 1977 Ch. 657.

- 8.08.010 Definition. Whatever is injurious to the senses, or an obstruction to the free use of property, so as essentially to interfere with the comfortable enjoyment of life or property, is a nuisance, including, but not limited to, the following:
 - A. All diseased animals running at large;
- B. All ponds or pools of stagnant water;C. Carcasses of animals not disposed of within twenty-four hours after death as provided by law;
 - D. Accumulations of refuse;
- E. All noxious weeds and other rank growth upon public or private property;
- F. Dense smoke, noxious fumes, gas and soot, or cinders, in unreasonable quantities;
 - G. The public use of obscene language;
- H. Annoying noises, noxious or offensive odors or other annoyances due to the keeping and maintenance of a collection, pack or group of dogs or other animal or fowl, domestic or otherwise;
- The maintenance of any building or structure in such a neglected or dilapidated condition as to endanger persons approaching or entering the same or as to attract or harbor

animal pests or as to be generally offensive to the surrounding property owners. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 200 §9, 1967).

- 8.08.020 Prohibited. The creation or maintenance of a nuisance by any person is prohibited. (Ord. 200 §1, 1967).
- 8.08.030 Abatement--Notice--Required--Person defined.

 A. Whenever the mayor, or such other officers as provided by law, finds that a nuisance exists, he shall cause to be served upon the owner, agent or occupant of the property on which the nuisance is located, or upon the person causing or maintaining the nuisance, a written notice to abate the nuisance or to request a hearing as provided in Section 8.08.080.
- B. "Person" includes, for purposes of this chapter, any individual, firm, corporation, trust, any other organized group or any government. (Ord. 200 §2, 1967).
- 8.08.040 Abatement--Notice--Contents. The notice to abate shall contain:
- A. An order to abate the nuisance or request a hearing, as provided by Section 8.08.080, within a stated time which shall be reasonable under the circumstances;
 - B. The location of the nuisance, if stationary;
 - C. A description of what constitutes the nuisance;
- D. A statement of act or acts necessary to abate the nuisance;
- E. A statement that if the nuisance is not abated as directed and no request for hearing is made within the time prescribed, the city will abate it and assess the cost against such person. (Ord. 200 §3, 1967).
- 8.08.050 Abatement--Notice--Method of service. The notice to abate shall be served by the marshal, where practical, upon the named person in the manner provided by law for the personal service of original notices. Return of service shall be made as provided by law for returns of personal service. (Ord. 200 §4, 1967).
- 8.08.060 Abatement--Municipality authority. If the person notified as prescribed by this chapter neglects or fails to abate the nuisance as directed, the mayor, or other officers initiating the notice, may cause the nuisance to be abated, keeping an accurate account of the expense incurred. The expense account shall be fully itemized, verified and filed with the city clerk. Such expenses shall be paid by the municipality. (Ord. 200 §5, 1967).

Abatement--Collection of costs. 8.08.070

The clerk shall mail a statement of the total cost to the person failing to abide by the notice to abate. If the amount shown by the statement has not been paid within one month, the clerk shall either certify the costs to the county auditor, and it shall be collected with, and in the same manner as general property taxes; or initiate collection action against the property owner by any other legal method of collection. (Ord. 200 §6, 1967).

(Ord. No. 312, § 2, 7-9-2012)

8.08.080 Abatement -- Request for hearing and appeal.

- Any person ordered to abate a nuisance may have a hearing with the officer ordering the abatement as to whether a nuisance exists.
- A request for a hearing must be made in writing and delivered to the officer ordering the abatement within the time stated in the notice, or it will be conclusively presumed that a nuisance exists and that it must be abated as ordered.
- At the conclusion of the hearing, the hearing officer shall render a written decision as to whether a nuisance exists. If he finds that a nuisance exists, he must order it abated within an additional time which must be reasonable under the circumstances.
- An appeal from this decision may be had by immediately filing a written notice with the hearing officer. This appeal will be heard before the city council at a time and place fixed by the council.
- The findings of the council shall be conclusive and, if a nuisance is found to exist, it shall be ordered abated within a time reasonable under the circumstances. (Ord. 200 §7, 1967) .

8.08.090 Failure to abate.

Any person who fails to abate a nuisance as defined in this chapter, under the final order as provided in this chapter, shall be punished as provided in Section 8.08.100 hereof. (Ord. 200 §8, 1967).

8.08.100 Penalty for violation.

Anyone violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be punished as provided in Section

1.12.010. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 200 §10, 1967).

