

COUNTY RESOLUTION

82-594

POLICY COVERING THE DISPLAY OF AN IDENTIFICATION EMBLEM ON REFUSE VEHICLES WHICH ROUTINELY USE THE PINELLAS COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SYSTEM.

1. All municipal and commercial owners shall have **affixed, attached, or painted** on each vehicle used to transport refuse to the System, an identification emblem which conforms to the design, size, and style shown on exhibit "A" to this Resolution. A separate but similar identification emblem shall be **affixed, attached, or painted** on each metal container or trailer, which can be handled or moved separately.
2. Location of the identification emblem shall be established to provide easy recognition by the weigh-scale attendant, while conducting the transaction. When possible, the emblem shall be placed on **left front edge of the vehicle body facing forward** or to the **left**. When such locations are not practical, the emblem may be located on the **cab door just below the window**. Right hand drive trucks require comparable placement on the right side of such vehicles.
3. Layout of the emblem shall be arranged to provide both owner and vehicle identification by use of a **six-digit number**. The **first three** numerals are reserved for **owner identification** and the **second three** numerals are reserved for **vehicle** or container identification, and a hyphen shall be inserted between the third and fourth digit.
4. The **first three numerals** shall be those specifically **reserved for the municipality or commercial owner** as assigned by the Solid Waste and are not transferable. Additional names with corresponding numerals will be added, as circumstances require. The second three numerals used to identify a particular vehicle or the owner based on his own numbering system shall supply container.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a corollary activity to the display of an identification number on refuse vehicles is the program to obtain **tare weights** and thus eliminate the need for re-weighing following each refuse disposal transaction. Owners can save time and expense by having each vehicle in their fleet report to the Solid Waste Entrance facility promptly on the date and time scheduled for determining the tare weight of such vehicles.

Account Information Placement

Account holders are required to number all trucks, trailers and containers in their fleet. The customer is responsible to provide their own tools, paint or stickers to attach the information on the units. The account information is necessary for the Scalehouse Operators to clearly identify the account, truck, and container or trailer numbers for weight and billing accuracy.

Please follow the guidelines bellow when adhering your account information to the vehicles:

- The first three digits in the sequence is the Solid Waste issued account number (provided when the account is activated in the system). May contain a letter. This must be attached to all units.
- The second three digits in the sequence are the numbers you assign to the truck, container or trailer.
- DO NOT use the same number twice. DO NOT use letters when you assign the second three digits in the sequence.
- The account, vehicle, container or trailer numbers must be permanently affixed.
- No magnets will be accepted.
- DO NOT use numbers 990 to 999 as a truck, container or trailer number. These numbers are reserved for system use only.
- The account holder will decide and assign what numbers to use for their fleet vehicles, containers, or trailers.
- The letters and numbers must be at least 3 inches in height and 12 inches in width (3' X 12")

Refer to the examples below for placement options:

1. Left front edge of the vehicle body facing forward or to the left.
2. The cab door just below the window.
3. Right hand drive trucks require comparable placement on the right side of such vehicles.

For #3 above, is the requirement left or right. You can determine which when you do the example of the placements.

Layout of the emblem shall be arranged to provide both owner and vehicle identification by use of a six-digit number, see below. (The account I.D. may contain a letter)

1. The first three numerals are reserved for owner identification
2. The second three numerals are reserved for vehicle, trailer or container identification,

A hyphen shall be inserted between the third and fourth digit.

EXAMPLE:



124-638

3"

3'x12'
Min. Ht. &
Min. O.A. 3'x12"

EXHIBIT "A"

