

## Cart Compliance with Village Municipal Solid Waste Ordinance

The ordinance says:

- Covers shall be kept tightly on the carts to prevent materials from blowing and spilling;
- All carts should be primarily housed inside a building during non pick-up days, however, if not possible, then out of sight of the street;
- The owner shall take any reasonable steps to make sure animals are not able to disturb garbage;
- During winter months, the property owner must shovel out an area in which the carts can be easily accessible to the disposal contractor as in summer months;
  - If this is extremely difficult, the contractor may decide the route and procedures necessary to pick up carts/bins;
- Any litter which is strewn about the area of the bins, when placed by curb, is the responsibility of the owner or designated agent, and must be removed no later than sundown of the evening of pick-up;
- **No person shall dispose or dump non-recyclable material in any container designed to handle or store recyclable materials;**
- All carts shall be placed at curbside (or where a curb would exist) for pickup. Carts are prohibited from being placed within the roadway;
- **All carts shall be placed and removed from the collection point within 24 hours of pickup.**

These rules were adopted to ensure that our roads and right-of-ways are as clean and aesthetically pleasing as possible. If you have any questions about the new cart policies, or the recently passed Recycling and Municipal Solid Waste ordinance, please view it online, or contact the Village at 869-1011.