Athens Township Zoning Code

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All exterior property areas and premises shall be maintained in a clean, safe and sanitary condition free from any accumulation of rubbish or garbage including broken trash bags, loose garbage, overflowing containers or an accumulation of excessive waste in a trash storage area. No owner or operator of any premises shall maintain or permit to be maintained at or on the exterior property areas of such premises any condition which deteriorates or debases the appearance of the neighborhood, adversely alters the appearance and general character of the neighborhood, creates a fire, safety, or health hazard, or is a public nuisance.

Section 6.16 Trash

- 1. If the topography of a lot permits it, dumpsters and trash handling areas should be located out of sight from public roads.
- 2. If it is not possible to locate dumpsters and trash handling areas out of sight, then dumpsters and trash handling areas shall not be permitted in the area of the yard between the public road and the side of the principal building closest to the road.
- 3. Trash cans and dumpsters are not allowed to be left in the front setback area.
- 4. Dumpsters may be left in the front setback area for a period of up to one (1) year during construction or remodeling.
- 5. Trash cans or bags are only allowed to be placed next to the street from 6:00 PM on the day before collection.
- 6. Trash cans must be removed from the street by 6:00 PM on the day of collection.