Chapter 8.09

NOISE NUISANCES

Sections:

8.09.010 Declaration of nuisance.

8.09.020 Variances.

8.09.030 Penalty.

8.09.010 Declaration of nuisance.

The following activities are hereby determined and declared to constitute noise nuisances:

- A. The use of engine back-pressure breaking systems on trucks, commonly known as "jake brakes";
- B. The operation of a vehicle sound system (including but not limited to a radio, tape player, stereo, compact disc player or any other sound amplification device whether actually installed in a vehicle or simply being transported within a vehicle) that can be heard at a distance of one-hundred feet or greater from the vehicle. (Ord. 288 §1 (part), 2003).

8.09.020 Variances.

The mayor, chief of police (city marshal) or the city council may grant a temporary variance to this ordinance to facilitate special events, subject to such terms and conditions as may be established. Any violation of any of the terms and conditions of the variance shall be considered a violation of this ordinance. (Ord. 288 §1 (part), 2003).

8.09.030 Penalty.

Any person who is convicted of violating the provisions of this chapter shall be guilty of a simple misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of at least fifty dollars and not to exceed five hundred dollars or imprisonment not to exceed thirty days or both such fine and imprisonment. (Ord. 288 §1 (part), 2003).

Chapter 8.12

BOARD OF HEALTH

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8.12.020 Penalty for violation.

8.12.010 Failure to comply with orders declared misdemeanor.

In case any person willfully violates or fails, neglects or refuses to obey and comply with any of the orders, rules and regulations of the county board of health of the city, adopted and in force in the city, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. dated 4/4/92 §1).

8.12.020 Penalty for violation.

Upon conviction of a violation of Section 8.12.010, before any court of competent jurisdiction, the violator shall be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. dated 4/4/92 §2).

Chapter 8.16

MILK REGULATIONS (RESERVED)

Chapter 8.20 BURNING RESTRICTIONS*

Sections:

8.20.010 Prohibited.

8.20.020 Penalty for violation.

8.20.010 Prohibited.

The burning of any material whatever on the pavement of the streets of the city is strictly prohibited. (Ord. 112 §1, 1915).

8.20.020 Penalty for violation.

Any person violating the provisions of Section 8.12.010 is guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 112 §2, 1915).

CHAPTER 8.22

SOLID FUEL-FIRED HEATING DEVICES AND CHIMNEYS Sections:

8.22.010 Exterior solid fuel-fired heating devices prohibited.

^{*} For statutory provisions on setting out fires or allowing fires to escape, see Code 1977 §§707.5 and 707.6.

8.22.020 Penalty for violation.

8.22.010 Exterior solid fuel-fired heating devices prohibited.

Exterior solid fuel-fired heating devices and associated stacks or chimneys are prohibited in the City of Corydon. No person shall cause, allow or maintain the use of an exterior fuel-fired heating device and associated stacks or chimneys within the city limits of Corydon. (Ord. No. 335, § 2, 4-5-2018)

8.22.020 Penalty for violation.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010 of the Corydon Municipal Code. (Ord. No. 335, § 2, 4-5-2018)

Chapter 8.24

FIREWORKS*

Sections:

8.24.010 Permit required.

8.24.020 Penalty for violation.

8.24.010 Permit required.

The use of fireworks, fire-crackers, torpedoes, Roman candles, skyrockets and other pyrotechnic displays is prohibited in the city without a permit therefor from the city council. (Ord. 160 §1, 1932).

8.24.020 Penalty for violation.

Any person violating this chapter shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 160 §3, 1932).

^{*} For statutory provisions on fireworks, see Code 1977 §§732.17--732.19.

Chapter 8.28

BEEKEEPING**

Sections:

8.28.010	Beekeeping.
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8.28.020 Registration and permit.

8.28.030 Penalty for Violation.

8.28.010 Beekeeping.

Beekeeping shall be allowed in the city limits of the City of Corydon, Iowa, in residential and agricultural zones subject to the following restrictions:

- A. The minimum lot size shall be one-half acres.
- B. No more than four hives shall be permitted in residential zones and no more than ten hives shall be permitted in agricultural zones.
- C. Hives shall be located in the rear yard and have a minimum ten-foot setback from adjacent property lines.
- D. A flight path barrier shall be erected consisting of a fence, structure or planting not less than six feet tall in height in front of the hive.

