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RE: Residential Trash & Recycling Collection Contract

To All Residents of North Newton Township:

The North Newton Township Board of Supervisors has approved participation in a joint municipal trash collection and recycling program with Southampton Township. The goals of the program are to provide an economical trash rate to residents, provide for weekly curbside recycling and bulk item collection, and limit the number of trash trucks on township roads. The details of the program are outlined below.

1. Southampton Township serves as the coordinating municipality and will issue quarterly bills for the trash and recycling program. Customers will be responsible to pay Southampton Township for their trash collection service. The collection of delinquent trash collection and recycling accounts will be the responsibility of North Newton Township.
2. Participation is only open to residential homes and does not cover commercial properties.
3. Participation is voluntary, but all property owners are required to register either signing up for the service or claiming an exemption. Participation options are outlined on the enclosed registration form.
4. Single stream recycling will be utilized. All forms of approved recyclables may be placed in the recycling container for weekly collection. Recyclables shall include paper in the form of newspapers, newspaper inserts, magazines and catalogs, junk mail and envelopes, office paper, corrugated cardboard boxes, cereal, soda and tissue boxes and other paperboard packaging, paper towel and toilet paper cores, paper bags and telephone books. All paper items shall be dry and clean and shall be loose – not in plastic bags. Recyclable containers shall include such items as aluminum beverage cans, glass bottles and jars, metal food and beverage cans, plastic bottles and containers labeled 1 through 7. All containers shall be neck down empty and clean and shall not be contained within plastic bags. Plastic bags and Styrofoam are NOT accepted.
5. All customers may place one bulk item for collection on a weekly basis. Bulk items include white goods, furniture items, tires exclusive of steel rims, toilets, and carpets no larger than 9'x12'. A bulk item shall require no more than two persons to lift. Excluded are demolition materials and pianos. The trash hauler shall be responsible for removing Freon from any bulk item. Bulk items require advance notice with IWS. Please call 423-5383 to arrange for bulk item pickup.
6. Trash totes and recycling containers will be provided by the contractor, Interstate Waste Services, at no cost to the customer. Toters and containers remain the property of IWS and may be revoked by IWS or the township as a result of delinquent accounts.
7. Landlords shall be responsible for providing trash collection service to their tenants by registering their rental properties and being responsible for payment of trash invoices.
8. **Trash and recyclables will be collected on Fridays beginning January 6, 2012.**

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