

**CITY OF LADUE**  
**LICENSE RENEWAL – TRASH COLLECTORS**

Application is hereby made to the City of Ladue, Missouri for permission to carry, convey, remove, or transport trash upon public and/or private streets of the City. The Application for License Renewal and fee payment are due each year by March 1<sup>st</sup>.

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City and State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Main Point of Contact: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (Phone Number)

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you carry liability insurance on each truck(s) affording both personal injury and property damage indemnity? (**ATTACH A COPY OF COI**) \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of Insurance Coverage: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Where is trash disposed of? \_\_\_\_\_

Over what routes do you propose to transport trash? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List areas of Ladue currently serviced (neighborhoods, subdivisions): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

How often will you make trash collections? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What are your rates? \_\_\_\_\_

What will you accept in your regular collection?

a) Garbage and household trash: Yes  No

How many 30-gallon cans per collection? \_\_\_\_\_

b) Grass and leaves in bags: Yes  No

How many bags per collection? \_\_\_\_\_

c) Tied brush and branches: Yes  No

How many bundles per collection? \_\_\_\_\_

d) Bulk items: Yes  No

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the City of Ladue, Missouri Code of Ordinance 42 Article II Solid Waste (Sections 42-35 through 42-62) and agree to fully abide by all Rules, Regulations and Orders of the City of Ladue governing trash collections.

I hereby agree to provide services pursuant to St. Louis County Ordinance Section 607.181 requirements for minimum service levels; once per week solid waste collection, once per week recycling collection and biannual bulky waste collection.

I am aware that there is a fee of \$12.00 per truck paid to the City of Ladue.

Number of trucks to be licensed: \_\_\_\_\_ Truck Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT'S NAME, PRINTED

*If you have any questions or need to verify correct payment amount you may email us at [licensing@cityofladue-mo.gov](mailto:licensing@cityofladue-mo.gov) or call (314) 993-3439. This application is also available in alternative format (e.g. large print, braille) by request.*

<p><b>FOR CITY OFFICE USE ONLY</b> Licensed by St. Louis County _____ Verified By: _____ Date: _____</p>
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## **St. Louis County Ordinance**

607.181 - Minimum Level of Service to be Provided by Persons Providing One and Two Family Dwelling Residential Collection Services.

1. Each person having a license for a waste transportation vehicle who also provides one and two family dwelling residential waste collection services shall by January 1, 2008 provide for those residential customers weekly Municipal Waste collection, weekly Recovered Materials collection, and biannual bulky waste collection services. For purposes of this section, bulky waste shall not include Banned Items. If on January 1, 2008, a person is providing waste collection services to dwellings pursuant to a contract for a particular term, this section shall be effective on the later of January 1, 2008, or the expiration of the then-current term of said contract with respect to those dwellings.
2. Exception: Persons providing one and two family dwelling residential waste collection services to a municipality are exempt from the requirements to provide recovered materials collection within that municipality if:
  - a. The municipality provides and/or operates a drop off facility for recovered materials, and
  - b. After January 1, 2008, the municipality demonstrates that it has achieved a forty (40) percent waste diversion rate in the preceding six months, and after January 1, 2010 a fifty (50) percent waste diversion rate in the preceding six months.

(O. No. 23221, 5-29-07)

## **City of Ladue Ordinance**

ARTICLE II. - SOLID WASTE<sup>1</sup> Footnotes: (1) State Law reference— Authority to provide for disposal of garbage and trash, RSMo 71.680, 71.690; solid waste disposal, RSMo 260.200 et seq.

Sec. 42-35. - Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

*Approved incinerator* means an incinerator that complies with all current regulations of the responsible local and state air pollution control agencies.

*Bulky rubbish* means nonputrescible solid wastes consisting of combustible and/or noncombustible waste materials from dwelling units, commercial, industrial, institutional, or agricultural establishments which are either too large or too heavy to be safely and conveniently loaded in solid waste transportation vehicles by solid waste collectors, with the equipment available therefor.

