



CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

January 12, 2010

SUBJECT: CONSIDER FIRST AND FINAL READING OF AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 66, "SOLID WASTE" BY ADDING SECTION 66-1, "ESTABLISHING TIME OF DAY PLACEMENT OF COLLECTIONS AND REMOVAL OF CONTAINERS FROM CURBSIDE BY RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMER"

SUBMITTED BY: Mike Collins, Director of Economic Development and Administrative Services

REFERENCE NO: Ordinance No. 1866

ACTION REQUESTED:

Consider first and final reading of Ordinance No. 1866 amending Chapter 66, "Solid Waste" that would add a new Section; Section 66-1 of the Comprehensive Code of Ordinances establishing a time of day placement of collectables and removal of container(s) from the curbside by residential customers.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approve the request – *simple majority*.
2. Approve the request with modifications – *simple majority*.
3. Deny the request – *simple majority*.

SUMMARY OF SUBJECT:

Through a recent review of Chapter 66, we concluded that clarification was needed to identify the specific time of day that our residential customers can place collections at the curb, as well as when containers or recycle containers placed at the curbside for service must be removed. Establishing this stand alone section provides easier to understand information for our solid waste and recycling residential customers.

Staff proposes that Article I "In General" contain a new Section 66-1 "Container Placement and Removal Time Periods" of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Euless, Texas, as amended, read as follows:

Sec. 66-1. “Container Placement and Removal Time Periods”

Refuse and rubbish placed in garbage containers, or residential repair debris and bundle or boxed bundle, or recycling collection, shall not be placed out before 7:00 p.m. on the day prior to the scheduled pickup. Emptied containers shall be removed no later than 7:00 a.m. on the day after the scheduled pickup. Garbage containers not stored within the main structure or permitted accessory structure must meet the requirements in Section 84-337 (b) “Open storage and use areas”.

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt these proposed amendments.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Revenue Sources:

Expenditure Accounts:

Budgeted Fiscal Year(s):

Estimated Expenditure:

Over/Under Projection By:

Other Comments:

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

- Ordinance No. 1866

APPROVED BY:

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City Manager’s Office

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City Secretary’s Office