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Section 79849@ Solid Waste Containers

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(a)

All containers, used for storage or transporting of solid wastes, shall be in good repair and be leakproof and rodent proof.

(b)

Movable containers shall additionally have the approval of the local health department if applicable.

(c)

All containers holding or receiving medical or putrescible wastes shall have tight-fitting covers and shall be emptied at least every four (4) days, or more often if necessary.

(d)

Solid waste containers shall be thoroughly washed and cleaned each time they are emptied unless soil contact surfaces have been completely protected from contamination by disposable liners, bags or other devices removed with the waste. Each movable bin shall provide for suitable access and a drainage device to allow complete cleaning at the storage area.