

City of Salem

First Passage

In the year Two Thousand and Twenty

An Ordinance to amend an ordinance relative to solid waste management.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Salem, as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 36 is hereby amended as follows:

- 1) Section 36-4 Pickup of Large Items is hereby amended by deleting the first paragraph in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

“a) Up to two bulk items such as mattresses and furniture shall be collected by appointment by the City’s solid waste collection contractor during the resident’s recycling pick-up week.

b) E-Waste, including computers and televisions, and appliances may be recycled at quarterly collection events scheduled by the City Engineer. A fee may be charged for the disposal of certain e-waste items.
- 2) Section 36-4 is further amended by deleting the first phrase of the second paragraph, “Items from demolishing or refurbishing properties such as ductwork, furnaces, radiators” and replacing it with “Construction and demolition debris including asphalt, bricks, concrete and other masonry materials, soil, rock, wall coverings, drywall, plumbing fixtures, insulation, roofing shingles, plate glass, metal, wood waste, electrical wires”
- 3) Section 36-5 Residential Curbside Solid Waste and Recycling Collection is hereby amended by deleting the first paragraph in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

“The City shall provide weekly municipal curbside solid waste and bi-weekly recycling collection to all owner-occupied residential units and non-owner occupied rental units, limited to six or less unit buildings, serviced by the municipal collection contract at the time this section is adopted.”
- 4) Section 36-5 Residential Curbside Solid Waste and Recycling Collection is hereby further amended by deleting, with the third paragraph of this section, the phrase “including paper, cardboard, aluminum containers, recyclable paper, metal, glass and single polymer plastics.”
- 5) Section 36-6 Collection Fee for Certain Residents is hereby amended by adding the following to end of the first sentence in Section 36-6 (f):

“ if evidence of ownership and an affidavit is filed with the City Engineer within 90 days of purchase of property or change in deed.”

- 6) Section 36-8 Collection Fee for Certain Commercial Establishments is hereby amended by adding the phrase “per commercial unit” at the end of the first sentence of this section.
- 7) Section 36-7 Commercial curbside solid waste and recycling collection is hereby amended by deleting the second paragraph in its entirety and inserting it as a new Section 36-9 entitled “Penalties.” This paragraph is further amended by deleting the word “section” as it appears in the first sentence and replacing it with the word “chapter.”

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by City Charter.

In City Council February 13, 2020
Adopted for first passage

ATTEST:

ILENE SIMONS
CITY CLERK

Adv: 2/19/20