 (Ord. No. 320, § 2, 7-23-2014)

Editor's note—Ord. No. 320, § 2, adopted July 23, 2014, amended § 8.28.010 in its entirety to read as set out herein. Former § 8.28.010 pertained to prohibited and derived from Ord. 172 §1, 1951.

8.28.020 Registration and permit.

- A. Prior to locating beehives in the city, the owner shall register such beehives and pay an annual permit fee to the city. The registration and permit fee for beehives shall be five dollars per year for each hive, and each registration and permit shall be renewed annually during a period commencing two weeks prior to, and ending two weeks after the original date of issue of the registration and permit of a hive.
- B. Failure to renew the registration and permit of a beehive within this time period shall result in the assess-

^{**} For statutory provisions on bees, see Code 1977 Ch. 160.

ment of a penalty in the amount of five dollars in addition to the regular registration and permit fee, and said penalty of five dollars per hive.

C. The initial registration and permit required by this chapter for all beehives shall be purchased on or before June 1, 2018. The registration and permit shall be non-transferrable. Upon the removal of a beehive from the city limits, the owner shall advise the city to void the registration and permit. No refund of the required registration and permit fee shall be made for a voided registration and permit.

(Ord. No. 334, § 2, 4-18-18)

8.28.030 Penalty for Violation.

Anyone violating this chapter shall, upon conviction, be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010. (Amended during 1978 codification; Ord. 172 §2, 1951). (Ord. No. 334, § 3, 4-18-18)

Editor's note-Formerly section 8.28.020.

Chapter 8.32

JUNK AND JUNK VEHICLES

Sections:

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8.32.020	Junk and junk vehicles prohibited.
8.32.030	Junk and junk vehicles a nuisance.
8.32.040	Exceptions.
8.32.050	Notice to abate

8.32.010 Definitions.

For use in this chapter, the following terms are defined:

- A. "Junk" means old or scrap copper, brass, rope, rags, batteries, paper, trash, rubber, debris, waste, or junked, dismantled, or wrecked automobiles, or parts of automobiles, or iron, steel, or other old or scrap ferrous or nonferrous material.
- B. "Junk vehicle" means any vehicle, legally placed in storage with the county treasurer or unlicensed, stored within the corporate limits of the city and which has any one of the following characteristics:
- 1. Broken Glass. Any vehicle with a broken or cracked windshield, window, headlight or tail light, or any other cracked or broken glass;

- 2. Broken or Loose Part. Any vehicle with a broken or loose fender, door, bumper, hood, hood ornament, door handle, window handle, running board, steering wheel, trunk top, trunk handle, radio aerial, tail pipe or decorative piece;
- 3. Habitat for Nuisance Animals or Insects. Any vehicle which has become the habitat for rats, mice, or snakes, or any other vermin or insects;
- 4. Flammable Fuel. Any vehicle which contains gasoline or other flammable fuel;
- 5. Inoperable. Any motor vehicle if it lacks an engine or two or more wheels or other structural parts which render said motor vehicle totally inoperable;
- 6. Defective or Obsolete Condition. Any other vehicle which, because of its defective or obsolete condition, in any other way constitutes a threat to the public health and safety.
- C. "Vehicle" means every device in, upon, or by which a person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a highway or street, excepting devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks, and shall include without limitation a motor vehicle, automobile, truck, motorcycle, tractor, buggy, wagon, farm machinery, or any combination thereof. (Ord. 256 §1(part), 1990).

8.32.020 Junk and junk vehicles prohibited.

It is unlawful for any person to store, accumulate, or allow to remain on any property in the person's control, any junk or junk vehicle. (Ord. 256 §1(part), 1990).

8.32.030 Junk and junk vehicles a nuisance.

It is declared that storage within the corporate limits of any junk or junk vehicle upon private property owned or controlled by the owner of the junk or junk vehicle, unless excepted by Section 8.32.040, constitutes a threat to the health and safety of the citizens and is a nuisance within the meaning of Section 657.1 of the Code of Iowa. If any junk or junk vehicle is stored upon private property in violation hereof, the owner or person in control of the property upon which it is stored shall be prima facia liable for said violations. (Code of Iowa, Sec. 364.12[3a]). (Ord. 256 §1(part), 1990).

8.32.040 Exceptions.

The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to any junk or a junk vehicle stored within:

- A. Structure. A garage or other enclosed structure; or
- B. Salvage Yard. An auto salvage yard or junk yard lawfully operated within the city. (Ord. 256 §1(part), 1990).

