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Guidelines for Obtaining a Second Barrel

Although the Board of Health is encouraging residents to give the new single barrel program a chance, residents that feel they will need an additional trash container may obtain one from the Board of Health subject to the following:

There is a \$40.00 per quarter charge for servicing the barrel. This fee is payable in advance for the entire fiscal year. Residents obtaining the second barrel at the inception of the program would need to come into the Board of Health with a check in the amount of \$160.00 payable to the Town of Rockland. Residents that wait until the second billing quarter (October, November, and December) would need to come to the Board of Health office with a check in the amount of \$120.00. As of December 31, 2016, no additional barrels will be issued for the remainder of the fiscal year,

Residents that obtain an additional barrel will sign an agreement committing to the second barrel for the entire fiscal year. The fiscal year runs until June 30, 2017.

In July, residents that have obtained a second barrel will be billed for servicing the additional barrel for the period July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018. Payments will be due by July 31, 2017. Any outstanding balances will result in removal of the second barrel.

Reminder, the \$40.00 per quarter charge is not for the barrel, but for servicing the barrel. All containers remain the property of the Town of Rockland.

Service fees for the second barrel are non-refundable.

Should a resident decide that the second barrel is not necessary, they should contact the Board of Health to make arrangements to return the barrel. Returned barrels must be cleaned prior to return.

In an effort to increase recycling, additional recycling containers will be provided and there will be no charge for the servicing of that container.