CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON

ordinance no. 870

AN ORDINANCE, relating to solid waste, garbage and other refuse; making it unlawful to deposit such material in private receptacles without the owner's permission; and establishing penalties for violations.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Amendment. Section 6.04.0.0 of the Redmond Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

- 6.04.010 Definitions. (a) "Garbage", as used in this chapter, means and includes all accumulations of waste matter discarded as of no further value to the owner, such as kitchen and table waste, bottles, cans, wrappings and small discarded containers, dead fowls but not dead animals, hollow ware and every accumulation of animal, fruit and vegetable waste from the preparation, processing, cooking and storage or handling of meats, fish, fowls, fruits or vegetables.
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 (b) "Refuse", as used in this chapter means and includes waste matter discarded as of no further value, including ashes, cinders, lawn cuttings and grass, broken household furnishings and equipment, boxes, barrels, cartons, shrubs, small trees, small tree limbs, paper and scraps of boards and lumber; but shall exclude large trees, earth, sand, gravel, rocks, automobile bodies, building materials, building waste and fire refuse.
- (c) "Solid Waste", as used in this chapter shall mean and be inclusive of garbage and refuse as herein defined.
- (d) "Garbage Can", where used in this chapter means a watertight container, not exceeding four cubic feet or thirty gallons in capacity, weighing not over twenty-two pounds when empty, and fitted with two sturdy handles, one on each side, and a tight cover.
- (e) "Solid waste receptacle", as used in this chapter means a metal container constructed for and intended for depositing solid waste materials as furnished and sited by the city's solid waste contractor for individual use.
- Section 2. Unlawful to deposit solid waste in receptacle without owner's permission. It is unlawful for any person to place, deposite or leave any solid waste material in a solid waste receptacle upon private or business premises by other than the occupant's of such premises without the prior express written permission of the owner or occupant of such premises.
- Section 3. Penalties. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished as provided in Section 1.01.110 of the Redmond Municipal Code; provided, that upon the first conviction of Section 2 of this ordinance, the fine shall be \$100.00. Solid waste receptacles may have a warning affixed, indicating the penalty for unauthorized depositing of solid waste materials.
- Section 4. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after the date of its publication in the manner provided by law.

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PASSED by the Council of the City of Redmond, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof, and APPROVED by the Mayor this 15th day of May, 1979.
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ATTEST:

PAUL F. KUSAKABE
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JOHN D. LAWSON
CUTY ATTORNEY

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