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ORDINANCE) 2 year #1-1967

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON, ARMSTRONG COUNTY, PA., PROHIBITING THE TRANSPORTION, ACCUMULATION AND DEPOSITING AND DUMPING OF WASTE, REFUSE OR GARBAGE WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON.

18 cl.

The Board of Supervisors of the Township of Washington, Armstrong County, Pennsylvania, hereby ordain and enact:

I

It shall be unlawful for any person to haul or transport by any means whatsoever any waste, refuse, trash, garbage, rubbish, decaying matter or organic waste over the roads, highways, alleys or lands within the Township of Washington aforesaid from a point outside the limits of said Township for the purpose of accumulating, dumping or otherwise depositing any of said matter on public or private property within the Township of Washington.

It shall be unlawful for any person to accumulate, dump or otherwise deposit on public or private land within the Township of Washington any garbage, rubbish or other material referred to in Paragraph 1 hereof which has been hauled or transported from a point outside of the Township of Washington to a point within the Township of Washington.

It shall be unlawful for any person having a present or expected interest in real estate as owner, occupant, lessee or otherwise, to permit the accumulation, dumping or otherwise depositing of garbage rubbish or other material referred in Paragraph 1 hereof which has been hauled or transported into the

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Township of Washington from a point without the Township of Washington.

This Ordinance shall not be construed to prohibit the owner or occupier of a property within the limits of the Township from depositing or dumping waste or refuse or garbage created or accumulated through his own use and occupancy of said property upon the said premises owned or occupied by him; providing, the same is not dumped or deposited in such manner as to constitute a public nuisance.

It shall be unlawful for any person to dump, throw or dispose of any waste, refuse, trash, garbage, rubbish, decaying matter or organic waste on public or private property within the Township of Washington within one-hundred (100) feet from the center line of any public highway located within said Township of Washington.

II

This Ordinance is passed for the purpose of protecting the public health, safety and general welfare of the citizens of the Township of Washington, Armstrong County, Pennsylvania, and to prevent any menace to the health of the citizens of said Township.

III

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a summary offense, and upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, and costs of prosecution, and in default of payment of such fine and costs, to imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) days, provided each day's continu-

ance of a violation shall constitute a separate offense.

IV

Should any violation of this Ordinance be deemed to be a nuisance and abateable as such by the Township of Washington, and said Township does abate same, said Township may collect the costs of such abatement, together with a penalty of fifteen per cent (15%) of such costs, in the manner provided by law for the collection of municipal claims, or the Township may seek relief by complaint in equity.

V

Should any section or provision of this Ordinance be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the whole Ordinance or the remaining parts thereof. The Supervisors hereby declare that they would have ordained the remaining sections if they had known of the invalidity of any such invalid sections.

Enacted and ordained this 4 day of 2,
1967.

The effective date of this Ordinance shall be
4 of February, 1967.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF TOWNSHIP
OF WASHINGTON

Adam Lenoch
Darwin W. Young
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ATTEST:

Isa. R. McAuley
Secretary