TITLE 17

REFUSE AND TRASH DISPOSAL¹

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- **17-101.** <u>Trash accumulation</u>. It shall be unlawful for any person to accumulate or permit to accumulate on any premises in the city any trash, garbage, or other waste, vegetable or animal matter, or refuse of any kind. (1994 Code, § 17-101)
- **17-102. Dumping**. It shall be unlawful for any person to dump or place on any premises, right-of-way, or open ditch in the city limits any garbage, waste, or refuse or trash of any kind. (1994 Code, § 17-102)
- 17-103. <u>Burning near buildings</u>. It shall be unlawful for any person to burn or set fire to any trash, waste, or refuse of any kind within fifty feet (50') of any building or other structure or within five feet (5') of any property line. It shall be unlawful for any person to burn or set fire to any trash, waste, or refuse of any kind upon any property other than that owned by said person. (1994 Code, § 17-103)
- 17-104. <u>Unattended fires</u>. It shall be unlawful for any person burning trash, waste or refuse to leave said fire unattended without first ascertaining that the fire has completely burned itself out or has been completely extinguished. (1994 Code, § 17-104)

Property maintenance regulations: title 13.

¹Municipal code reference

- 17-105. Conforming receptacles. All garbage, ashes, refuse, and trash placed upon or along the streets of the city to be removed by the collectors thereof shall be placed in receptacles. Receptacles for garbage shall be metallic, water-tight vessels of standard type, fitted with proper covers. Such receptacles shall be not less than ten inches (10") nor more than twenty inches (20") in diameter, and not less than eight inches (8"), nor more than twenty-six inches (26") in height. Receptacles for ash and refuse shall be metal ash cans not more than twenty-six inches (26") in height and twenty inches (20") in diameter. (1994 Code, § 17-105)
- 17-106. <u>Unauthorized removal</u>. It shall be unlawful for any unauthorized person in the city to remove, destroy, or mutilate any garbage or refuse receptacle not his own. It shall be unlawful for any unauthorized person in any manner to interfere with or remove any part of the garbage, ashes, refuse, waste paper, rags, scrap iron, scrap glass, scrap copper, or other property places on the sidewalks or on or along the streets of the city for removal by collectors thereof. (1994 Code, § 17-106)