

City of Providence

Department of Public Works



RULES AND REGULATIONS

GOVERNING DUMPSTERS

Effective Date: February 1, 2013

I.-Introduction

These Rules and Regulations are promulgated under the authority granted by the Code of Ordinances, Section 12-48 (Scope of authority of director of public works) and Section 12-61.1(6) (Enforcement), to the Director of Public Works for the protection of health and the control of sanitation in the City.

These Rules and Regulations are intended to supplement Article III, GARBAGE, TRASH and REFUSE, of Chapter 12 (Health and Sanitation) of the Code of Ordinances.

So as to exercise suitable control over the placement and safety of bulk waste containers placed within the public right of ways, these Rules and Regulations have been promulgated.

II.-Definitions

Class 1a Dumpster- A bulk container, also known as a toter, having a capacity of less than one (1) cubic yards or less, that will be placed within a public right of way on a regular or permanent basis to service a neighboring commercial establishment.

Class 1b Dumpster- A bulk container having a capacity of more than one (1) cubic yard, but not more than eight (8) cubic yards, as defined in Section 12-46 (e) of the Code of Ordinances that will be placed within a public right of way on a permanent basis to service a neighboring commercial establishment.

Class 1c Dumpster- A bulk container having a capacity greater than eight (8) cubic yards as defined in Section 12-46 (e) of the Code of Ordinances that will be placed within a public right of way on a permanent basis to service a neighboring commercial establishment.

Class 2 Dumpster- A bulk container having a capacity not to exceed thirty (30) cubic yards as defined in Section 12-46 (e) of the Code of Ordinances that will be placed within a public right of way on a temporary basis to accommodate demolition, construction or reconstruction of neighboring property.

III.-Fees

Dumpster License Fee

Class 1a.....	\$10.00 per month
Class 1b.....	\$25.00 per month
Class 1c.....	\$50.00 per month
Class 2.....	\$75.00 per week

Application Fee

(A one-time application fee shall be required for any dumpster. This fee shall include the cost of processing the application and a field inspection.)

The application fee shall be \$50.00.

Renewal Fee

(A yearly renewal fee shall be required for all Class 1 dumpsters. This fee shall include the cost of renewing the license for the dumpster.)
The renewal fee shall be \$20.00.

IV.-Fines

No license\expired license.....\$150.00

Failure to properly maintain dumpster in accordance with Section 12-61.1:

First offense.....\$100.00

Second offense.....\$500.00

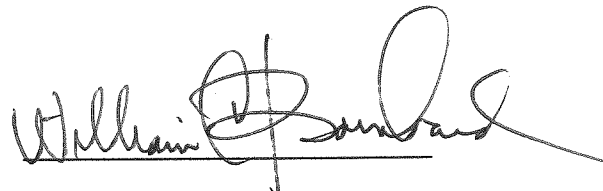
Third offense.....Removal Fee*

* The Removal Fee shall include the actual costs incurred to haul, empty and store the dumpster.

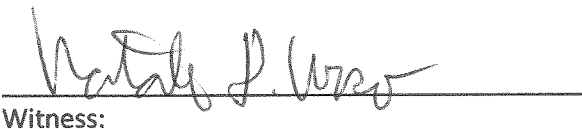
V.-Safety

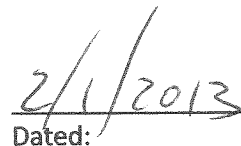
1. All dumpsters must be located in the pre-approved location.
2. Dumpsters to be placed adjacent to a travel lane shall be equipped with a minimum of one square foot of reflectorized red and white tape to be visible to passing motorists. At least fifty percent of the tape shall be along the edge of the dumpster closest to the travel lane.
3. Dumpster shall be placed so that hinged doors do not affect the free flow of vehicles or pedestrians.

Dated: February 1, 2013



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Witness:


Dated: