TOWN OF COTTAGE CITY RESOLUTION 2019-12

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING RULES FOR REPLACEMENT OF STOLEN TRASHCANS

Introduced by: Commissioner-Chair Young

- WHEREAS, Chapter 3 of the Town Code of Ordinances regulates the use of garbage containers, storage of rubbish, refuse, stacking of materials, accumulation of trash, inspection of premises, trash collection, leaf pickup, an prescribes certain violations of said Chapter; and
- WHEREAS, the Town of Cottage City recently purchased new wheeled trash cans to be used by residents who receive trash pick-up and the use of these trash cans is mandated; and
- WHEREAS, from time to time theft may occur causing a resident to lose their trash can; and
- WHEREAS, the Town doesn't wish to be punitive with its replacement policy when a trashcan is stolen; and
- WHEREAS, it is deemed appropriate to make a policy regarding the replacement of trash cans when it can be shown that it was stolen.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by Cottage City Commission, that the following policy for replacing stolen trashcans is hereby approved and ordered:
- A. If a resident's trash can is stolen, they must immediately report it to the police department and obtain a formal police report;
- B. The resident should then report the theft to the Town Office Manager who will fill out a form recording the police report case number, the ID number of the replacement trash can, the reason for the replacement;
- C. Residents are allowed a free replacement trash can provided they show good cause for the loss;
- AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commissioner-Chairman shall be authorized to sign this Resolution on behalf of the Commission.
- AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect immediately.
- **INTRODUCED AND PASSED** by the Cottage City Commission at a Meeting on November 13^{TH} , 2019.

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ATTEST:

TOWN OF COTTAGE CITY, MARYLAND

Consuella Barbour, Town Manager

Ann Marshall Young, Commissioner-Chairman

CERTIFICATION

I, HEREBY CERTIFY, as the duly appointed Town Manager of the Town of Cottage City, Maryland, that on the 13th day of November 2019 with Aye votes and Nay votes, the aforesaid Resolution 2019-12 passed.

Consuella Barbour, Town Manager