

City of Salem

FIRST PASSAGE

In the year Two Thousand and Fifteen

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:

“Bulk items such as mattresses and furniture shall be collected by appointment by the City’s solid waste collection contractor. E-Waste, including computers and televisions, and appliances may be recycled at quarterly collection events scheduled by the City Engineer. The City may charge a fee for the disposal of certain items.

- 2) 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 serviced by the municipal collection contract at the time this section is adopted.”

- 3) 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 45 days of purchase of property or change in deed.”

- 4) 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.

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

In City Council September 10, 2015

Adopted for first passage and referred to the Committee on Ordinances, Licenses and Legal Affairs co-posted with Committee of the Whole

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ATTEST:

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