

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 90, SECTION 90-9 RESIDENTIAL TRASH COLLECTIONS OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE CITY OF DEER PARK BY ADDING THE LIMIT OF WEEKLY VOLUME AND CLARIFYING THE RESIDENTIAL TRASH COLLECTION PROCEDURES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK:

I.

That Section 90-9 -Residential Trash Collection of the City of Deer Park Code of Ordinances is hereby amended in its entirety adding limiting weekly volume of Residential trash that can be picked up, emergency debris and clarifying the residential trash collection procedures.

II.

Section 90-9 Residential Trash Collection:

The city shall operate a trash collection service on a schedule separate from regular residential garbage collection service. The frequency of collection service in the city will be weekly. The city trash collection service will collect trash, provided:

- (1) All trash is contained within disposable bags, and/or containers, or is dismantled or broken down in such a manner as to afford easy and convenient hauling by the collection person.
- (2) All bulk trash / green waste shall be placed neatly behind curb in front of property no later than 8:00 a.m. each Wednesday.
- (3) All bulk trash / green waste shall not exceed ten (10) cubic yards once a week.
- (4) All logs, stumps and branches shall not exceed 24-inches in diameter and shall be cut in lengths, not to exceed four feet and shall be stacked neatly behind the curblane.
- (5) Any trash bag, container or bundle place for disposal shall not bear a weight in excess of 50 pounds. The weight limit is further defined as that weight which can be reasonably lifted by city collectors.

(6) Stoves, refrigerators, furniture or other large household appliances shall be exempt and excluded from being broken down as provided by subsection (1) of this section and the 50 pound weight limit provided by subsection (4) of this section.

(7) In the event of declared emergency such as a hurricane, tornado or freeze the debris management plan will be enacted in which provisions will be made to remove all debris as a result of the event.

It is officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 of the Government Code of the State of Texas.

In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1 of the City Charter, this Ordinance was introduced before the City Council of the City of Deer Park, **passed, approved and adopted**, on this the ____ day of _____, 2026 **by a vote of** _____ **“Ayes” and** _____ **“Noes”**.

MAYOR, City of Deer Park, Texas

ATTEST:

City Secretary

APPROVED:

City Attorney