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Letter: Council members should resign if referendums pass

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To the Editor:

Virginia Barney's column attempting to put a positive spin on the change in trash service (Upper Arlington News, Aug. 6) appears to be a lot of nonsense.

The new service is significantly more expensive. I am paying 34 percent more for the privilege of lugging my trash can to the curb because my household does not generate a lot of trash. What City Council has done is create a system where people who don't have a lot of trash subsidize people who do.

Because recyclables are not picked up until late in the day, we often have trash in the streets, even when the wind is not blowing. Upper Arlington has never had that before.

And the referendum is certainly not a moot point. If either the trash referendum or the Tremont road rezoning referendum is passed, City Council's judgement will have been thoroughly repudiated, and I expect them to resign. If they do not, they should be removed by recall. City Council cannot be permitted to do any further damage to this community.

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