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Kenner, LA. – In response to the failure by Ramelli Waste owner Bob Ramelli to remove his company's trash containers throughout the city, the company has been issued a summons in Kenner Mayor's Court for 22,000 separate violations of Kenner's litter law, Mayor Ben Zahn announced.

That legal action by the city of Kenner on behalf of all residents was taken earlier today.

"Many residents had trash in Ramelli cans that was not collected before IV Waste took over as the city's legal garbage contractor on May 1," Mayor Zahn said. "No matter how Mr. Ramelli feels about losing the contract, it is inconceivable and unconscionable to take actions that could create a health hazard for anyone. I will not tolerate any city contractor treating the residents of Kenner in this way."

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