

ORDINANCE 2024-11

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MULLICA, COUNTY OF ATLANTIC,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 225 OF THE CODE OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF MULLICA CAPTIONED “TRASH COLLECTION, DISPOSAL AND
RECYCLING”**

WHEREAS, due to recent regulations established by the New Jersey Department of Protection and the New Jersey Pinelands Commission controlling Stormwater Management issues, it is necessary to amend Chapter 225 of the Code of the Township of Mullica captioned “Trash Collection, Disposal and Recycling” as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Committee of the Township of Mullica, County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 225-1 of the Code of the Township of Mullica captioned “Definitions” shall be changed as follows:

1. The first sentence shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following statement: “For the purpose of this Section, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meaning stated herein unless their use and the context of this Chapter clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense, include the future, words used in the plural number includes the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word “shall” is always mandatory and not merely directory.”
2. The Definition for “Person” is deleted in its entirety and hereby replaced with the following Definition:

“Person - Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association or political subdivision of this State subject to municipal jurisdiction.”

3. The Definition of “Street” is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following Definition:

“Street - means any street, avenue, boulevard, road, parkway, via duct, drive or other way, which is an existing state, county, or municipal roadway, and includes the land between the street lines, whether improved or unimproved and may comprise pavement, shoulders, gutters, curbs, sidewalks, parking areas and other areas within the street lines”.

4. A new Definition is added captioned “Yard Waste” as follows:

“Yard Waste – means leaves and grass clippings”.

5. A new Section is added to the Ordinance captioned “Yard Waste” which shall read as follows:

“Yard Waste. Designated yard waste shall be placed entirely within a yard waste container and shall not be placed in the street. If yard waste is placed within the street and is not placed within the yard waste container, the responsible party must remove the yard waste from the street or said property will be deemed in violation of this Chapter.

Yard waste must be placed within a container and not exceed fifty (50) pounds and not exceed the height of the yard waste container.

No bags shall be placed within the yard waste container.

Yard waste which is designated for placement inside the yard waste container but is placed along the curb and outside of the container in a bag or any receptacle other than the yard waste container will not be collected by the Township”.

SECTION 2. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances, are inconsistent with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency only.

SECTION 3. Should any section, subsection, part, clause or phrase of this Amended Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remaining portions of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect, and to that end, the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect after final adoption and publication as required by law.

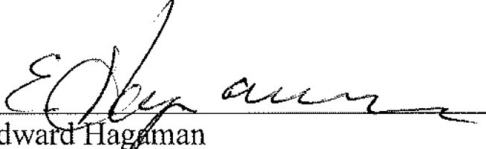
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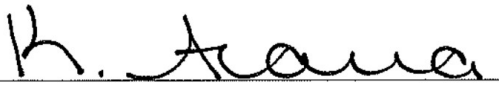
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Edward Hagaman
Mayor

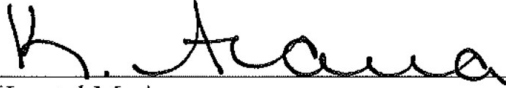
CERTIFICATION

I, Krystel M. Arana, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Mullica, County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance 2024-11 was introduced by the Mayor and Committee of the Township of Mullica at a Regular Meeting held on Tuesday, May 21, 2024.


Krystel M. Arana
Municipal Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I, Krystel M. Arana, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Mullica, County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance 2024-11 was adopted by the Mayor and Committee of the Township of Mullica at a Regular Meeting held on Tuesday, June 25, 2024.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Arana", written over a horizontal line.

Krystel M. Arana
Municipal Clerk