BOROUGH OF WOODCLIFF LAKE

Bergen County, New Jersey

ORDINANCE 21-02

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 310 ENTITLED "SOLID WASTE" OF THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF WOODCLIFF LAKE, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF WOODCLIFF LAKE IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, Chapter 310, of the Code of the Borough of Woodcliff Lake sets forth all regulations regarding Solid Waste within the Borough of Woodcliff Lake; and,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Woodcliff Lake, County of Bergen and State of New Jersey that those portions of the aforesaid set forth below are hereby amended as follows and that those portions of the Ordinance not set forth below shall remain unchanged.

Article II. Recycling.

Sec. 310-8. Definitions.

See Borough website for definitions.

Sec. 310-10. Regulations for residential users.

Residents are required to keep recyclables out of the garbage. From time to time the way recyclables are collected may change so residents must follow what is posted on the Borough website or mailed out annually on the Sanitation schedule. Residents are encouraged to check the website from time to time for updates and changes. Collection days will be posted on the website with information on what items are being collected and how to set those at the curb.

General guidance for what recyclables are: glass beverage containers, aluminum cans, tin cans, plastic bottles and containers #1-7, Mixed papers, newspapers, corrugated cardboards, chipboards.

Other recyclables are: textiles, used oils, books, ferrous scrap, white goods, leaves, flags, brush, electronics, grass, construction and demolition debris (concrete, brick, tree parts, nonferrous/ferrous metal, where practical). Not all recyclable materials are collected at the curb. Leaves are only collected during leaf season each year. Definitions of all recyclables will be posted on the website and are subject to change.

Recyclables must be set out by 6 a.m. on the day of collection. Set out times are no earlier than 6 p.m. the night before collections and containers must be removed from the curb no later than 8 p.m. the day of collection. Bottles and containers must be cleaned out and rinsed out before setting out for collection. The annual collection schedule along with guidance for what materials

are being collected and how to set those materials at the curb will be posted on the website and in newsletters and sent through other forms of Borough communication.

If the collector left the material because it was set out incorrectly or mixed with improper materials, the resident is required to remove the materials from the curb by 8 p.m. on the day of the collection and correct the problem and set out on the next scheduled collection date.

The Ecology Center hours may change at times due to unforeseen circumstances and all changes will be posted on the website. The Ecology Center is normally open on Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays. Check website for hours. Closed on holidays and may be closed during inclement weather. See website for details on what can be dropped off. Recycling may be separated or comingled at the discretion of the Recycling Coordinator,

Sec. 310-11. Regulations for Commercial Users.

Commercial users must recycle corrugated cardboard, high grade office paper, glass beverage containers, ferrous scrap, white goods, aluminum cans, mixed paper, and Construction and Demolition debris (concrete, brick, tree parts, nonferrous/ferrous metal, asphalt, corrugated cardboard, where practical). See <u>www.BCUA.org</u> for more details. Commercial users must hire their own contractor for recycling services and disposal.

Sec. 310-12. Regulations for Institutional Users.

Institutional users must recycle corrugated cardboard, high grade office paper, glass beverage containers, ferrous scrap, white goods, aluminum cans, mixed paper, and Construction and Demolition debris (concrete, brick, tree parts, nonferrous/ferrous metal, asphalt, corrugated cardboard, where practical). See <u>www.BCUA.org</u> for more details. (Only the Dorchester and Woodcliff Schools can recycle at the DPW.

Severability. All provisions of this Ordinance are severable. If for any reason, any provision of this Ordinance is held to be invalid, the validity of the remainder of the Ordinance shall not be affected.

<u>Effective Date</u>. This Ordinance shall become effective upon final approval and publication, pursuant to law, and upon completion of all outstanding cases.