

RESOLUTION NO. 1 OF 2026  
GARBAGE COLLECTION and MANDATORY RECYCLING

WHEREAS, Council for the Borough of Exeter has historically established Ordinances providing for the collection of municipal solid waste and mandatory recycling, as well as establishing requirements for the purchase of Garbage collection stickers and Commercial Recycling Permit and collection standards.

WHEREAS, due to inflation and the increased cost of services, Exeter Borough Council is hereby reaffirming its commitment to enforce the Ordinances of the Borough, and in particular the ordinances involving Garbage Collection and Mandatory Recycling. The following requirements are hereby provided to residents and property owners in the Borough of Exeter.

**GARBAGE COLLECTION STICKER**

1. Chapter 66, Article IV of the Exeter Borough Code of Ordinances, establishes the standards and requirements for the purchase of Garbage Collection Stickers.
2. Section 66-12 (A) requires that "...all persons, residents, corporations, businesses, associations...who own any structure...used in whole or in part for residential purposes...to purchase a garbage collection sticker from the Borough of Exeter."
3. Section 66-12(B) gives owners of structures in the Borough "...used for commercial purposes" the option to purchase a garbage collection sticker from the Borough.
4. Purchase of a garbage collection sticker entitles the owner the right to dispose of six (6) garbage bags, per specifications permitted by ordinance, and one (1) bulk item weekly, pursuant to the Borough's contract with the garbage collector.
5. The cost of the garbage collection sticker is hereby established as \$ 410 per year, if paid on or before 3/31, of each year. Thereafter, if not purchased by April 5<sup>th</sup>, the owner is required to pay the face value of the garbage sticker, together with penalty established by ordinance.
6. For multifamily residential buildings, or structures which contain residential units and other nonresidential uses, the owner shall be required to purchase an individual garbage sticker for each residential unit in the structure.

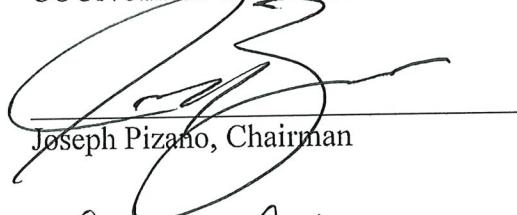
15. Each commercial establishment shall arrange with an independent contractor for private collection of the aforementioned recyclables, as well as for collection of remaining solid waste, which independent contractor shall comply with all governing statutes for proper disposal of same.
16. Any commercial establishment which elects not to purchase a Commercial Recycling Sticker, is hereby required to provide a report to Exeter Borough no later than January 15<sup>th</sup> the total number of tons recycled in compliance with Section 66-21 and Section 1501(c0(1)(iii) of Act 101.
17. Failure to comply will subject violators to the penalties established by ordinance and otherwise under law.

BE IT RESOLVED, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2026, that the foregoing standards, ordinances and requirements shall hereafter be in effect, until such time as may be modified by ordinance or resolution.

Attest

  
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Secretary

COUNCIL OF EXETER BOROUGH

  
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Joseph Pizano, Chairman

  
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Honorable Denise Adams, Mayor