



CITY OF BOSTON RESIDENTIAL TRASH REGULATIONS

- ❖ **REFUSE CONTAINERS** SHALL NOT BE PLACED OUT BEFORE 5:00 P.M. OF THE EVENING BEFORE THE DAY OF SCHEDULED COLLECTION. THEY MUST BE RETURNED TO THEIR NORMAL PLACE OF STORAGE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND NO LATER THAT TWELVE HOURS AFTER COLLECTION.
- ❖ **THERE MUST BE SUFFICIENT BARRELS WITH LIDS** FOR STORING ALL REFUSE GENERATED IN THE BUILDING. THEY SHALL BE OF METAL OR DURABLE PLASTIC MATERIAL. DISPOSABLE PLASTIC BAGS MAY BE USED FOR DISPOSAL BUT THEY MUST BE **SECURELY TIED**.
- ❖ RUBBISH CANNOT BE PLACED OUT FOR COLLECTION IN CARDBOARD OR PAPER BAGS.
- ❖ SMALL SIZED WOOD AND BRUSH CLIPPINGS SHALL BE SECURELY TIED IN BUNDLES NOT EXCEEDING 30 INCHES IN DIAMETER.
- ❖ NO BUILDING OR CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS SHALL BE PUT OUT FOR COLLECTION.
- ❖ **THE RESIDENT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PICKING UP ANY LOOSE TRASH FROM THE SIDEWALK FOLLOWING COLLECTION.**
- ❖ THESE REGULATIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR THE PURPOSE OF INSURING THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SITE CLEANLINESS THROUGHOUT THE CITY OF BOSTON. VIOLATORS WILL BE FINED FOR ANY VIOLATION OF THESE REGULATIONS

REPORT VIOLATIONS TO:

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