

UNSOLICITED LITERATURE

The following is excerpted from Colts Neck Municipal Code, Chapter 148:

LITERATURE — Any newspaper, magazine, handbill, pamphlet, circular, dodger or any other piece of commercial paper or otherwise, not including mail

OBJECTOR — Any adult person and any firm, partnership, association, corporation, company or organization of any kind who or which is a resident of the Township of Colts Neck and who or which objects to the depositing of literature, other than mail, on his, her or its property in accordance with the procedures set forth in this chapter.

UNIMPROVED PROPERTY — Any and all lots, plots and parcels of land containing no habitable structure or business use.

Any resident or owner who objects to receiving unsolicited literature, other than mail, may, in writing, so notify the Township Clerk. Such notice shall be signed by the objector and shall reasonably identify the property to which it applies. The Township Clerk shall keep said notices on file in the township offices and shall deliver a copy or list of the same to the State Police located within the Township of Colts Neck

The form of the aforesaid notice may be substantially as follows: "The undersigned, being the (owner/resident) of (street address) in the Township of Colts Neck, hereby objects to the placement of unsolicited literature, other than mail, on the aforesaid premises."

Each such notice shall be effective upon receipt by the Township Clerk and shall remain effective until the Township Clerk receives written notice from the objector that the objection is to be removed or the objector moves from the Township of Colts Neck. Upon receipt of such removal notice or change of address of the objector, the Township Clerk shall appropriately amend the file and shall so notify the State Police

Any person desiring to place unsolicited literature on any private residential property in the Township of Colts Neck shall have access to the aforesaid files during regular business hours.

The aforesaid files shall constitute, insofar as any person desiring to place unsolicited literature on private residential property in the Township of Colts Neck is concerned, notice of objections thereto.

Nothing herein shall be construed to limit in any way the right of any person to solicit the consent of the objector to the receipt of any specific item of literature at any time or on a continuing basis.

We have been advised that commencing September 17, 2008, Greater News Media will be dropping off a supply of the weekly News Transcript at Colts Neck Town Hall and Colts Neck Library. Anyone requiring assistance in this regard should contact the Municipal Clerk's Office, 732-462-5470, x 100.