*Collection* means removal of solid waste from its place of storage to the transportation vehicle.

*Demolition and construction waste* means waste materials from the construction or destruction of residential, industrial or commercial structures.

*Director* means the director of the solid waste management program of the city, or his authorized representative.

*Disposable solid waste container* means disposable plastic or paper sacks with a capacity of 20 to 35 gallons specifically designed for the storage of solid waste.

*Dwelling unit* means any room or group of rooms located within a structure and forming a single habitable unit with facilities which are used, or are intended to be used, for living, sleeping, cooking and eating.

*Garbage* means putrescible animal or vegetable wastes resulting from the handling, preparation, cooking, serving or consumption of food.

*Hazardous wastes* includes, but is not limited to, pathological wastes, explosive wastes, pesticides, pesticide containers, and toxic or radioactive materials.

*Occupant* means any person who, alone, or jointly or severally with others, shall be in actual possession of any dwelling unit or of any other improved real property, either as owner or as a tenant.

*Processing* means incinerating, composting, baling, shredding, salvaging, compacting and other processes whereby solid waste characteristics are modified or solid waste quantity is reduced.

*Refuse* means solid waste.

*Solid waste* means garbage, refuse and other discarded materials including, but not limited to, solid and semisolid waste materials resulting from industrial, commercial, agricultural, governmental and domestic activities, but does not include hazardous waste as defined in RSMo 260.360—260.432, recovered materials, overburden, rock, tailings, matte, slag or other waste material resulting from mining, milling or smelting.

*Commercial solid waste* means solid waste resulting from the operation of any commercial, industrial, institutional or agricultural establishment.

*Residential solid waste* means solid waste resulting from the maintenance and operation of dwelling units.

*Solid waste containers* means receptacles used by any person to store solid waste during the interval between solid waste collections.

*Solid waste disposal* means the process of discarding or getting rid of unwanted material. In particular, it means the final disposition of solid waste by man.

*Solid waste management* means the entire solid waste system of storage, collection, transportation, processing and disposal.

*Storage* means keeping, maintaining or storing solid waste from the time of its production until the time of its collection.

*Transportation* means the transporting of solid waste from the place of collection or processing to a solid waste processing facility or solid waste disposal area.

*Yard wastes* means grass clippings, leaves, and tree trimmings.

(Code 1969, § 13-18; Ord. No. 1114, § 1, 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-36. - Duty of occupants to provide containers; maintenance.

The occupant of every dwelling unit and of every institutional, commercial or business, industrial or agricultural establishment producing solid waste within the corporate limits of the city, shall provide sufficient and adequate containers for the storage of all solid waste except bulky rubbish and demolition and construction waste to serve each such dwelling unit and/or establishment; and shall maintain such solid waste containers at all times in good repair.

(Code 1969, § 13-19; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.1), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-37. - Sanitary use of containers.

The occupant of every dwelling unit and of every institutional, commercial, industrial, agricultural or business establishment shall place all solid waste to be collected in proper solid waste containers, except as otherwise provided herein, and shall maintain such solid waste containers and the area surrounding them in a clean, neat and sanitary condition at all times.

(Code 1969, § 13-20; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.2), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-38. - Container requirements; placement; exception.

Containers shall be leakproof, waterproof, reasonably animal proof and fitted with a fly-tight lid and shall be properly covered at all times except when depositing waste therein or removing the contents thereof. Solid waste containers for the storage of solid waste shall be placed at the rear or side of the building for collection and shall be screened from view from any public or private road. Tree limbs and leaves shall be stored for collection in accordance with a program set forth by the director.

(Code 1969, § 13-21; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.3), 11-18-1974; Ord. No. 2000, § 1, 7-19-2010)

Sec. 42-39. - Commercial solid waste containers; approval.

