

**BEDFORD TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NO. 41A-3**

**AMENDMENT TO BEDFORD TOWNSHIP NOISE ORDINANCE**

An ordinance enacted pursuant to Act 246, Public Acts of 1945, as amended, to amend Bedford Township Ordinance No. 41, as amended, known as the Bedford Township Ambient Noise Level Ordinance, to restrict the hours of waste disposal service pick up time in any residential zoning district or in any zoning district in which residential uses are permitted, Bedford Township Ordinance No. 41, as amended; to generally preserve, protect and promote the public health, safety, and general welfare of the persons and property of Bedford Township; and to repeal all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict hereof.

THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BEDFORD, COUNTY OF MONROE, STATE OF MICHIGAN, HEREBY ORDAINS:

The following language shall be added to Section 116 of Bedford Township Ordinance No. 41, as amended, in the already existing language for *Waste Disposal Service*:

**SECTION 116. AMENDMENT OF SECTION 116.016**

Section 116 of Bedford Township Ordinance No. 41, as amended, entitled "Waste Disposal Services" shall be amended such that Section 116.016 shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced with new Section 116.016, which said new Section 116.016 shall read as follows:

**Section 116.016. Waste Disposal Service**

Sec. 16. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, authorized disposal services or garbage disposal services or garbage collection services to provide such services so as to create an unnecessary amount of noise. For the purpose of this section, noise emitted by equipment shall not be deemed unnecessary or without justification if the person, firm or corporation engaged in such services has to the extent reasonably feasible in the judgement of the Township Board, incorporated available sound-deadening devices into equipment used in rendering those services. Notwithstanding and in addition to the above prohibition against the creation of an unnecessary amount of noise, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, authorized disposal services or garbage disposal services or garbage collection services to provide such services in any residential zoning district or in any zoning district in which residential uses are permitted before 6:00 a.m., regardless of the amount of noise generated by the provision of such services.

**EFFECTIVE DATE**

This ordinance shall become effective the day after it or a summary of it is published in a newspaper of general circulation in the Township of Bedford, County of Monroe, State of Michigan.

THE TOWNSHIP BOARD, BEDFORD TOWNSHIP,  
COUNTY OF MONROE, STATE OF MICHIGAN:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Trudy L. Hershberger, CMC, MiPMC  
Bedford Township Clerk

AUTHENTICATED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Paul Pirrone  
Bedford Township Supervisor

I, Trudy L. Hershberger, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected and acting Township Clerk of the Township of Bedford, and I do hereby certify that this Ordinance was adopted by the Township Board of the Township of Bedford, Monroe County, Michigan, at a regular meeting of the Township Board held at the Bedford Township Government Center, Temperance, Bedford Township, Michigan, on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022.

The vote on said Ordinance, 7 members being present and 0 members absent, was as follows:  
Member's Last Name

Voting in Favor:	Hershberger	Gore	Jandasek
	Steiner	Bruning	Pirrone

Voting Against: Montri

Abstained: none

Absent: none

THE TOWNSHIP BOARD, BEDFORD  
TOWNSHIP, COUNTY OF MONROE,  
STATE OF MICHIGAN:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Trudy L. Hershberger,  
Bedford Township Clerk

Date of Signature: September 26, 2022

AUTHENTICATED:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Paul Pirrone,  
Bedford Township Supervisor

Date of Signature: September 26, 2022

I, Trudy L. Hershberger, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected and acting Township Clerk of the Township of Bedford, and I do hereby certify that a Notice of Adoption of Ordinance No. 41A-3, an amendment to Bedford Township Noise Ordinance, was published on the 30th day of September, 2022 in the Monroe News, Monroe County, Michigan, a newspaper of general circulation in the Township of Bedford, within thirty (30) days after adoption.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Trudy L. Hershberger,  
Bedford Township Clerk

Date of Signature: September 26, 2022

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Paul Pirrone,  
Bedford Township Supervisor

Date of Signature: September 26, 2022

ADOPTED: September 20, 2022

PUBLISHED: September 30, 2022

EFFECTIVE: October 1, 2022