

CHAPTER 16

HEALTH

ARTICLE I – GARBAGE AND REFUSE CANS

16-1-1 **RECEPTACLE REQUIRED.** It shall be the duty of every owner or occupant of any house, building, apartment in the City where people reside, board or lodge, or where animal or vegetable food is prepared and served at all times to maintain in good order a sufficient number of cans or receptacle for garbage, tin cans, bottles and similar kitchen refuse. It shall be the duty of the occupant of any such house, building, apartment or mobile home to deposit only wrapped garbage and other kitchen refuse in the receptacles provided for this purpose.

16-1-2 **DEPOSIT IN STREET.** No garbage or refuse of any kind shall be deposited in any street, alley or public way, excepting as is provided in this Article; no such refuse shall be placed that it can be blown about or scattered by the wind. Garbage shall not be burned except as herein provided.

16-1-3 **REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE NOT PRODUCED IN RESIDENCES.** Every person or corporation owning or controlling any hotel, restaurant, café, tavern or other premises where guests, customers or boarders are fed daily shall cause all offal, table refuse, shells and animal or vegetable matter commonly known and described as garbage, to be placed in proper garbage cans, which shall be practically air and water tight, and shall cause all such substances deposited in such cans or receptacles to be removed weekly from his or its premises. The removal and disposition of such substances shall be done by such person or corporation at his or its own expense solely, and in accordance with the provisions of this Article.

16-1-4 **PENALTY.** Any person violating any provision of this Article shall be fined **Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00)** for the first offense and **Fifty Dollars (\$50.00)** for each offense thereafter; and a separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs or continues.