

1 **BOARD BILL NO. 277 INTRODUCED BY ALD. CHARLES QUINCY TROUPE**

2 An ordinance pertaining to littering and the duty to keep sidewalks, parkways,
3 gutters, streets and free of litter and objects amending Ordinance 65799, approved March
4 29, 1974, codified in Section 11.18.060 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, and
5 enacting in lieu thereof a section pertaining to the same subject matter and exempting
6 waste materials dumped without permission for residential premises.

7 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:**

8 **SECTION ONE.** Ordinance 65799, codified in Section 11.18.060 of the Revised
9 Code of the City of St. Louis is hereby amended to read as follows:

10 11.18.060 Duty to keep sidewalks, parkways, gutters, streets and alleys free of
11 litter and objects.

12 All persons owning or occupying any private property, public building or
13 premises shall keep such premises, as the case may be, including the sidewalk, parkway,
14 gutter, street, and alley (to the centerline thereof) adjoining or abutting to the place so
15 occupied free and clear of litter. To this end:

16 A. All persons occupying, leasing, owning, or in control of any premises
17 shall keep such premises clear of litter. No person shall sweep or deposit litter onto any
18 public place.

19 B. The operator of a drive-in restaurant shall, at all times and at least, once in
20 each twelve-hour period during the restaurant's operation, dispose of all litter on the
21 premises, in authorized receptacles. The operator of a drive-in restaurant to provide at
22 least one authorized receptacle, accessible to its patrons, at each entrance or exit to the
23 premises on which such drive-in restaurant is located.

24 C. A person occupying a place of business, or an authority in control of a

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1 public building shall, at all times and at least, once in each twenty-four-hour period
2 during which it is open for business or to the public, collect and dispose of all litter on the
3 premises in authorized receptacles.

4 For purposes of this subsection, the managing operator of any shopping
5 center shall be deemed to be the occupier of such shopping center, including but not
6 limited to parking areas, parking lots and landscaped areas which are not leased or rented
7 to any particular tenant, not including any sidewalks, parkways or gutters adjoining or
8 abutting to any premises rented to a particular tenant.

9 D. The occupier of any residential premises shall at all times and at least
10 once in each calendar week, collect and dispose of all litter on such residential premises,
11 in authorized receptacles, including the sidewalk, parkway, gutter, street and alley (to
12 centerlines thereof) adjoining or abutting to such private premises. **The occupier of any
13 residential premises shall not be responsible for the dumping of waste materials as
14 defined under Section 15.80.010 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis.**

15 E. The occupier of any shopping center shall keep the area surrounding such
16 premises of such shopping center, including the sidewalk, parkway, gutter, street, and
17 alley abutting or adjoining to the place free and clear of all shopping carts pro-vided by
18 the stores in the said shopping center.