

**TOWNSHIP OF WEST BRADFORD
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

ORDINANCE 2005-04

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF
RECYCLABLES**

BE IT AND IT HEREBY IS ORDAINED, in accordance with Act 101 of 1998, "The Pennsylvania Municipal Waste Planning And Recycling And Waste Reduction Act," and its implementation through Township Ordinance 1993-03, "Recycling and Municipal Waste Collection Ordinance," that the burning of Municipal Waste and Recyclables is inconsistent with the Township's established municipal waste and recyclable collection program.

WHEREAS, recyclables as defined in the "West Bradford Township Recycling and Municipal Waste Collection Ordinance" include leaf and yard waste, which the Township encourages resident composting of, or the mandated municipal collection of.

THEREFORE, West Bradford Township Ordinance 1977-03 cited as the "West Bradford Township Refuse Control and Burning Ordinance," as amended by Ordinance 1999-03 shall be further amended as follows:

Section 7(1)(a) shall be deleted.

Section 10 shall be added as follows:

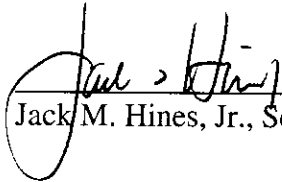
Section 10 – Prohibition on Burning Municipal Waste and Recyclables

- (1) The burning of municipal waste and designated recyclables shall be prohibited at all times in the Township. This shall include construction and demolition debris as defined in the "International Residential Code," currently adopted edition, as amended by Township Ordinance 2003-03 and any and all subsequent amendments, municipal waste as defined by Act 101 of 1998, and recyclables that include leaf and yard waste.
- (2) Nothing contained herein shall prohibit a farmer from carrying out the normal and customary activities of his farming operations as provided for under the "Pennsylvania Right-to-Farm Act," PA. CONS. STAT. ANN. §§ 951 et. seq., as amended by Act No. 1998-58 provided that such activities are conducted in accordance with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

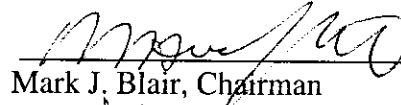
ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 14th Day of June 2005.

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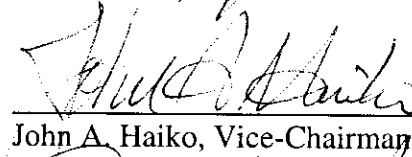
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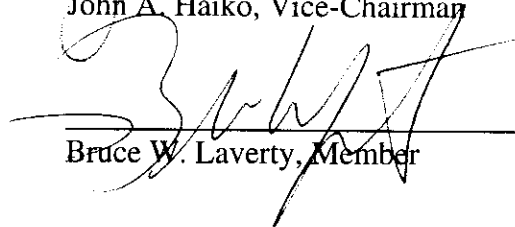
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