

Introduced by: Councilman Rudolph Sutton, Jr.
Introduced on: January 29, 2014

ORDINANCE NO. 14-02

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF TOWNSEND CONCERNING THE DISPOSITION OF GARBAGE, TRASH AND RUBBISH.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF TOWNSEND (a majority of the members elected thereto concurring therein):

Section 1. Amend Section 46-25 of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Townsend, Delaware by striking it in its entirety, and by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

“46 – 25. Trash and recycling removal service discontinued.

The council or its designated agent is authorized to discontinue the trash and recycling services to any premises as a result of failure to receive two (2) consecutive months of FULL payment of the balance due.

The overdue trash and recycling balance shall be entered in the municipal lien docket as a lien owing to the Town. Only after the overdue balance has been paid in FULL and the resume service fee has been paid, shall the trash and recycling removal services be resumed.”

Section 2. If any provision of this Act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances shall remain unaffected.

Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon adoption.

SYNOPSIS

This Act changes the *discontinuation of trash and recycling services from 30 days to 60 days for delinquent accounts and payment of a resume service fee, in addition to payment of the overdue balance, before services shall be resumed.*

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