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## Sec. 22-192. Storage practices.

- (a) *Preparation of refuse.* Residential refuse shall be placed in uniform roll out carts/standard containers as provided.
- (b) *Refuse containers.*
- (1) Commercial refuse and commercial solid waste shall be placed in a commercial dumpster of sufficient size to handle the amount of refuse generated by said commercial establishment. In the event that a commercial establishment cannot have a dumpster placed on-site, sufficient uniform roll out carts shall be used.
  - (2) Commercial dumpsters shall be enclosed by a privacy fence not less than six feet or more than eight feet in height. Flooring shall be a concrete masonry pad sufficient to place the required size of the dumpster on. Enclosures shall be constructed to include cement filled steel posts with a minimum height of five feet to be placed three feet from the sides of enclosure. Enclosures shall be a minimum of 11 feet wide and 11 feet in depth with a front clearance for gating to be 180 degrees, with an access lane of no less than 100 feet of unobscured finished surface. Dumpster flooring shall be placed at the same elevation as finished grade of lot surface.
- (c) *Storage of refuse.*
- (1) Each householder, commercial establishment or person having refuse shall provide himself with approved refuse containers.
  - (2) It shall be unlawful to place refuse in any street, alley or any other public place, or upon private property, whether owned or not, unless that refuse is placed in an approved container, as provided in this division.
  - (3) It shall be unlawful to place refuse in any stream or body of water, or in any place inconsistent with the provisions of this article.
  - (4) Solid waste or recycling carts shall not be placed in the city right-of-way before 12:00 p.m. the day before the scheduled pickup day and shall be removed from the city right-of-way no later than 12:00 p.m. the day after the scheduled pickup day. Each resident, property owner, agent, manager and/or occupant of a property is responsible for compliance with this provision. The penalty for a violation of this subsection shall be \$50.00 per citation.
- (d) *Storage of yard trimmings and yard rubbish.*
- (1) It shall be unlawful to place or mix yard trimmings and yard rubbish with municipal solid waste within the city.
  - (2) Yard trimmings and yard rubbish shall not be disposed at any municipal solid waste disposal facility having a liner and leachate collection system or requiring vertical expansion located within the city.
  - (3) Yard trimmings and yard rubbish shall be sorted and stored in the following manner: yard trimmings and yard rubbish which have not been utilized for composting mulch, or otherwise revised/recycled shall be placed adjacent to refuse containers to be readily accessible to the collector, as follows:
    - a. Leaves, yard clippings, paper, straw shall be placed in watertight bags or other suitable containers which, when full, do not exceed 35 pounds in weight.
    - b. Palm fronds shall be stacked and placed adjacent to 90-gallon roll out containers so that three palm fronds may be picked up conveniently.
    - c. Heavy brush and tree branches no longer than four feet in length and six inches in diameter shall be placed in a pile no larger than 4' x 4' x 4'. Brush will be placed adjacent to the cart.

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(Code 1970, § 8-18; Code 1983, § 5-2-22; Ord. of 4-10-2005(01), § 1; Ord. No. 04-2005, 5-26-2005; Ord. No. 18-2012, 5-24-2012)