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Date:September 28, 2021To:All Homeowners (Lots) within the AssociationFrom:Board of Directors - The HAMLETS HOATopic:PWC - Solid Waste (Code 22) Amendment - Trash Code and new Law

As a follow-up to the (8-11-21) communication. On 12-15-20 The Prince William County (PWC) Board of Supervisors amended the county's Solid Waste Management (Code 22). This change is to ELIMINATE "yard waste" placement into the County Landfill and increase recycling of yard waste. The County has opened a NEW Yard Waste Recycle Center on Balls Ford Road. This change applies to all Trash Vendors and citizens in PWC. The entire document has been posted on the HOA's webpage for your review at:

HOA Webpage / Community / Notices <u>https://www.thehamlets.com/notices</u>

This change in the County Code (Law) will take effect on October 1, 2021.

## The <u>CHANGE</u> is pertaining to <u>YARD WASTE</u>

i.e. grass clippings, bush trimmings, leafs, plants, sticks, branches, etc.

## TRASH Vendor <u>NEW PICK-UP Parameters</u>

- 1. Yard Waste NOW HAS to be SEPARATED from other waste (or it will NOT be COLLECTED)
- 2. Yard Waste has to be in **PAPER** Bags / **NOT PLASTIC** Bags (or it will NOT be COLLECTED)

3. Branches and/or sticks need to be tied and bundled

4. Yard Waste can also be placed in a Third Separate trash container MARKED "YARD WASTE"

## **Our Trash Hauler**

- Charlie and Son is now Disposal Services LLC
- Our **YARD Waste PICK-UP DAY is Thursday** starting after October 1, 2021.
- Yard Waste Bins and/or Bags are the responsibility of the Lot owner.
- New vendor POC info is: 703-441-1111 / disposalservicesllc@yahoo.com
- The HOA will now absorb an additional cost for a 3<sup>rd</sup> pick-up day.

## EXTRA NOTE of AWARENESS

- Within The HAMLETS community there is an abundance of treed and forested areas.
- ALL of these treed and forested areas are PRIVATE PROPERTY or HOA COMMON AREAS
- Thus, please do not dispose of yard waste in another's property.