Commercial solid waste shall be stored in solid waste containers as approved by the director. Approval is given upon a showing that the containers will comply with all applicable laws and ordinances. The containers shall be waterproof, leakproof, reasonably animal proof and shall be covered at all times except when depositing waste therein or removing the contents thereof; and shall meet all requirements as set forth by section 42-59.

(Code 1969, § 13-22; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.4), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-40. - Tree limbs; separate collection.

Tree limbs ten inches in diameter or less and leaves shall be collected by the city under a program set forth by the director.

(Code 1969, § 13-23; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.5), 11-18-1974; Ord. No. 2087, §§ 2, 4, 6-16-2014)

Sec. 42-41. - Storage of yard wastes.

Yard wastes shall be stored in containers so constructed and maintained as to prevent the dispersal of wastes placed therein upon the premises served, upon adjacent premises, or upon adjacent public rights-of-way. The weight of any individual container and contents shall not exceed 75 pounds.

(Code 1969, § 13-24; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.6), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-42. - Disposal of unapproved containers.

Solid waste containers that are not approved will be collected together with their contents and disposed of.

(Code 1969, § 13-25; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.7), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-43. - Approved container locations; accessibility.

Residential solid waste containers shall be stored upon the residential premises. Commercial solid waste containers shall be stored upon private property, unless the owner shall have been granted written permission from the city to use public property for such purposes. The storage site shall be well drained; fully accessible to collection equipment, public health personnel and fire inspection personnel.

(Code 1969, § 13-26; Ord. No. 1114, § 2(2.8), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-44. - Ownership of collected waste.

All solid waste from premises to which collection services are provided by the city shall be collected. All solid waste collected shall, upon being loaded into transportation equipment, become the property of the collection agency.

(Code 1969, § 13-28; Ord. No. 1114, § 3(3.2), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-45. - Collection of bulky rubbish.

The director shall establish the procedure for collecting bulky rubbish.

(Code 1969, § 13-29; Ord. No. 1114, § 3(3.3), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-46. - Authority of collectors to enter upon private property.

Solid waste collectors, employed by the city or a solid waste collection agency operating under contract with the city, are hereby authorized to enter upon private property for the purpose of collecting solid waste therefrom as required by this article. Solid waste collectors shall not enter dwelling units or other residential buildings for the purpose of collecting residential solid waste. Commercial solid waste may be removed from within commercial establishments upon written request of the owner and approval by the director.

(Code 1969, § 13-30; Ord. No. 1114, § 3(3.4), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-47. - Frequency of collection.

The following collection frequencies shall apply to collections of solid waste within the city: All residential and commercial solid waste, other than tree limbs, leaves and bulky rubbish, shall be collected at least twice weekly. At least 48 hours shall intervene between collections. Solid waste shall be collected at such other intervals as may be fixed by the director upon determination that such other intervals are desirable and consistent with the preservation of the health and/or safety of the public.

(Code 1969, § 13-31; Ord. No. 1114, § 3(3.5), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-48. - Collector's responsibility.

Solid waste collectors, employed by the city or a solid waste collection agency operating under contract with the city, shall be responsible for the collection of solid waste from the point of collection to the transportation vehicle provided the solid waste was stored in compliance with sections 42-38—42-41. Any spillage or blowing litter caused as a result of the duties of the solid waste collector shall be collected and placed in the transportation vehicle by the solid waste collector.

(Code 1969, § 13-32; Ord. No. 1114, § 3(3.6), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-49. - Licensing, maintenance, and construction of vehicles transporting solid waste.

All transportation vehicles shall be licensed by the city and shall be maintained in a safe, clean and sanitary condition, and shall be so constructed, maintained and operated as to prevent spillage of solid waste therefrom. All vehicles to be used for transportation of solid waste shall be constructed with watertight bodies and with covers which shall be an integral part of the vehicle or shall be a separate cover of suitable material with fasteners designed to secure all sides of the cover to the vehicle and shall be secured whenever the vehicle is transporting solid waste, or, as an alternate, the entire bodies thereof shall be enclosed, with only loading hoppers exposed. No solid waste shall be transported in the loading hoppers. (Code 1969, § 13-33; Ord. No. 1114, § 4(4.1), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-50. - Transportation of earth, rock material, demolition and construction waste.

