

The proposed operational change would eliminate the need for additional loose leaf collection services November - February; therefore, Section 11-19 (h) is no longer applicable and has been removed. The proposed ordinance states the “Town Code shall be renumbered to reflect such deletion.”

Section 11-19(i)(12) Wet Cell Batteries

This section of the Town Code was changed to reflect the State of North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality’s (NCDEQ) list of items banned from landfill disposal. Carrboro Town Code states wet cell batteries may not be placed in household trash mobile containers; however, NCDEQ lists all lead-acid batteries (as provided in G.S. 130A-309.70), including (flooded) wet cell batteries and sealed lead acid batteries, as banned from landfill disposal.

Section 11-24(a)(b)(c) Recycling

This section of the Town Code was last amended on December 15, 1992 and states recycling containers, collection services, and a list of acceptable recyclable materials are provided by the Town of Carrboro. The Town Code has been updated to reflect current recycling collection services offered by Orange County.

FISCAL & STAFF IMPACT: The change in the yard waste collection will improve operational efficiencies collecting yard waste.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended the Board of Alderman approve all proposed changes in the attached ordinance amending Chapter 11 of the Town Code.