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Good afternoon Misty,

This weekend, I moved to downtown New Haven as a new resident. After a long day of moving furniture and unpacking, all I wanted was a night of restful sleep to be prepared for work the next morning. Shortly after 2 AM, I was awoken by an All American Waste garbage truck at the intersection of Orange and Center Street. The driver repeatedly backed up and stopped, attempting to fit the truck under lighting fixtures above the alleyway opposite Center Street.

While I was fully aware that I would experience higher levels of traffic noise in a downtown area, I did not expect this level of disruption at such an obscene hour. The lack of sleep due to this incident directly impacted my job performance the next morning. I am in full support of rules requiring garbage collection trucks to have GPS installed, as well as precautions in place to prevent turning off or disabling the GPS units.

Thank you,
Adam Weber