



CITY OF SPRINGFIELD

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CHANGE IN TRASH COLLECTION PROCEDURES

Dear Citizens,

This letter is to inform you of the changes regarding trash & garbage collection in the City of Springfield. Effective November 1, 2016, Mr. Trash will take over garbage/trash collection for the City of Springfield. Mr. Trash will be issuing and assigning trash carts to residents track-able by serial number.

Trash carts are only to be left at the curb for the purpose of collection. Carts are to be removed from the curb within 24 hours of collection.

Yard Debris/Trash Piles – Mr. Trash will NOT be picking up any items other than normal yard debris. Any large brush/tree debris exceeding 10 inches in diameter and 4 foot in length to include stumps will **require a special pickup fee. Trash debris is required to be separated into the following groups:** 1) yard waste 2) white goods (appliances) 3) furniture.

Any items outside of normal amounts of yard debris will REQUIRE a special pickup fee as well as furniture, white goods etc. Residents will be required to make arrangements with Mr. Trash PRIOR to placing those items out for collection. **Arrangements NOT made in advance, the fees for the removal will be added to the utility account at the time of collection.**

Please be conscientious of the placement of trash collection; i.e., against utility poles, underneath low power/utility lines and/or large tree limbs to include into drainage ditches.

Illegally Dumping Trash – Pursuant to Florida State Statute 403.413 it is unlawful for any person to dump litter in any amount. The severity of the offense is based off of size and weight of the litter. Commercial dumping in ANY amount is a Felony.

The City of Springfield is committed to resolving the trash collection issues that have been a burden over the past number of years. We ask the citizens to do the same in adhering to the Municipal Code of Ordinances for overall success.

Landlords of rental property shall be responsible for any move out or eviction type furniture. Failure to take responsible actions regarding the removal of tenant's belongings may result in fines, revocation of Occupational License(s) and the issuance of a "Do Not Rent Order".

Property management firms are required to have an active utility account in order to receive city services. In the absences of an active account, the firm is responsible to remove all items generated from maintaining or cleaning up a property.

Cordially,

The City of Springfield