

ORDINANCE NO. 50

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 35. AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A GARBAGE UTILITY IN THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH PROVIDING DEFINITIONS OF CERTAIN TERMS RELATING TO SAID GARBAGE UTILITY; PROHIBITING PRIVATE COLLECTION AND TRANSPORTATION OF GARBAGE; PROVIDING COLLECTION PRACTICES FOR SAID GARBAGE UTILITY; PROHIBITING CERTAIN ACTS WITH REGARD TO THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE; REQUIRING GARBAGE CANS TO BE EASILY ACCESSIBLE; PROHIBITING THE DISPOSITION OF GARBAGE OF TRASH UPON UNOCCUPIED PREMISES; PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF GARBAGE OR TRASH WITHOUT A PERMIT; PROVIDING FOR THE DISPOSAL OF BUILDING AND REMODELING REFUSE AND SPENT OILS OR GREASES; LIMITING THE ACCUMULATION OF GARBAGE OR TRASH; PROVIDING SERVICE CHARGES; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE FAILURE TO PAY SERVICE CHARGES.

WHEREAS, The Town Council of the Town of Mexico Beach has determined that it is necessary for the protection and preservation of the peace, safety, health and property of the Town and its inhabitants, and that this ordinance be enacted, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Establishment of garbage utility.

1. That part of Section 13, subparagraph (d) is amended as follows:

(d) Such fee shall be paid by the owner of such business house or establishment and/or residence on a quarterly basis in advance. Said fee shall be due and payable on or before the 15th day of January, April, July and October of each year. If any quarterly payment is not paid by said dates, a ten percent (10%) penalty shall be assessed to such quarterly payment. Any owner making a semi-annual payment in advance shall be entitled to a five percent (5%) discount of said semi-annual payment. Any owner making an annual payment in advance shall be entitled to a ten percent (10%) discount on said annual payment. If such owner fails or refuses to pay such garbage fee, said fee shall be assessed against and become a lien upon the lot, tract or parcel of land upon which the business or housing unit is situated, and the owner shall be responsible for all attorneys fees and costs necessarily incurred by the Town of Mexico Beach in the foreclosure of any such lien.

2. This amendment shall apply as to all lien foreclosure or lien enforcement proceedings filed after the effective date of this Ordinance.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

INTRODUCED at a Regular Meeting of the Town Council on the 14th day of January, A.D., 1975, and ADOPTED by the Town Council on the 28 day of January 1975

TOWN OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA

By: 
Mayor-Councilman

ATTEST:



Town Clerk