

**BOROUGH OF BLOOMSBURY  
COUNTY OF HUNTERDON**

**ORDINANCE NO. 105-06**

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION OF  
GARBAGE AND OTHER WASTE INTO THE BOROUGH OF  
BLOOMSBURY AND ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR THE  
VIOLATION THEREOF**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Bloomsbury, County of Hunterdon, and State of New Jersey as follows:

**Section 1: Unlawful Deposit**

- A. No person shall bring garbage, litter, refuse, rubbish, or other waste into the Borough of Bloomsbury for the purpose of disposing of same in the Borough of Bloomsbury, nor shall any person place garbage, litter, refuse, rubbish, or other waste generated outside of the Borough of Bloomsbury in any public waste receptacle of the Borough of Bloomsbury or in any private receptacle subject to collection and disposal by the Borough of Bloomsbury or its duly authorized contractor for such purposes, except that it shall not be illegal to deposit small amounts of garbage, trash, rubbish or other litter generated locally or in the course of travel such as newspapers, food, retail beverages and food containers and wrappings and other similar items in public waste receptacles.
- B. No person shall deposit household or commercial garbage in any public waste receptacle of the Borough of Bloomsbury except as otherwise provided by law.
- C. No person who has his or her garbage, litter, refuse, rubbish or other wastes collected by the Borough of Bloomsbury shall accept for disposal garbage, litter, refuse, rubbish or other wastes generated outside the Borough of Bloomsbury for the purpose

of having it collected and/or disposed of by the Borough of Bloomsbury or its duly authorized contractor.

- D. No person shall cast, place, sweep or deposit any grass clippings, brush, sod or other refuse in such a manner that it may be carried or deposited by the elements upon any street, sidewalk, alley, sewer, parkway or other public place within the Borough.
- E. No person shall place any garbage or industrial waste in any street, alley or other public place or upon any private property, whether owned by such person or not, except in proper containers for collection; neither shall any person throw or deposit any garbage, refuse or industrial waste in any stream or storm drain.
- F. Any accumulation of refuse on any premises except in the manner herein provided is hereby declared to be a nuisance and is prohibited. Failure to remove any existing accumulation of refuse within 30 days after the effective date of this chapter shall be deemed a violation of the same.

**Section 2: Violations and Penalties:**

- A. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be punished for each offense by a fine not exceeding \$2,000.00, by imprisonment for a term not to exceed 90 days in the county jail or by a period of community service not to exceed 90 days.
- B. Any violations hereof from one or more residences or business establishments shall constitute a separate and distinct violation of this chapter.

**Effective Date:**

This ordinance shall take effect following final passage and publication in accordance with law.

Repealer:

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances which are inconsistent with this Ordinance shall be repealed as to their inconsistencies only.

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Mark R. Peck, Mayor

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Lisa A. Burd,  
Acting Borough Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I, Lisa A. Burd, Acting Borough Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of a ordinance adopted by the Common Council of the Borough of Bloomsbury at a meeting held on May 23, 2006.

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Lisa A. Burd,  
Acting Borough Clerk

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