WARNING
NOTICE OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF ELLINGTON
October 15, 2007

A special town meeting of the electors and citizens qualified to vote in town meetings of the Town of Ellington, Connecticut, will be held at the Ellington Town Hall, 55 Main Street, Ellington, Connecticut, on Monday, October 15, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. prevailing time for the following purpose:

To consider the revision to the Solid Waste Ordinance.

Dated at Ellington, Connecticut, this 2nd day of October, 2007.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

[Signature]

MICHAEL P. STUPINSKI
FIRST SELECTMAN

Copy of the revised ordinance is available for review in the Town Clerk’s Office and First Selectman’s Office.

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A. All waste haulers and collectors of any type of solid waste, special waste, bulky waste or recyclable waste shall register with the Department of Public Works and gain Town approval for hauling material prior to any transporting or collecting of any materials. The Selectmen shall adopt and implement application forms to identify the waste hauler, his address, name of the responsible person, mailing address, telephone number, and evidence of insurance for general liability for operation of a motor vehicle and contamination resulting from improper handling of waste material in the Town. A fee for such registration shall be set by the Board of Selectmen.

B. No waste hauler or collector shall knowingly mix recyclable material or special waste with other solid waste.

C. Any waste hauler or collector who or which violates this article shall be subject to the penalties provided herein as well as those penalties provided by the Connecticut General Statutes.


The Selectmen are hereby granted the authority to adopt regulations, policies or procedures to implement the following:

A. The method and time of residential pickup of waste material.

B. Amendments to the list if items included within any category or definition of waste.

C. Changes in the location of any collection centers.

D. Regulations to identify, qualify and assure financial and general compliance of waste haulers with this article.

E. Setting fees payable by each residential unit owner to cover the cost of this service and prescribing the methods of billing and collection.

§ 149-20. Unlawful acts; penalties for offenses.

A. It shall be unlawful to combine recyclable materials or hazardous wastes with solid waste refuse. Solid waste which has recyclable materials commingled with it shall not be collected, and recyclable material that has refuse commingled with it shall not be collected.

B. It shall be the responsibility of the resident to segregate properly the uncollected waste and either store or dispose of it at his own expense.

C. Allowing refuse to accumulate shall subject a resident to a citation for violation of the Sanitary Code as enforced by the North Central Health Agency.

D. The waste containers shall be kept clean and stored in such a location as not to constitute a nuisance or otherwise be objectionable.
Solid Waste

ORDINANCE 149-19

(f) Interests, costs of collection and liens.

Any claim or debt due for such a service charge shall bear interest from the due date at the rate and in the manner provided by the General Statutes for delinquent property taxes if such service charge is not paid within 30 days of the due date. Each addition of interest shall be collectible as a part of such service charge. Any such charge which has become delinquent shall constitute a lien upon the property against which the charge was assessed and may be collected by the Collector of Revenue or other person designated by the Board of Selectmen in accordance with the provisions of the General Statutes for the collection of property taxes. Each such lien may be continued, recorded and released in the manner provided by the General Statutes of the State of Connecticut for continuing, recording and releasing tax liens. Each such lien shall take precedence over all other liens and encumbrances, except taxes, and may be foreclosed in the same manner as a lien for property taxes. Any such charge may also be collected by the Town against the property owner in an action at law, together with the cost of collecting the same.