ORDINANCE NO._____

ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES
RELATING TO SNOW, ICE AND REFUSE CONTAINERS

1. Section 4-6-3, Subd A, of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

4-6-3: **SAFETY-RELATED NUISANCES**: The following are declared to be nuisances affecting public safety:

A. Snow, Ice: All snow and ice not removed from public sidewalks ~~twelve (12)~~ **twenty-four (24)** hours after the snow or other precipitation causing the condition has ceased to fall.

2. Section 4-7-4 of Title 4 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

4-7-4: **CONTAINERS:**

A. General Requirements: Every householder, occupant or owner of any residence and any restaurant, industrial establishment or commercial establishment shall provide, on the premises, one or more nuisance-free containers to receive and contain all refuse which may accumulate between collections. All normal accumulations of refuse shall be deposited in such containers.

~~B. Placement: Where an alley open to traffic is available, each container for premises abutting the alley shall be placed at the rear of the property next to the alley. Where no alley exists, the containers shall be stored near the rear door of the building to which it relates and be placed at the front property line for collection and shall be returned to the rear of the building by eight o'clock (8:00) P.M. the day of collection.~~

B. Placement: It shall be the duty of the property owner or occupant to place their garbage containers where the refuse is to be collected, but in no event shall containers be placed in the street or on the sidewalk or in any manner placed where the containers will interfere with vehicular or pedestrian traffic. It shall be the responsibility of the property owner or occupant to place the containers no earlier than 6:00 p.m. of the afternoon preceding the collection day and to remove all containers and any materials not picked up by the licensed refuse hauler from the location next to the street or alley by 8:00 pm on the day of collection. Up to two refuse/recycling containers per residential housing unit may be stored outside. Any refuse/recycling containers exceeding a total of two must be stored inside or screened from view from the public and neighboring property owners.

C. Use Of Containers: Refuse shall be drained of liquid, and highly inflammable or explosive material shall not be placed in containers.

3. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage and publication.

Adopted by the City Council of Sartell on the 12th day of May, 2014.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Administrator

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SUMMARY ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4 OF THE CITY CODE

Title 4 of the City Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to provide 24 hours from cessation of snowfall to remove snow/ice from public sidewalks and to provide for two refuse/recycling containers per housing unit to be stored outside. Additional containers must be stored inside or screened from view.

The City Council has determined that publication of this title and summary ordinance will clearly inform the public of the intention and effect of the ordinance. The Council also directs that only the title and this summary be published. A copy of the entire text of the ordinance is available for inspection by any person at the office of the City Clerk any Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Adopted by the City Council of Sartell on the 12th day of May, 2014.

__s/_____
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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City Administrator

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