



# BOROUGH OF WEST READING CODE ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT

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## DUMPSTER/STORAGE CONTAINER PERMIT APPLICATION

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PROPERTY SERVED: \_\_\_\_\_

PROPERTY OWNER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

PROPERTY OWNER ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACTOR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ SIZE OF DUMPSTER: \_\_\_\_\_

TRASH HAULER: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF PLACEMENT: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF REMOVAL: \_\_\_\_\_

Ordinance #826 provides for the placement of waste dumpsters and storage containers upon the streets and sidewalks of the Borough of West Reading with the following requirements:

1. Such permit shall be valid for a limited time, not in excess of sixty (60) days. Under special circumstances, a permit may be extended beyond the original time limit with approval of the Borough of West Reading for an additional fee.
2. Prior to the issuance of the permit, the applicant shall procure and maintain at its own cost and expense comprehensive general liability insurance with a combined single limit of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) bodily injury and /or property damage liability. The Borough of West Reading shall be named as insured in said insurance policy, a copy of said policy must be attached with the application. Fifteen (15) days prior written notice to the Borough of West Reading of cancellation or changes in such insurance shall be delivered to the Borough prior to the issuance of such cancellation or change.
3. The material shall occupy only such portion of the street and/or sidewalk specified in the permit.
4. Such material shall be placed so as not to interfere with drainage of any street or sidewalk or with access to any fire hydrant.
5. Such material shall be arranged in a regular, neat and compact form so as to occupy a minimum of space and present the least risk of falling, sliding or scattering.
6. The holder of such permit shall be liable for all damage, losses, costs or expenses that are or may be considered by reason of the placing or storage of such material upon the street or sidewalk.
7. The holder of such permit shall be responsible for placing barriers, guards and warning lights in the vicinity of or around such material so as to prevent injury to persons and/or property.
8. On or before the date of expiration of such permit, all such material shall be removed from the street and/or sidewalk and the street and/or sidewalk shall be restored to the condition in which it was immediately prior to such storage, in default of which the Borough of West Reading may cause such material to be removed and placed upon the property where such material is to be used, with the expense of such removal payable by the holder of such permit, and collected in any manner provided by law.
9. Liquid leachate may not leak from the container onto any street, sidewalk or public right-of-way.
10. All intersection placement **must** be approved for by the Code Enforcement Department prior to the placement.

**PENALTIES:** Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provision of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine not more than Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00), and in default of payment, to imprisonment for a term not to exceed thirty (30) days. Each day that a violation of this Ordinance continues shall constitute a separate offense.

**PLACEMENT OF DUMPSTER: Provide a detailed location of buildings and location of dumpster on reverse of sheet.**

*I hereby certify I am the owner or authorized agent of the above-mentioned property listed for placement of a dumpster/storage container. Said dumpster/storage container will be placed in accordance with the information referenced on this application and will be in accordance with all applicable laws of the Commonwealth of PA and the Borough of West Reading.*

APPLICANT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**FEE (please specify length of time desired):**

First Week \$100.00

Each Additional Week \$50.00

(60 day maximum)