

**PULASKI TOWNSHIP  
BEAVER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. A-221  
LEAF RECYCLING**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PULASKI, BEAVER  
COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF  
LEAVES IN THE TOWNSHIP AND PROVISIONS FOR THE  
COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF THE SAME BY THE TOWNSHIP;  
PROVISIONS FOR PENALTIES AND VIOLATION OF THE SAME.**

**BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED** by the Township of Pulaski, Beaver County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same as follows:

**SECTION I:            PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Ordinance is to protect the public health, safety and welfare from the hazards and dangers involved in the processing, storage and burning of fallen leaves. In addition thereto, the purpose is also to comply with all relevant state and municipal waste recycling requirements.

**SECTION II:            DEFINITIONS.**

- 1. Person – any individual, partnership, corporation, association, institution, cooperative enterprise, municipality, municipal authority, federal government or agency, state institution or agency, or any other legal entity whosoever which is recognized by law as a subject of rights and duties.**
- 2. Leaf Waste – fallen leaves from any tree, shrubbery or other plants, plants, but NOT to include branches or limbs of the same or any grass clippings.**

**SECTION III:            PROHIBITION OF BURNING LEAVES**

**It shall be unlawful for any person to burn any leaves or similar material at any time and in any manner whether or not the same is contained in any type of receptacle or other confined area.**

**SECTION IV:            COLLECTION OF LEAVES**

- a. All persons shall separate leaf waste from any other waste of any type generated at any residential, commercial or industrial establishment and shall store the same on their premises until such time as they shall be collected by the Township.**
- b. The Township shall by motion of the Township Supervisors, designate annually the specific months or portions thereof for the collection of such leaf waste.**
- c. All persons, at the times designated by the Township shall place or cause to be placed all such leaf waste on the public roadway nearest to their place of residence or business for the purpose of collection by the Township.**

**SECTION V:            PENALTY**

**Any person shown violating the Ordinance, upon conviction shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$10.00 and not more than \$300.00, plus costs, and, in default of payment of said fine and costs to a term of imprisonment not to exceed thirty (30) days. Each date of the violation of this Ordinance continues shall constitute a separate offense.**

**ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 11<sup>th</sup> Day of May, 2002.**

**TOWNSHIP OF PULASKI**

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**Mable Henn, Secretary**

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**Chairperson, Ina Weber**