

CHAPTER 3

GARBAGE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL

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8-3-1: **PURPOSE:** The Village is faced with the difficulty of establishing a fixed garbage collection fee for an extended period of time due to the garbage contractor's increasing equipment cost, repair cost, fuel expense, labor, landfill cost and recycling expenses. It is, therefore, necessary for the Village to establish the provisions of this chapter. (1993 Code p. 7 Ord. G-1, 3-1-1993)

8-3-2: **USE OF VILLAGE SERVICE:**

- A. Residential Use Required: All residences within the Village will participate in the Villagewide garbage collection service.
- B. Approval Of Commercial Use: Any business, corporation or association requesting to be placed on Village garbage collection must first be approved by the Village Board and the garbage collection contractor. (1993 Code p. 7 Ord. G-1, 3-1-1993)

8-3-3: **YARD WASTE AND RECYCLING:** All residents, businesses, corporations, and organizations shall participate in proper yard waste removal and recycling programs which are currently in effect. All recycling programs will be set in compliance with State and Federal requirements. (1993 Code p. 7 Ord. G-1, 3-1-1993)

8-3-4: **FEES:**

- A. Collection Fee: There shall be imposed upon each residential property within the Village a garbage collection fee of eighteen dollars four cents (\$18.04) per month. (Ord. 2017-04-03, 4-3-2017, eff. 4-27-2017)
- B. Billing Cost: In addition to the collection fee charged by the garbage collection contractor for each individual resident, business, corporation, or association, the Village will charge an additional fifty cents (\$0.50) to offset billing costs. (1993 Code p. 7 Ord. G-1, 3-1-1993)
- C. Increase In Fees: All increases in garbage collection services made to the Village shall be immediately passed on to the residences, businesses, corporations and organizations which are using the Village garbage collection service. This increase may be made immediately with no written or verbal forewarning. (1993 Code p. 7 Ord. G-1, 3-1-1993; amd. 2006 Code)

8-3-5: **BILLS FOR SERVICE; DELINQUENCIES:**

- A. The billing of garbage collection shall be made a part of the water and sewer billings¹ issued by the Village. The same penalties and interest shall be charged on delinquent garbage collection bills as is charged on water and sewer bills. (1993 Code p. 7 Ord. G-1, 3-1-1993)
- B. In the event of failure of any person, association or corporation to satisfy any charge provided for herein, all water or utility service provided by the Village on garbage or trash collection shall be suspended until said charges shall be made current. (1993 Code p. 77 § 404.3-3)

8-3-6: **VILLAGE LANDFILL:** All use of the dumpsite of the Village, located at or near the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Nine (9) North, Range Five (5) West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Henderson County, Illinois, is terminated except for official use by the Village. No deposit of any waste

1. See section 8-1-10 and chapter 2, article A of this title.

material, garbage, junk or other substances shall be permitted. Anyone violating the provisions of this section shall be fined not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each offense. (1993 Code p. 11 Ord. 485, 7-2-1984)

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