(a) Permits shall not be required for the hauling or disposal of earth and rock material from grading or excavation activities; however, all such material shall be conveyed in tight vehicles, trucks or receptacles, so constructed and maintained that none of the material being transported shall spill upon the public rights-of-way.

(b) Transportation and disposal of demolition and construction wastes shall be in accordance with section 42-51.

(Code 1969, § 13-34; Ord. No. 1114, § 4(4.2), (4.3), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-51. - Handling, disposal of hazardous wastes.

The director may classify certain wastes as hazardous wastes which will require special handling and shall be disposed of only in a manner acceptable to the director and which will meet all local, state and federal regulations.

(Code 1969, § 13-36; Ord. No. 1114, § 5(5.2), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-52. - Permit—Required for collecting, transporting, processing, etc., solid waste.

No person shall engage in the business of collecting, transporting, processing, or disposing of solid waste within the corporate limits of the city, without first obtaining an annual permit therefor from the city; provided, however, that this provision shall not be deemed to apply to employees of the holder of any such permit.

(Code 1969, § 13-37; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.1), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-53. - Same—Insurance requirements.

No such permit shall be issued until and unless the applicant therefor, in addition to all other requirements set forth, shall file and maintain with the director, evidence of satisfactory public liability insurance and workmen's compensation policies, covering all operations of such applicant pertaining to all employees, such business and all vehicles to be operated in the conduct thereof, in the amount specified in contracts with the city. Should any such policy be cancelled, the director shall be notified of such cancellation by the insurance carrier in writing not less than 30 days prior to the effective date of such cancellation, and provisions to that effect shall be incorporated in such policy, which shall also place upon the company writing such policy the duty to give such notice.

(Code 1969, § 13-38; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.2), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-54. - Same—Application.

Each applicant for any such permit or renewal thereof shall state in his application therefor:

- (1) The nature of the permit desired, as to collect, transport, process, or dispose of solid waste or any combination thereof;
- (2) The characteristics of solid waste to be collected, transported, processed, or disposed;
- (3) The number of solid waste transportation vehicles to be operated thereunder;
- (4) The precise location or locations of solid waste processing or disposal facilities to be used;
- (5) Customers serviced; and
- (6) Such other information as required by the director.

(Code 1969, § 13-39; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.3), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-55. - Same—Issuance; term; fee.

If the application shows that the applicant will collect, transport, process or dispose of solid waste without hazard to the public health or damage to the environment and in conformity with the laws of the state and this article, the director shall issue the permit authorized by this article. The permit shall be issued for a period of one year and each applicant shall pay therefor a fee specified in the permit.

(Code 1969, § 13-40; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.4), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-56. - Inspections; notice of violations; corrective measures.

In order to ensure compliance with the laws of this state, this article and the rules and regulations authorized herein, the director is authorized to inspect all phases of solid waste management within the city. No inspection shall be made of any residence unless authorized by the occupant or by due process of law. In all instances where such inspections reveal violations of this article, the rules and regulations authorized herein for the storage, collection, transportation, processing or disposal of solid waste or the laws of the state, the director shall issue notice for each such violation stating therein the violation or violations found, the time and date and the corrective measure to be taken, together with the time in which such corrections shall be made.

(Code 1969, § 13-41; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.5), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-57. - Suspension or revocation of permit upon failure to correct within specified time; extension.

In all cases, when the corrective measures have not been taken within the time specified, the director shall suspend or revoke the permit or permits involved in the violation. However, in those cases where an extension of time will permit correction and there is no public health hazard created by the delay, one extension of time not to exceed the original time period may be given.

(Code 1969, § 13-42; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.6), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-58. - Grievances; appeal.