Account Information Placement

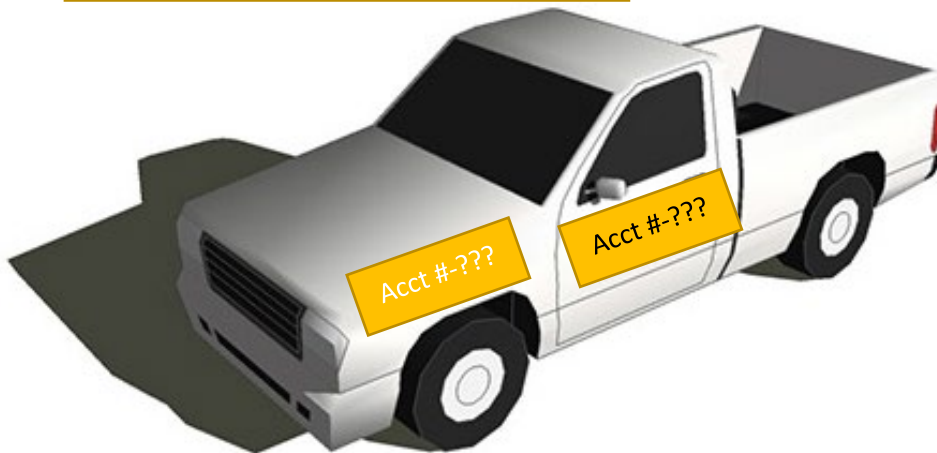
Account number: must be permanently affixed to the vehicle

- Place the **Account #** (issued by Solid Waste) – **Truck #** (issued by account holder) on the outside of the driver side door below the window or on the driver side wall of the box truck. The numbers must be visible by the Scalehouse operator.
- Do NOT duplicate any truck (or trailer/container) number.
- Should you have any questions, please contact us at 727-464-7500

Truck: account # & truck

Placement can be on the hood, visible on the left side or underneath the driver's side window.

Correct Placement indicated by the boxes

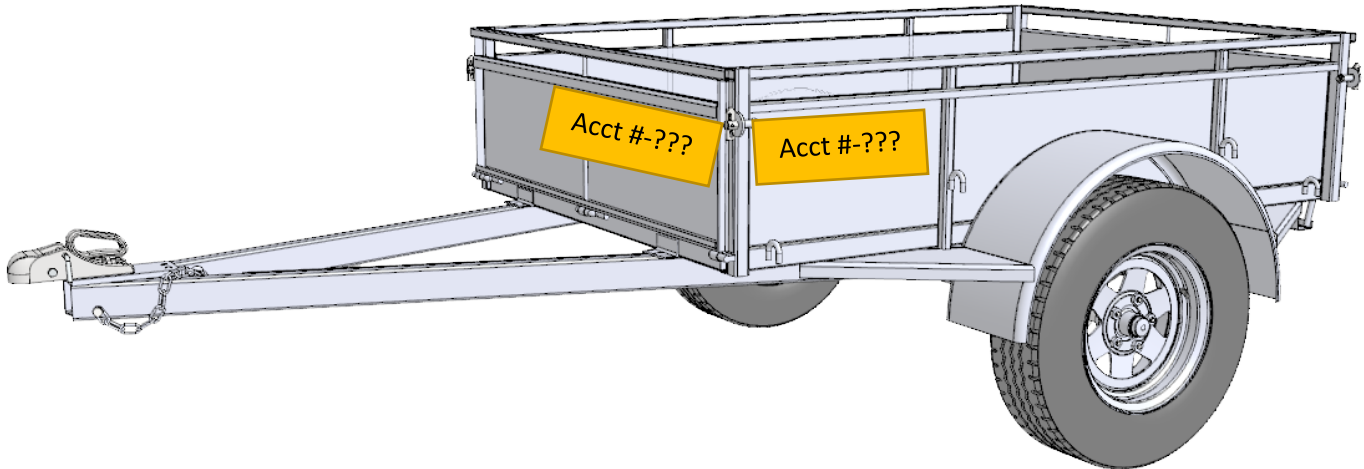


Trailers: account number and trailer number

Placement can be on the front left of the trailer, or the left side of the trailer.

Correct Placement indicated by the boxes

Account Information Placement



Commercial Vehicles (One Unit): Dump Trucks, Front Loader, Rear Loader, Side Loader, Claw Truck, Box Trucks

Placement on the hood, visible on the left side or underneath the window on the left side of the vehicle.

Correct Placement indicated by the boxes



Correct Placement indicated by the boxes

Account Information Placement



Placement on the hood, visible on the left side or underneath the window on the left side of the vehicle.

Correct Placement indicated by the boxes



Commercial Vehicles (Two Units): Tractor and Trailer, Roll-Off and Containers - DO NOT DUPLICATE TRUCK AND TRAILER NUMBERS. The numbers for the truck and trailer must be unique to the truck and trailer.

Correct Placement indicated by the boxes

Account Information Placement



Correct Placement indicated by the boxes

