

TITLE 17

REFUSE AND TRASH DISPOSAL¹

CHAPTER

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17-101. Materials the town will not pick up. The Town of Englewood will not pick up the following materials:

(1) Lumber, concrete, roofing material, paint or any other material not accepted by the landfill.

(2) Waste from any residence due to construction work being performed by a contractor at any time.

(3) Brush cut by a private tree trimmer. The contractor must haul off his own brush.

(4) Garbage in any business' trash bin if it has any lumber, shingles, paint or any other hazardous materials that the landfill will not accept. It is the business owner's responsibility to keep his trash bin secured and well maintained at all times so that no material gets in the trash bin that is not acceptable material. Any unacceptable refuse found in business bins will be left to be cleaned up at owner's expense. (1997 Code, § 17-101)

17-102. Residential garbage. (1) The Town of Englewood will pick up residential garbage once per week for all residents in the town. Garbage must be placed on the curb of the street. Containers must not exceed thirty-five (35) gallons.

¹Municipal code reference
Property maintenance regulations: title 13.

(2) The town will pick up waste from a residence performed by the resident for a fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) per dump truck load. Except for clean-up week.

(3) The town will pick up brush cut by the resident at no charge if it does not exceed one dump truck load. If more than one (1) dump truck load, the charge will be thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) per load. Except for clean-up week. (1997 Code, § 17-102, as amended by Ord. #11-12-07-86, Nov. 2007)

17-103. Business garbage. The town will pick up the garbage of all businesses within the town twice per week. (1997 Code, § 17-103)

17-104. Premises to be kept clean. All persons within the town are required to keep their premises in a clean and sanitary condition, free from accumulations of refuse except when stored as provided in this chapter. (1997 Code, § 17-104)

17-105. Storage. Each owner, occupant, or other responsible person using or occupying any building or other premises within this city where refuse accumulates or is likely to accumulate, shall provide and keep covered an adequate number of refuse containers. The refuse containers shall be strong, durable, and rodent and insect proof. They shall each have a capacity of not less than twenty (20) nor more than thirty-five (35) gallons, except that this maximum capacity shall not apply to larger containers which the city handles mechanically. Furthermore, except for containers which the city handles mechanically, the combined weight of any refuse container and its contents shall not exceed seventy-five (75) pounds. No refuse shall be placed in a refuse container until such refuse has been drained of all free liquids. Tree trimmings, hedge clippings, and similar materials shall be cut to a length not to exceed four

(4) feet and shall be securely tied in individual bundles weighing not more than seventy-five (75) pounds each and being not more than two (2) feet thick before being deposited for collection. (1997 Code, § 17-105)

17-106. Garbage rates. Garbage rates for business and residential will be set by the mayor and board of commissioners on or before July 1st of each year. (1997 Code, § 17-106)

17-107. Violations and penalty. Violations of this chapter shall be punishable under the general penalty provision of this code. Each day a violation is allowed to continue shall constitute a separate offense. (1997 Code, § 17-107)

ORDINANCE NO 04-12-10-49

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 17: REFUSE AND TRASH DISPOSAL, CHAPTER 1: GARBAGE PICKUP,
OF THE TOWN OF ENGLEWOOD, TENNESSEE MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE 17 IN ORDER TO BETTER
UNDERSTAND THE RESTRICTIONS PERTAINING TO RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE PICKUP**

WHEREAS, the Town of Englewood desires to amend this ordinance so that citizens can better understand the restrictions pertaining to residential garbage pickup.

Section 1: Section 17- 101 Materials the town will not pick up (1),(2),(3) and (4) are hereby deleted in its entirety and the following text shall be inserted: “The Town of Englewood will pick up residential garbage once per week for all residents in the town. Garbage must be placed on the curb of the street. The Town will only accept household garbage. Containers must not exceed thirty-five (35) gallons with a limit of two containers only, and;

Section 2 : Section 17-102 Residential Garbage (2) and (3) are deleted.

Section 3: Section 17-105 Storage The following text: “Each owner, occupant, or other responsible person using or occupying any building or other premises within this city where refuse accumulates or is likely to accumulate, shall provide and keep covered an adequate number of refuse containers. The refuse containers shall be strong, durable, and rodent and insect proof. They shall each have a capacity of not less than twenty (20) nor more than thirty-five (35) gallons. No refuse shall be placed in a refuse container until such refuse has been drained of all free liquids.

“ Each owner, occupant, or other responsible person using or occupying any building or other premises within the city where refuse accumulates or is likely to accumulate, shall provide and keep covered an adequate number of refuse containers. The refuse containers shall be strong, durable, and rodent and insect proof. They shall each have a capacity of not less than twenty (20) nor more than thirty-five (35) gallons. No refuse shall be placed in a refuse container until such refuse has been drained free of liquids”.

**NOW, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF ENGLEWOOD,
TENNESSEE that:**

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its final passage, provided that at least fifteen (15) days have passed after the first passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed on First Reading MARCH 8, 2010

Passed on Final Reading April 12,2010

Raymond Roach
Mayor

Sondra Denton
Recorder