8.32.050 Notice to abate.

Upon discovery of any junk or junk vehicle stored upon private property in violation of Section 8.32.030, the police authority shall, within five days, initiate abatement procedures as outlined in Sections 8.08.030 through 8.08.100. (Code of Iowa, Sec. 364.12[3a]). (Ord. 256 §1(part), 1990).

Chapter 8.34

RECYCLING PROGRAM

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8.34.070	Removal of containers from curbside.
8.34.080	Penalty for violation.

8.34.010 Purpose--Establishment of recycling program.

A mandatory program for the separation of recyclable materials from municipal waste is now established for curbside recycling. Residents shall be responsible for the separation and preparation of recyclable materials from solid waste and their placement in the curbside containers. (Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015; Ord. No. 324, § 2, 4-6-2015)

8.34.020 Definitions.

For use in this chapter, the following terms are defined:

Acceptable Items:

1. "Aluminum, bimetal and tin containers" means empty beverage or food containers. Also, aluminum foil.

- 2. "Newspaper" means paper of the type commonly referred to as newsprint and distributed at fixed intervals. Glossy inserts may be left in paper for recycling. No strings or plastic bags.
- 3. "Plastics" means plastic containers with the numbers (1) through (7). Bottles, jugs, jars and tubs. Motor oil containers are not acceptable.
- 4. "Wax-coated paper containers" means milk cartons, juice boxes, microwave meal boxes, ice cream boxes, paper cups, convenience store cups.
- 5. "Cardboard" means corrugated cardboard, boxboard, cereal and cracker boxes, egg cartons and paper bags.
- 6. "Mixed paper" means envelopes, printer paper, colored papers, school papers, folders, greeting cards, magazines and junk mail, etc.
- 7. "Books" means phone books, paperback and hardback books.

Unacceptable Items:

- 1. Paper, plastic and Styrofoam serving items.
- 2. Paper towels, facial tissue, toilet tissue, gift wrap.
 - 3. Plastic bags and packaging (grocery bags).
- 4. Food and wet waste (microwave meal containers).
- 5. Ceramics, dishes, coffee mugs, drinking glasses, light bulbs, plate glass, window glass, mirrors, Pyrex, flammable, toxic, hazardous waste and syringes.
- 6. "Glass bottles and containers" means food and beverage bottles and jars made of clear, green or brown glass.
 - 7. Aerosol cans, kitchen pots and pans.

Recyclables and Preparation - Materials will be prepared in the following manner:

- 1. Aluminum, bimetal and tin cans will be rinsed of all food or beverage residue, place lid inside can.
- 2. Plastic containers will be rinsed of all product residues. All milk jugs must be flattened. Other plastic containers must be flattened if possible.
- 3. Newspapers and miscellaneous mixed paper will not be bound with string or placed in plastic bags.
- 4. Residents are responsible to ensure that the recycling container is properly secured.

5. Recycling containers should be taken to the curb on the designated day of collection and removed from curbside after collection.

(Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015)

8.34.030 Fees.

The collection and disposal of solid waste is declared to be a benefit to the property served or eligible to be served and there shall be levied and collected fees therefore in accordance with the following:

- A. Fees. The fee for recyclable collection will be set by resolution of the city council, with one container per household provided. Residents shall be assessed a replacement fee for any container which is determined to be lost or missing.
- B. Payment of Bills. All fees are due and payable under the same terms and conditions provided for the payment of the current water, sewer and garbage bills. (Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015; Ord. No. 324, § 2, 4-6-2015)

8.34.040 Frequency of collection.

The schedule for collection will be set by resolution of the city council.

(Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015)

8.34.050 Lien for nonpayment.

The owner of the premises served and any lessee or tenant thereof are jointly and severally liable for fees for recycling collection. Fees remaining unpaid and delinquent shall be collected in the same manner as delinquent water, sewer and garbage fees.

(Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015)

8.34.060 Waste in recycling containers.

If upon collection the curbside containers are found to have unacceptable items/municipal waste, the resident will be required to dispose of the entire contents of said container in the garbage container to be transported to the landfill.

(Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015; Ord. No. 324, § 2, 4-6-2015)

8.34.070 Removal of containers from curbside.

Residents shall remove emptied recycling containers from the curbside within twenty-four hours of being emptied.

(Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015)

8.34.080 Penalty for violation.

Anyone violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be punished as provided in Section 1.12.010 of the Corydon Municipal Code. (Ord. No. 321, § 2, 1-5-2015)

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