



Garbage

Garbage Violations

We need every resident to help. Garbage must be secured and in containers. Loose garbage and containers that are not sealed often results in the scattering of garbage and debris on our streets and sidewalks. We can all help keep Kearny cleaner by placing garbage out in secure containers.

Do not put garbage out on Saturday nights for collection on Monday morning. Town summonses will be issued!

Town Code 20-1.4

**Town of Kearny
Department of Public Works
Kearny, New Jersey 07032**

Kearny On The Web

You can report a violation to the Public Works Department over the internet.

Check our web site at:

www.kearnynj.org



Recycle

Corrugated Cardboard

Corrugated cardboard boxes must be broken down and tied into bundles for collection. No waxed cardboard or any other type of cardboard but corrugated cardboard can be collected.

Corrugated cardboard boxes not broken down and tied into bundles will *not* be collected and summonses will be issued.

Your cooperation is essential for a successful program, cleaner streets and a litter free community.

Town Code 20-1.4 & 20-8.2

Violation Maximum Penalty \$500

Helpful Phone Numbers

Town Clerk: 201-955-7400

Public Works: 201-998-3700

Board of Health: 201-997-0600

Police Department: 201-998-1313

Construction Code Enforcement: 201-955-7880



Keep Kearny Clean



Quality of Life

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Keep Kearny Clean

The residents and business owners of Kearny deserve a clean and safe town. Unkempt and littered areas have a negative effect on our quality of life. It also discourages shoppers from patronizing our town businesses and makes it more difficult to attract new businesses.

A clean and safe environment is one of the fundamental building blocks of the Mayor and Council's vision for Kearny and one of the most often heard requests of citizens. To address this concern, the Town of Kearny is undertaking a "clean city campaign." This initiative includes increased enforcement of the town's "quality of life" ordinances, including our anti-litter, anti-graffiti and anti-speeding regulations.

We are also promoting a public awareness campaign to encourage citizens to maintain a clean and safe Kearny. This pamphlet is intended to remind citizens of their responsibility to keep our neighborhoods safe, clean and litter-free.

The success of this campaign depends on the involvement of all citizens. We need to foster a partnership with citizens, businesses and local institutions to take action against quality of life offenses.

Please take a few minutes to review this pamphlet. Kearny belongs to us. We must take pride in our community. Keep it safe, clean and litter-free!

Mayor Alberto G. Santos & Council

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Don't Throw Debris Down the Storm Sewer!



The catch basins on street corners gather rain water. In Kearny the debris you throw down a catch basin might end up in the Hackensack or Passaic Rivers. Please don't throw debris in the catch basin. Help keep our rivers and water ways clean.

Pitch In - Don't Litter



Litter is a problem that affects our entire community. We all need to "Pitch In" and make an effort not to litter. Litter baskets are being placed in numerous locations along our business district. All that is needed is a little support from the community. Place litter in the litter baskets. If a basket is not close by, hold on to your litter until you pass one. A cleaner Kearny is up to you.

***Littering violates the law!
Summonses are mandatory.***

Town Code 4-13.2

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For detailed program information and a brochure call the DPW at 201-998-3700.

Sweep Sidewalks



Cleaning sidewalks is everyone's responsibility. Your help is needed and would be appreciated. A few minutes a day would make a world of difference, a few times a day will make our community shine.

Town Code 17-3.1

Yield to Pedestrians - It's The Law



In the State of New Jersey it is the law to "Yield To Pedestrians" that are in a crosswalk. The Town of Kearny is marking crosswalks. A few priority locations have new signs placed on the center line to further warn motor vehicle operators that pedestrians have the right of way. Summonses will be issued to vehicle operators in accordance with State Law.

NJSA 39:4-36

Graffiti Hotline



Graffiti violates municipal ordinances and causes damage to public and private properties. The Town is making every effort to upgrade parks and playgrounds, improve neighborhoods and clean our streets. Graffiti damages our community image, reflects poorly on our neighborhoods and causes deterioration of our community.

Report graffiti as soon as it is detected by calling the Graffiti Hotline at 201-955-7889.

NJSA 2C:17-3

Leash Law

All dogs must have a license. On public property a dog must be on a leash at all times with a responsible person.

Pooper Scooper Law



Dog litter must be removed immediately, whether on public or private property. Streets and recreation areas are patrolled. Anyone found not obeying the law will be issued a summons. If any resident has a complaint regarding animals, please call the Health Department at 201-997-0600.

BE A RESPONSIBLE PET OWNER!

Town Code 9-3.1