

CODE ENFORCED BY SANITATION INSPECTORS

110-2. Placement in streets or other public property.

No person may place refuse on any street, sidewalk, park or other public place, except in city litter receptacles or in plastic bags or refuse containers for collection, in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

110-8. Brush, weeds and obnoxious plants.

No owner of real property may permit the growth of brush, weeds or other noxious plants to a height of six (6) inches or more upon or within his property or upon the sidewalk adjacent to his property.

110-15. Newspapers, boxes, cartons and crates.

Newspapers, boxes, cartons and crates shall be collapsed and securely tied in bundles not to exceed two (2) feet in length, height and width and kept separate from other refuse.

110-17. Duty to provide and furnish.

There shall be provided for each premises disposable plastic bags or refuse containers sufficient in size and number to hold the refuse accumulating between collections.

In addition, every owner of a food service establishment, an establishment holding a retail consumption license issued by the State of New Jersey, Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control, any nightclub or commercial building in which more than twenty-five (25) individuals are regularly employed shall provide and maintain in good condition a cigarette litter receptacle which shall be located in any outdoor location where employees of the building are either permitted to or do in fact smoke, provided that such a cigarette litter receptacle shall not be located less than five (5) feet from any public entrance to the building. No commercial building owner shall be obligated to provide a cigarette litter receptacle if there is already such a receptacle located on public property within five (5) feet of the location where the employees of the building are either permitted to or in fact smoke.

110-22. Replacement of hazardous containers.

Refuse containers which do not conform to this chapter, or which have ragged or sharp edges or any defect likely to injure or hamper the person collecting their contents, shall be immediately replaced upon notice to the owner, tenant or occupant of the premises by any member of the Department of Public Works. The Director may authorize the garbage contractor to refuse collection of any container or plastic bag which weighs more than sixty (60) pounds or which has not been replaced upon notice.

110-25. Storage of refuse receptacles.

Refuse receptacles shall be stored only in areas designated for storage between collections. They shall be placed adjacent to the curb in front of the premises or other area designated for collection no earlier than 9:00 p.m. and no later than 12:00 midnight on the day before collection and shall be promptly returned to the storage area upon collection. Refuse receptacles shall not be stored on the sidewalk in front of buildings or houses between collections.

110-37. Placement of dumpsters.

No dumpster or demolition container shall be placed closer than twenty-five (25) feet from any intersection or crosswalk or closer than six (6) inches from a curb. The areas beneath and surrounding the dumpster or container shall be kept clean and shall be cleaned immediately after removal of the container. Dumpsters or demolition shall not be filled higher than four (4) inches from the top, and dumpsters and containers containing refuse shall be kept covered between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. and whenever being transported.

110-45. Distribution of handbills and circulars.

No person shall throw, cast or distribute, or cause to be thrown, cast or distributed, any handbill, circular, card or other advertising matter whatsoever, in or upon any street or public place or in a front yard or in any vehicle or in the vestibule or hall of any building or in any place from which such matter may be blown by the wind onto a street or public place, or place on any pole or public sign any advertising matter unauthorized by the owner of the said pole or public sign.

110-46. Litter in parks.

No person shall throw or deposit litter or cigarette litter in any park within the city, except in public receptacles and in such a manner that the litter or cigarette litter will be prevented from being carried or deposited by the elements upon any part of the park or upon any street or other public place. Where public receptacles are not provided, all such litter shall be carried away from the park by the person responsible for its presence and properly disposed of elsewhere as provided herein.

110-51. Litter boxes and baskets.

Any litter boxes or litter baskets which are now provided by the city shall not be used by any person or persons for the depositing of garbage, rubbish or refuse therein.

136-2-33. Prohibited acts. [Amended 8-14-1996 by Ord. No. R-196]

A. The following acts are prohibited within the City of Hoboken and shall constitute nuisances for purposes of this chapter. This is not to be considered an exclusive list, and the Health Officer may, within his reasonable discretion, apply the provisions of this chapter to any place or matters that may be a detriment, annoyance or menace to the general public.

- (33) Any matter, thing, condition or act which is or may become an annoyance, or interfere with the comfort, repose, health or general well-being of the inhabitants of this municipality or the general public.

145-9. Fire hydrants, unlawful uses damage or obstruction.

A. No person shall obstruct a fire hydrant in the city by placing against the same or immediately in front of the same, at a distance less than twenty (20) feet on either side of the fire hydrant, any automobile, building material or any obstruction of any kind whatsoever, so as to make access to the fire hydrant inconvenient or difficult to the Fire Department, without first having obtained written permission from the Chief of the Fire Department so to do.

168-8. Snow removal.

The owner or occupant or person having charge of any dwelling house, store or other building or lot of ground in the city shall, within the first six (6) hours after every fall of snow or hail, or after the formation of any ice upon the sidewalks, unless the ice is covered with sand or ashes, cause the snow and ice to be removed from the sidewalk abutting such dwelling house, store, building or lot of land and piled not more than eighteen (18) inches from the curb line into the public street or roadway. **[Amended 1-19-1994 by Ord. No. R-27]**

168-9C. Damage to streets and sidewalks.

C. Every owner of any building or premises shall keep and cause to be kept the sidewalk, flagging and curbstone abutting said building or premises free from obstruction and nuisances of every kind and shall keep said sidewalks, air shafts, areaways, backyards, courts and alleys free from garbage, refuse, rubbish, litter and other offensive material. Such persons shall also remove garbage, refuse, litter, debris and other offensive material between the curbstone abutting the building or premises and the roadway area extending one and one-half (1 1/2) feet, [eighteen (18) inches], from the curbstone into the street on which the building or premises front. **[Added 8-18-1982 by Ord. No. C221]**