



# Lancaster

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### DUMPSTER PERMIT APPLICATION

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**Applicant Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

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**Dumpster Information**

Purpose \_\_\_\_\_  
Address/Location to be Placed \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Dimensions/Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Duration of Dumpster: Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ End Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Signature** (Applications and fee shall be submitted **BEFORE** container is placed.)

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**For Office Use Only**

Date Application Filed \_\_\_\_\_ Permit # \_\_\_\_\_  
Permit Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Permit Denied for the following reasons \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Regular Permit Paid (\$25.00) \_\_\_\_\_ Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ End Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Permit Extension Paid (\$15.00) \_\_\_\_\_ Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Final Permit Extension Paid (\$15.00) \_\_\_\_\_ Start Date \_\_\_\_\_ End Date \_\_\_\_\_

# City of Lancaster

Ordinance NO. 2021-05

## Section I:

### § 371-6 (G)

#### G. Dumpsters.

- (1) It shall be unlawful to place any dumpster on any part of public right-of-way (street, alley, highway, sidewalk, or any other public way) within the City without first obtaining a permit from the City Clerk/Treasurer. Permits shall be subject to approval by the Police Chief and shall be issued in the name of the person owning, leasing, or occupying the property where the dumpster is to be used.
- (2) In this section, dumpster shall mean a container larger than 96 gallons in volume which is designed to receive, transport, or dump waste, including but not limited to household, construction, demolition debris, and landscaping waste.
- (3) The permit fee for each dumpster placed within the City shall be set from time to time by the City Council for the following:
  - a. Regular Permit – allows placement for 15 days
  - b. First Extension – allows placement for another 15 days
  - c. Final extension – allows placement for another 15 days
- (4) Dumpsters may not be placed on or nearby any single property for longer than 45 days in any twelve-month period.
- (5) Permits shall be conditioned upon compliance by the permitter with the following with regard to placement of the dumpster:
  - a. The permitter will provide for the dumpster to be clearly marked with flashers, barricades, or reflective tape on either end of the dumpster
  - b. Location and maintenance. It shall be the responsibility of both the entity that owns the dumpster and the applicant to ensure safe and legal placement and maintenance of the dumpster, in accordance with this ordinance.
  - c. Placement of the dumpster shall be restricted to that portion of a street right-of-way which is closest to the curb.
  - d. General prohibitions on placement. The location of the dumpster shall not:
    - i. Block any building's means of ingress or egress.
    - ii. Block any fire lanes, handicap spaces, or pedestrian walkways.
    - iii. Obstruct a driver's view of traffic signs or signals.
- (6) No permit shall be issued if it is determined that the proposed location of the dumpster in a street or other public right-of-way restricts traffic conditions or public safety response.
- (7) No permit shall be issued if there is sufficient room for the dumpster upon the property being served.
- (8) Upon approval of the application payment of the permit fee, and the filing or completion of all additional requirements, the following requirements shall be observed and enforced throughout the duration of the dumpsters use:
  - a. All dumpsters shall exhibit a clear and legible demarcation of the owner of the dumpster and contact information for the owner.
  - b. All dumpsters located on private property do not require a permit but are still subjected to the conditions established in subsections (4) and (5) above.
  - c. All dumpsters shall be delivered or emptied in a timely fashion so as to prevent the overflow of debris of litter.
- (9) Failure to comply with the terms of this ordinance or the permit or failure to remove the dumpster upon expiration of the permit shall be grounds for the City to remove the

dumpster from the public street and charge the permittee the reasonable costs of such removal, as well as any storage costs in addition to other penalties provided in this Chapter.

- (10) The holder of any dumpster permit shall by the terms of the permit assume all risk of bodily injury or property damage to the permit holder and any/all third parties and indemnify and hold the City harmless against any and all claims, suits, or demands of any kind whatsoever which arise directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, from the placement, use maintenance or transport of the dumpster.