

NORTH CAROLINA



MITCHELL COUNTY

This Ordinance regulates the activities of persons entering upon or remaining upon premises maintained by Mitchell County for the collection or transfer of solid waste, commonly known as Convenience Centers. This Ordinance does not apply to employees or agents of Mitchell County employed in the collection or transfer of solid waste.

BE IT ORDAINED;

Loitering Prohibited: persons may enter upon the premises of the Convenience Centers only for the purpose of disposing of solid waste or recyclable materials and persons entering for those purposes shall not remain upon the premises longer than twenty minutes from the time of entry unless still actively engaged in the disposal of solid waste or recyclable materials.

Removal of Disposed Items Permitted: No person may go upon or within any collection bin or container holding sold waste or recyclable materials and may not remove any item from any container or remove any waste, recyclable material or anything whatsoever from any container or from the premises of the Convenience Center.

Other Prohibited Activities: No persons may go upon or within equipment or vehicles located within or at the Convenience Center. Equipment includes, but is not limited to, containers, compactors, loaders, lifts or other moveable apparatus used in the collection, compaction, disposal or transfer of solid waste or recyclable materials.

Penalty for Violation: Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor and punished therefore as provided in North Carolina General Statutes, § 14.4.

Effective Date: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on and after December 1, 2005.

Read and approved at the regular meeting of the Mitchell County Board of Commissioners on November 7, 2005.

Keith Masters, Chairman

Attest: Kathy Young, Clerk to the Board