

ORDINANCE 2007-1283

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2006-1271, AN ORDINANCE TO
REGULATE THE DISPOSAL OF LITTER IN THE VILLAGE OF PEORIA
HEIGHTS, ILLINOIS**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
VILLAGE OF PEORIA HEIGHTS, ILLINOIS, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION,**

SECTION ONE: That Section Two, Paragraph 11, Subparagraph B, "Placement of
Garbage/Litter" shall be amended as follows:

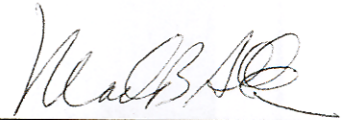
11. B. Placement of garbage/litter.
 1. It is the responsibility of all persons occupying or controlling any single-family dwelling to place rat proof containers for the storage of garbage/litter at least three (3) feet from the property line or public right-of-way, so long as this space is available to the resident. Containers shall not be stored in the front yard or on a front porch. If containers are stored outside, they shall be secured and maintained in a stationary manner. Containers shall not be set out for garbage pickup earlier than 3:00 p.m. on the day preceding garbage pickup. Containers shall be retrieved and returned to the premises within twenty-four (24) hours after garbage pickup. In two-family or multiple-family dwellings of less than five (5) units, it is the responsibility of the owner, tenant and occupant to place and retrieve containers within the same guidelines provided for single-family dwellings. The owner of a multi-family dwelling consisting of five (5) or more dwelling units or a commercial building shall provide and maintain a rat proof, watertight and tightly covered or sealed dumpster for all garbage/litter. Exceptions to this requirement can be granted through the Village Administrator or his designee the Code Enforcement Office.
 2. Additional regulations pertaining to curbside pickup:
 - (a) Items, which would contain foodstuffs or other attractions for animals and vermin, may be placed at curbside for pickup on the day of waste pickup, so long as they are placed no earlier than 4:00 a.m., and do not need to be placed in the rat-proof containers, so long as they fall within the accepted requirements by the Village Waste Collector.

- (b) Items which do not contain foodstuffs or other attractions for animals and vermin may be placed at curbside for pickup on the day prior to waste pickup, so long as they are not placed earlier than twenty-four (24) hours before pickup, do not have to be placed in a rat-proof container, so long as they fall within the accepted requirements by the Village Waste Collector.
- (c) Items, which would contain foodstuffs and other attractions for animals and vermin, may not be stored outside prior to 4:00 a.m. of the day of the waste pickup, unless they are stored within a rat-proof container, and a lid is in place, held securely so as to not be easily removed by animals or vermin. It will be acceptable to set cans out on garbage pickup day without a lid being in place.
- (d) Lawn refuse may be set out in containers, bundles or paper containers, which are deemed acceptable by the Village Waste Collector. Lawn refuse should not be set out any earlier than twenty-four (24) hours before pickup.

SECTION TWO: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publications as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF PEORIA HEIGHTS, ILLINOIS THIS 19 DAY OF June, 2007.

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