



Borough of Beachwood



CODE ENFORCEMENT

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW!

VIOLATORS WILL BE PROSECUTED FOR:

1. Municipal Code 13-3.7 "Collection by unauthorized persons. It shall be a violation (of this section) for any unauthorized person or organization to collect, pick up or cause to be collected or picked up within the boundaries of the municipality any of the recyclable materials designed in subsection 14-3.3 of this section. Each such collection in violation of this section shall constitute a separate and distinct offense punishable as hereinafter provided (sub-section 14-3.11 (a) Violations and Penalties..... By a fine not less than two hundred fifty \$250.00 dollars, nor more than \$1,000.00 dollars. (b) Each and every day in which a violation of any of the provisions of this section exists shall constitute a separate offense.
2. Municipal Code 3-2 "Brush, Grass and Weeds" 3-2.3 "Notice to Remove; Removal by Borough; Costs a Lien." Upon the failure of any owner or owners, occupant or occupants, tenant or tenants to cut and remove or otherwise destroy such brush, weeds, dead or dying trees, stumps, roots, obnoxious growth, filth, garbage, trash and debris within ten (10) days after notice to remove same has been received from the Borough, (which notice may be effected by personal service or by mail, registered return receipt requested, the Borough shall cause the same to be removed under the direction of an officer of the Borough; and such officer shall certify the cost thereof to the Borough Council, which shall examine the certificate and, if found correct, shall cause the cost as shown thereon to be charged against the land and premises; and the cost shall be added to and become and form part of the taxes next to be assessed and levied upon the land, the same to bear interest at the same rate as taxes and shall be collected and enforced by the same officers and in the same manner as taxes.
3. SIGNS:
All signs posted by residents such as [yard sale signs](#) must be collected at the conclusion of the sale or event. Failure to do so may result in a violation of the municipal littering ordinance.
4. SIGNS—UTILITY POLES
No signs may be posted on utility poles as indicated in the below NJ State Statute.
Posting Signs & Banners on Utility Poles
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New Jersey State Statute 27:5-9 prohibits the placing of signs (political or otherwise) on public utility poles. In addition, Section 27:5-23 states "It shall be the duty of all departments of State or local government and all county and municipal officers charged with the enforcement of State and municipal laws under the direction of the commissioner to assist in the enforcement of the provisions of this act and the orders issuer or rules or regulations adopted pursuant to this act... the Chief of Police of an municipality are authorized and charged under the direction of the commissioner to enforce the provision of this act and any rules or regulations adopted pursuant thereto" Section 27:5-16 prescribes penalties ranging from \$50 to \$500 for each offense. Each day of the violation may be deemed to be a separate offense.



Code Enforcement Office falls under the supervision of the Beachwood Police Dept.

**You may direct your inquiries to:
(732)286-6000 Ext. 217.**

This number accepts voice mail and will be responded to.

**Office Hours are
Tuesday and Thursday
8:00—5:00**



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