## ORDINANCE NO. 85-6-3

## AN ORDINANCE REGULATING SANITATION AND GARBAGE PICKUP

WHEREAS, the Indiana General Assembly has adopted the policy to grant local units of government all the powers they need for the effective operation of government as to the local affairs through Indiana Code 36-1-32-et seq;

WHEREAS, the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana has experienced difficulties in the collection of garbage, refuse and trash as a result of a nonuniformed method of collection; and

WHEREAS, the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana currently provides garbage and trash pickup service for residences and business sites in the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana; and

WHEREAS, the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana wishes to ensure efficient collection of all garbage, refuse and trash, hereinafter referred to as Garbage;

IT IS NOW THEREFORE ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana as follows:

Section 1: Garbage shall be placed in some form of disposable container, including but not limited to, i.e. plastic trash bag and/or a box with a lid. All garbage which is placed in a disposable container may be placed in a larger container for storage, but in no case shall any container or disposable container exceed the weight of fifty (50) pounds.

Section 2: No rocks, brick, dirt, or ashes shall be placed in containers containing other garbage and all garbage before being placed in disposable containers or in cans for storage and collection shall have been drained of any and all liquid. Furthermore, no burning trash will be picked up.

Section 3: Garbage storage containers shall be provided by the owner, tenant, lessee, or occupant of the premises. Garbage storage containers shall be maintained in good condition. Any container that does not conform to the provisions of this Ordinance

or has ragged or sharp edges or any other defects liable to hamper or injure the person collecting the contents thereof shall be properly replaced.

Section 4: Garbage storage containers which may be used as storage for disposable containers shall be made of metal, or any other suitable material equipped with suitable handles and tight-fitting covers, and shall be water tight. No person shall place any garbage in a street, alley, or any other public place or upon any private property, whether owned by such person or not, within this Town except in proper containers for collection under express approval granted by the Town. Nor shall any person throw or deposit any garbage in any stream or other body of water. Any unauthorized accumulation of garbage on any premises is hereby declared to be a nuisance and is prohibited.

Section 5: No person shall cast, place, sweep, or deposit anywhere within the Town any garbage in such a matter that it may be carried or deposited by the elements upon any street, sidewalk, alley, sewer, parkway, or other public place, or into any occupied premises within the Town.

Section 6: All garbage being greater in length than five (5) feet, shall be cut and tied in bundles not exceeding fifty (50) pounds in weight and five (5) feet in length.

Section 7: All brush must be tied in bundles not exceeding fifty (50) pounds and five (5) feet in length; and all brush collection arrangements must be made on an individual basis by calling the New Providence Town Hall at least one (1) day before collection as scheduled.

 $\underline{\text{Section}}$  8: All accumulations of debris and garbage of any kind caused by tree trimmers, building wreckers, or other contractors of any kind must be removed by said contractors at their own expense.

Section 9: The Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana has the right at any time to refuse collection services to those who fail to comply with this Ordinance.

Section 10: Industrial properties shall not receive garbage pickup services from the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana, and they shall be responsible for their own garbage pickup.

Section 11: This Ordinance shall be in full force on the  $\frac{17}{1985}$ .

PASSED and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of New Providence, (Borden) Indiana, on the 17th day of 1985.

Jack Jordan, President of the Board of Trustees, Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana

ATTEST; Lynn Gray, Clerk-Treasurer

Presented by me to the President of the Board of Trustees of the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana on this \_\_/7\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 1985, at the time of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ o'clock p.m.

Lynn Gray, Clerk-Treasurer

This Ordinance approved and signed by me on the 17 day of ..., 1985 at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock p.m.

Jack Jordan, President of the Board of Trustees of the Town of New Providence (Borden), Indiana