

**Good Practice in Integration of Waste Management Solutions
into the Urban Décor of Heritage Areas**

N°.	Section	Description
0.	Title of the practice	<i>Location of waste containers</i>
1.	Photograph	 <p data-bbox="408 1361 944 1393"><i>Photo 1. Containers are located in the courtyard</i></p>



Photo 2. Special solution for waste containers in Old Town of Tallinn

2.	Proposers	City of Tallinn
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4.	Useful links	Waste management act of Tallinn
5.	Start date	Year 2008
6.	Activities' state of the art	<u>Ongoing</u>
7.	Location	City of Tallinn
8.	Inhabitants in the area	445 000
9.	Description of the practice	
	<p><u>Origin:</u> Waste containers must be placed on the waste holder property. In Tallinn Old Town area it is forbidden to place waste containers on the street. It is allowed only if there is constructed a waste storehouse. Main locations where Old Town inhabitants hold their waste containers are courtyards, basements or staircases.</p> <p><u>Development and Timescale:</u> The city of Tallinn have had the policy for a long time and will continue in the future.</p> <p><u>Actors involved:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tallinn Environment Department • Tallinn City District Governments <p><u>Legal framework:</u> According to the Waste Management Act of Tallinn it is not allowed to place waste containers on the street in the area of Old Town. It is allowed only if there is constructed a waste storehouse.</p> <p><u>Financial framework:</u> (activities' cost, activities' revenues (if any), model/s of financing used) Residents of Old Town must find the proper location for their containers. If there is no space, one option is to share their containers with other property owners. If there is no room then City District Government can allow to place the containers on public land, if it is possible to build waste storehouse.</p>	
10.	Results	
	<p><u>Proven results (through indicators):</u> There is more free space in Old Town and it allows to achieve aesthetic appearance.</p> <p><u>Possible success factors:</u> Some cases need special approach to find the solution.</p> <p><u>Main difficulties encountered:</u> In some properties it is hard to find space for waste containers.</p>	
11.	Main lessons learnt from the practice	The location of waste containers have to be planned before the construction, but in the area of Old Town it is not possible and each case needs a special approach.



12.	Additional information	www.tallinn.ee