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COUNTY OF SENECA

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **Title.** The rules and regulations set forth herein, as amended, are promulgated pursuant to the Seneca County Solid Waste Management Law and shall be known as the Solid Waste Management Rules and Regulations.

2. **Definitions.**
 - 2.1. Except as otherwise set forth in these rules and regulations, all terms defined in the Solid Waste Management Law shall be the same definition in these rules and regulations.
 - 2.2. *Solid Waste Management Law* means Seneca County Local Law No. 2 of 1990 and any amendments thereto.
 - 2.3. *Board of Supervisors* means the Seneca County Board of Supervisors.
 - 2.4. *Administrator* means the Seneca County Administrator.
 - 2.5. *Solid waste license* means a license issued pursuant to Section 7 of these rules and regulations.
 - 2.6. *Licensee* means the holder of a solid waste license.
 - 2.7. *Waste generator* means any person or legal entity that produces solid waste in Seneca County requiring disposal.
 - 2.8. *Residential generator* means a waste generator disposing of household solid waste at a residence or dwelling, whether a single unit or a multi-family unit.
 - 2.9. *Commercial, industrial and institutional generators* mean waste generators disposing of solid waste generated at commercial, industrial or institutional establishments and includes all waste generators that are not residential generators. This includes stores, offices, restaurants, warehouses, manufacturing and industrial facilities, educational institutions, hospitals, hotels, governmental facilities, trailer parks, parks and campgrounds.

3.3. The Administrator shall file a written report with the Board of Supervisors on a quarterly basis detailing operations, accomplishments, and other program activities rising out of the administration of the Solid Waste Management Rules and Regulations.

4. Designated Recyclable Materials.

4.1. The following materials are designated recyclable materials for residential generators :

- a. newsprint, including inserts
- b. clear, green and amber glass food and beverage containers
- c. aluminum, ferrous and bimetal cans
- d. PET (No. 1) and HDPE (No. 2) plastics, except not including motor oil containers
- e. corrugated cardboard
- f. junk mail, including magazines and mixed paper

4.2. The following materials are designated recyclable materials for commercial, industrial and institutional generators:

- a. newsprint, including inserts
- b. clear, amber and green glass food and beverage containers
- c. aluminum, ferrous and bimetal cans
- d. PET (No. 1) and HDPE (No. 2) plastics, except not including motor oil containers
- e. corrugated cardboard
- f. fine office paper
- g. junk mail, including magazines and mixed paper

4.3. A material may be added or removed from the list of designated recyclable materials only by resolution of the Board of Supervisors.

5. Source Separation.

5.1. Prior to initial collection, transport or disposal, all designated recyclable materials shall be source separated from other solid waste by the waste generator.

5.2. Residential generators shall use the County's recycling curbside collection program or dispose of the designated recyclable materials at a County drop-off center, a specified facility or a solid waste volume reduction program.

7. **Solid Waste Licenses.**

- 7.1. No person required to obtain a solid waste license may engage in the business of collecting, transporting or handling solid waste generated or originated within the County without a solid waste license issued by the County. Except as provided in Section 7.2, any person who collects, transports or handles solid waste generated by a third party for compensation (including municipalities that provide collect services to their residents) shall obtain and maintain a solid waste license from the County.

- 7.2. The following persons are not required to obtain a solid waste license:
 - 7.2.1. Persons engaged solely in recycling or a solid waste volume reduction program;
 - 7.2.2. Persons engaged solely in the collection, transportation or handling of unprocessable waste;
 - 7.2.3. Persons who collect, transport or handle solid waste incidentally to providing a service not involving the collection, transportation or handling of solid waste;
 - 7.2.4. An individual who collects, transports or handles solid waste solely as an employee of a licensee;
 - 7.2.5. Persons and vehicles engaged exclusively in the collection and/or transportation of hazardous solid waste;
 - 7.2.6. Persons and vehicles in transit through the County, provided they do not collect solid waste in the County.

- 7.3. An applicant for a solid waste license shall submit to the Administrator:
 - 7.3.1. A properly completed and signed application on the form prescribed by the Administrator;
 - 7.3.2. A list of all vehicles to be used by the applicant in the County in the collection, transportation and handling of solid waste, including vehicle identification numbers;
 - 7.3.3. A list of all routes served by the applicant, provided, however, that if portions of a route extend beyond Seneca County's boundaries, only that portion of the route located in Seneca County need to be listed;
 - 7.3.4. The required license fee;

- b. the quantity, by ton, of the solid waste;
- c. the date of collection;
- d. the date of delivery to a facility;
- e. the facility which received the solid waste; and
- f. the amount of designated recyclable materials collected and the facility to which they were delivered.

7.9.4. Reports containing the information required in Paragraph 7.9.3 of this section shall be compiled quarterly, in the format prescribed by the Administrator, and delivered to the Administrator by the 20th day following the end of the quarter.

7.9.5. A licensee shall not accept for collection solid waste which has not been source separated in conformity with these rules and regulations.

7.10. The following fee schedule shall apply, except that no fee shall be charged to licensees that are municipalities:

7.10.1. Solid waste license ***; \$ 25.00

7.10.2. Vehicle sticker *** \$ 1.00

8. **Effective Date.** These rules and regulations shall be effective on August 1, 1993.