

ORDINANCE NO. 797 -2017

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST PENNSBORO, CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING AND REVISING ORDINANCE §757-2009, EAST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING ORDINANCE CHAPTER 20, PART 2 AND PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL DEFINITIONS; REVISING DESIGNATED RECYCLABLES FOR CURBSIDE PROGRAM AND REVISING COLLECTION STANDARDS FOR COMMUNITY EVENTS

IT IS HEREBY ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of East Pennsboro, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, the following amendments to the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro regarding the **EAST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING ORDINANCE** as follows:

SECTION 1: It is declared that the enactment of this Ordinance is necessary for the protection, benefit and preservation of the health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of this Township and the following definitions are hereby inserted, in proper alphabetical sequence, into Section 20-203 [List of Definitions] of Part 2 [**EAST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING ORDINANCE**] of Chapter 20 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro:

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Events that are sponsored in whole or in part by the Township, or conducted within the Township and sponsored privately, which include, but are not limited to, fairs, bazaars, socials, picnics, craft fairs, and organized sporting events.

MUNICIPAL ESTABLISHMENT

Public facilities operated by the Township of East Pennsboro and other government or nongovernment authorities.

SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING

(also known as "fully commingled" or "single-sort") refers to a system in which all paper fibers, plastics, metals, and other containers are mixed in a collection truck, instead of being sorted by the depositor into separate commodities (newspaper, paperboard, corrugated fiberboard, plastic, glass, etc.) and handled separately throughout the collection process. In single-stream, both the collection and processing systems are designed to handle this fully commingled mixture of recyclables, with materials being separated for reuse at a the authorized collectors facility. The single-stream option replaces the dual-stream option, which is where people separate certain recyclable materials and place them in separate containers.

SECTION 2: Section 20-216.4 [Collection Standards] of Part 2 [Solid Waste and Recycling Regulations Ordinance] of Chapter 2 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro is hereby amended to state as follows:

§20-116.4. All commercial, institutional, Municipal establishments, and Community Events are hereby required to separate all designated recyclables material as specified by the Township from other solid waste. Those commercial establishments and events who contract privately and individually for recycling/refuse collection are required to recycle materials as designated by this Part. All commercial, institutional, Municipal establishments, and Community Events that do not utilize the Township's curbside program are required to provide written documentation as to the type and weight of materials recycled annually. Reports are due to the Township on a form provided by the Township no later than January 15 of each year.

SECTION 3: Section 20-216.5 [Collection Standards] of Part 2 [Solid Waste and Recycling Regulations Ordinance] of Chapter 2 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro is hereby amended and revised to state as follows:

- M. Plastic #1 - #7 containers and bottles.
- N. Clear, brown, blue and green glass food and beverage containers.
- Q. Aerosol cans and empty paint cans.

SECTION 4: Section 20-216.6 [Collection Standards] of Part 2 [Solid Waste and Recycling Regulations Ordinance] of Chapter 2 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro is hereby amended and revised to state as follows:

6. These materials are not required to be source separated in the container provided by the Township for collection.

SECTION 5: Subparagraphs of Section 20-221 [Requirements Applicable to Source Separation and Collection of Designated Recyclables] of Part 2 [Solid Waste and Recycling Regulations Ordinance] of Chapter 2 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro is hereby amended and revised to state as follows:

- B. Cardboard shall be flattened and tied in bundles with dimensions not exceeding three feet by one foot by three feet. Cardboard bundles will be placed next to recycle bin.
- E. All recyclables shall be placed in a commingled container as provided by the Township. Plastic garbage bags or other home use containers shall not be utilized as containers
- F. No material shall be placed at the roadside earlier than 7:00 p.m. the evening of the day preceding a scheduled collection day. Material must be placed at the roadside no later than 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection.

SECTION 6. REPEALER. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed. In all other respects, Part 2 [Solid Waste and Recycling Regulations], Chapter 20 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro shall remain as heretofore enacted, ordained and amended, which said Chapter, as amended, is hereby re-enacted in its entirety herein.


SECTION 7. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this Ordinance is for any reason held illegal or invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such provision shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not render the remainder of the amendments to this Chapter invalid.

SECTION 8. In all other respects, Part 2 [Solid Waste and Recycling Regulations], Chapter 20 [Solid Waste] of the Code of Ordinances of the Township of East Pennsboro shall remain as heretofore enacted, ordained and amended, which said Chapter, as amended, is hereby re-enacted in its entirety herein.

SECTION 9 Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective upon enactment by the Board of Commissioners of East Pennsboro Township.

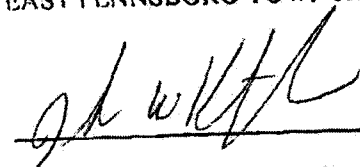
ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 10th day of October, 2017.

ATTEST:



Secretary

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
EAST PENNSBORO TOWNSHIP:



JOHN W. KUNTZELMAN, President