BOROUGH OF ________________

___________COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. ______

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ____________ PROVIDING FOR THE
REGULATION OF WASTE DUMPSTERS

Be it enacted and ordained by the Council of ______________ of the Borough of ________________ that:

The following terms shall have the meanings as indicated.

WASTE DUMPSTER- a unit designed for the deposit of waste materials at a building, commonly located on a temporary basis on a highway abutting the site and the transportable to and from the site for the purposes of disposal of its contents by means of a carrying vehicle.

HIGHWAY-Any public street, avenue, alley or other thoroughfare within the Borough of ____________.

PERMITTEE-A person who obtains or is required to obtain a permit under this Article.

PERSON- Any natural person, firm, partnership, corporation, association or similar entity.

Permit Required

No person shall place upon, cause to be placed upon or permit to remain on a highway a waste dumpster without first obtaining a permit therefore from the Borough Manager. The duration of such permit shall be thirty (30) days and continued validity of such permit shall be contingent upon full compliance with the regulations set forth below.

Permit Fee

The fee for a permit pursuant to this Article is $25.00. An additional fee of $15.00 is required for every parking meter space taken up by a dumpster.

If the permittee requires additional time, a second permit may be obtained for up to two (2) weeks and a second permit of $25.00 must be paid. No more than two permits shall be issued by the Borough for dumpster placed upon a Borough highway. After the expiration of the second permit, the dumpster shall be removed from the Borough.

Placement and Use Regulations

A. A waste dumpster placed upon a highway shall not extend into the travel lane.
B. A waste dumpster placed upon a highway shall bear reflective markings in sufficient positions and with sufficient capacity to provide reasonable warning to approaching nighttime traffic of its location.
C. No highway shall be closed for the purpose of location or utilization of a waste dumpster.
D. Location and utilization of a waste dumpster upon a highway shall not be such as to constitute a safety hazard to person or property.
E. Where a waste dumpster is placed upon a portion of a highway within a parking meter zone, the _______ Borough Police Department must approve the location.
F. Location and utilization of a waste dumpster upon a highway shall be in compliance with all other federal, state and local statutes, rules and regulations applicable thereto.
G. Each of the dumpster rollers or wheels (if any) must be placed upon a wood pad at least ¾ of an inch in thickness so as not to damage the highway surface.
H. The permittee shall provide a copy of the waste hauler’s certificate of insurance listing __________ Borough an additional insured, as well as proof of their own liability insurance (homeowner’s insurance) in a minimum amount of $300,000.00.
I. The permittee shall execute an indemnity agreement, in a form reasonably acceptable to the Borough of ________________, promising to indemnify, save harmless and defend the Borough, its officials, agents, servants, and employees and each of them against and hold it and them harmless from any and all lawsuits, claims, demands, liabilities, losses and expenses, including court costs and reasonable attorney’s fees for or on account of any injury or any damage to any property, which may arise or which may be alleged to have arisen out of or in connection with the placement or utilization of the waste dumpster on the highway.
J. Only one (1) waste dumpster per property will be permitted on any highway of the Borough of ________.
K. Waste dumpster shall be clearly marked with the owner’s name, address and telephone number.
L. If a chute or similar object is constructed to be used with a waste dumpster, it must be deemed structurally sound by the Borough Manager and an insurance liability certificate in the same amounts as in Item H. above shall be provided.

Revocation of Permit
Without limitation as to utilization of any other remedy or action available to the Borough, at law or in equity, civil or criminal, noncompliance with any of the regulations set forth in this Article shall be grounds for revocation by the Borough Manager or the __________ Borough Police Department of the permit issued pursuant to this Article as shall any material false statement or omission made in connection with the application for the permit.

Violations and Penalties
Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Article shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars ($50) nor more than three hundred dollars ($300) and costs of prosecution for each and every offense and, in default of payments of such fine and costs, to imprisonment of not more than thirty (30) days, provided that each day’s violation of any of the provisions of this Article constitutes a separate offense.

Adopted this ____ day of __________, ______(year).

BOROUGH OF ______________________  ATTEST:
Borough Council President  

Approved this ______day of ________, (year).

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Mayor