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Dear Property Owner or Occupant:

This letter is being sent out to inform you of our city ordinance in regards to trash cans and their placement. **City Ordinance §50.08 states:**

Rules, Regulations, and specification for the collection and disposal of Garbage and Rubbish.

- (A) The residences within the city subject to street side collection, shall place the carts/ containers at the refuse collection site at street side no sooner than noon on the day before collection and shall remove the carts/ containers from the refuse collection site at the street side no later than noon on the day after the collection. The owner, tenant, lessee, occupant, or agent of any residential property shall, in addition to promptly removing the cart/ container, clean up and remove any scattered solid waste or rejected items from the property no later than noon on the day after the collection. For purposes of this section, and other related documents, the day of the collection is the scheduled collection day or a rescheduled collection day in the event of a missed or postponed collection.
- (B) The carts/ containers, when not at the refuse collection site at the street side as provided herein, shall be stored at a location on the property; which location shall be behind a line extending entirely across the property; which line shall be even with the front of the residence located on the property.

§ 50.99 Penalty.

- (C) Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of § 50.08 shall be subject to a fine of \$25 for the first violation and \$50 for each subsequent violation within the next 12 months. The fine herein imposed shall be paid to the city General Fund. (Ord. 2008-13, passed 10-07-08)

If you have any questions, concerns, or need clarification, please feel free to contact me at

(260)357-6980 or email me at tsmurr@garrettindiana.us .

Sincerely,

Tara Smurr
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