

AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 58-09

By: Robyn Jones

An Ordinance to amend Sections 1060.10 and 1060.105 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Bexley to increase the rate for the collection and disposal of garbage, trash and brush within the City, and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY, OHIO:

Section 1. That Sections 1060.10 and 1060.105 of the Codified Ordinances of The City of Bexley is amended to read as follows:

**1060.10 CHARGES, CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS ON
PARTICULAR COLLECTIONS.**

(a) To provide necessary funds for equipment, personnel and other expenses in connection with the collection and disposal of garbage, trash, yard trash and brush in the City, a charge of two hundred ninety-four dollars (\$294.00) per year, payable quarterly in advance, commencing January 1, 2010, is hereby levied and assessed for the collection and disposal of garbage, trash, yard trash and brush from each dwelling or family unit. Whenever service is between quarterly payment dates, a payment at the rate of one twelfth of the current annual charge per month, for the balance of the current quarterly period, shall be made before service is commenced. For periods of ten days or less in any one month, no charge shall be made, but eleven days or more shall be charged for a full month. No refund shall be made for any part of the quarterly payment if service is discontinued during such period.

(b) The Service Director is authorized, upon request of an owner or resident, to determine the conditions under which the City will collect and dispose of waste materials which do not constitute "trash", as defined in Section 1060.01, and to fix the charge to be made therefore, taking into consideration the availability of equipment, personnel and disposal facilities and the cost to the City of such service. He is also authorized to limit the amount of brush, tree and shrub trimmings which will be collected from subscribers without additional charge to such amount as he considers a normal or average amount per collection unit and to contract with subscribers for the collection and disposal of such excess materials, as hereinabove provided, for other waste materials.

1060.105 CHARGES TO SENIOR CITIZENS

(a) The refuse collection charges set forth in Section 1060.10(a) shall not apply to those senior citizens who are residents of the City of Bexley and occupy a Bexley residence, who maintain Bexley utility and refuse accounts in their own names for such residences, who are sixty (60) years of age or older, and who make application to the City Water

Department for exemption from the refuse collection charges set forth in Section 1060.10(a).

(b) Senior citizens who meet all of the requirements set forth in subsection (a) hereof shall be billed for refuse charges at the rate of two hundred forty -six dollars (\$246.00) per year, payable quarterly in advance.

(c) Senior citizens who meet all of the requirements set forth in subsection (a) hereof and are 65 years of age by January 1, 2010, shall be billed for refuse charges at the rate of one hundred ninety-eight dollars (\$198.00) per year, payable quarterly in advance.

Section 2. That existing Sections 1060.10 and 1060.105 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Bexley are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this Ordinance is an emergency ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, said emergency being the need to implement the increase prior to the January, 2010 water billing period and shall go into effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Passed: 12/15, 2009

Matthew J. Lamphe
President of Council

Attest: Beech Hall
Clerk of Council

Approved: 12-15, 2009

John Brennan
John Brennan, Mayor

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