

**BOROUGH OF MOUNT PENN
BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE NO. 794

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT PENN,
BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 783
AND ORDINANCE NO. 653, CHAPTER 20, SOLID WASTE**

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Council of the Borough of Mount Penn, Berks County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby **ENACTED AND ORDAINED** by authority of the same, as follows:

ARTICLE I. Article III of Ordinance No. 783 amending Section 203 of Chapter 20 of Ordinance No. 653 of the Borough of Mount Penn shall be amended to read:

The Borough imposes a refuse collection charge (which includes the charge for recyclable and yard waste collection) for the calendar year on each habitable property at the rate to be established by resolution of Borough Council per dwelling, commercial or industrial establishment at which the refuse and/or recyclable collection service is provided by the Council of the Borough of Mount Penn. The fee will be prorated and invoiced for any dwellings that are converted from single family to multi-family dwellings or apartments during the calendar year.

ARTICLE II. Section 202, Definitions, of Chapter 20, Solid Waste, of the Borough of Mount Penn shall be amended to include Yard Waste, which should be defined as leaves, garden residue, tree trimmings, and similar materials with branches no larger than 6 inches in diameter.

ARTICLE III. Section 203 of Chapter 20 of Ordinance No. 653 of the Borough of Mount Penn shall be amended to read:

The Borough imposes a refuse collection charge (which includes the charge for recyclable and yard waste collection) for the calendar year on each habitable property at the rate to be established by resolution of Borough Council from time to time per dwelling unit, commercial or industrial establishment at which the refuse and/or recyclable collection service is provided by the Council of the Borough of Mount Penn. The fee will be prorated and invoiced for any dwellings that are converted from single family to multi-family dwellings or apartments during the calendar year.

ARTICLE IV. Section 211-6A of Chapter 20 of Ordinance No. 653 of the Borough of Mount Penn shall be amended to read:

A. Refuse pick-up is to be Tuesday and Friday. Recyclable pick-up to be on each Friday.

ARTICLE V. Yard Waste. The collection of leaves, garden residue, shrubbery, tree trimmings and similar materials shall be the first and third Monday of each month, April through November, inclusive. All yard waste will be collected in brown paper biodegradable bags manufactured for this purpose, or bundled in 4 foot or smaller bundles and tied with string. Branches can be no larger than 6 inches in diameter. There is a limit of 10 bundles of yard waste per pick-up.

ARTICLE VI. REPEALER Any Ordinance or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith shall be and the same are hereby repealed. All other sections of this Ordinance shall remain the same.

ARTICLE VII. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall become effective after due advertisement in accordance with the law.

DULY ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Council of the Borough of Mount Penn, Berks County, Pennsylvania, this 13th day of December, 2011.

BOROUGH OF MOUNT PENN
Berks County, Pennsylvania

By: Thomas A. Stauron
President

Attest:

Christine J. Hupf
Secretary

APPROVED this 13th day of December, A.D., 2011.

John J. Stauron
Mayor