Any person who feels aggrieved by any notice of violation or order issued pursuant thereto of the director may, within 30 days of the act for which redress is sought, appeal directly to the city council in writing, setting forth in a concise statement the act being appealed and the grounds for its reversal.

(Code 1969, § 13-43; Ord. No. 1114, § 6(6.7), 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-59. - Authority of director as to rules and regulations.

The director may, with consent and approval of the city council, make, amend, revoke, and enforce reasonable and necessary rules and regulations, governing, but not limited to:

- (1) Preparation, drainage and wrapping of garbage deposited in solid waste containers.
- (2) Specifications for solid waste containers, including the type, composition, equipment, size and shape thereof.
- (3) Identification of solid waste containers and of the covers thereof, and of equipment thereto appertaining, if any.
- (4) Weight limitations on the combined weight of solid waste containers and the contents thereof, and weight and size limitations on bundles of solid waste too large for solid waste containers.
- (5) Storage of solid waste in solid waste containers.
- (6) Sanitation, maintenance and replacement of solid waste containers.
- (7) Schedules of and routes for collection and transportation of solid waste.
- (8) Collection points of solid waste containers.
- (9) Collection, transportation, processing and disposal of solid waste.
- (10) Processing facilities and fees for the use thereof.
- (11) Disposal facilities and fees for the use thereof.
- (12) Records of quantity and type of wastes received at processing and/or disposal facilities.
- (13) Handling of special wastes such as toxic wastes, sludges, ashes, agriculture, construction, bulky items, tires, automobiles, oils, greases, etc.

(Code 1969, § 13-44; Ord. No. 1114, § 7, 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-60. - Prohibited practices.

It shall be unlawful for any person to:

- (1) Deposit solid waste in any solid waste container other than his own, without the written consent of the owner of such container and/or, with the intent of avoiding payment of the service charge hereinafter provided for solid waste collection and disposal;
- (2) Interfere in any manner with solid waste collection and transportation equipment, or with solid waste collectors in the lawful performance of their duties as such, whether such equipment or collectors shall be those of the city, or those of a solid waste collection agency operating under contract with the city;
- (3) Burn solid waste unless an approved incinerator is provided or unless a variance has been obtained from the appropriate air pollution control agency;
- (4) Dispose of solid waste at any facility or location that is not officially approved for this purpose;
- (5) Engage in the business of collecting, transporting, processing or disposing of solid waste within the corporate limits of the city without a permit from the city, or operate under an expired permit, or operate after a permit has been suspended or revoked.

(Code 1969, § 13-45; Ord. No. 1114, § 8, 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-61. - Service charges.

- (a) There shall be imposed, for the collection and disposal of solid waste, and for the improvement of the general public health and environment, a service charge for each dwelling unit and each commercial establishment. Such service charge shall be established between the occupant and the hauler and approved by the city.
- (b) The service and service charge shall be terminated upon presentation of satisfactory proof to the director that any such dwelling unit or establishment is unoccupied, and shall be commenced upon renewed occupancy thereof.
- (c) The system of services established by the provisions of this article is designed as an integral part of the city's program of health and sanitation. The city may enforce collection of such charges by bringing proper legal action against the occupant of any dwelling unit or owner of any commercial establishment to recover any sums due for such services plus a reasonable attorney's fee to be fixed by the court, plus the cost of such action.
- (d) The service charge herein provided for is hereby imposed upon the occupant of each occupied dwelling unit.
- (e) The director or such other city official who is responsible for preparing billings for the city, is hereby authorized to make and promulgate reasonable and necessary rules and regulations for the billing and collection of solid waste collection and/or disposal service charges, as hereinafter provided for.

(Code 1969, § 13-46; Ord. No. 1114, § 9, 11-18-1974)

Sec. 42-62. - Filing of rules and regulations.

A copy of any and all rules and regulations made and promulgated under the provisions hereof shall be filed in the office of the city clerk.

(Code 1969, § 13-47; Ord. No. 1114, § 10, 11-1)