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Metro resident says weekly batch of ads, coupons trashes neighborhood streets



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## Morgan Chesky f

Anchor/Reporter

**OKLAHOMA CITY** — Take a drive through Derek Stevens neighborhood and for almost every house, you'll find the plastic-wrapped present Stevens never signed up for.

"They generally just look trashy in the neighborhood," said Stevens as he stood over a pile of decrepit newspapers. The supplement is called, "The Buyer's Edge," a weekly batch of ads and coupons Stevens says only sells him on its ability to trash his streets.

"I got these in about 20 minutes," he said as he pointed to a pile in his driveway. "All of these just sitting out in the street along these three blocks of neighborhood."

For those who don't want the paper, the Oklahoman tells KOCO you can call and opt out, but from the number of papers littering the streets, it's clear many aren't making the call.

"If it's happening here in my neighborhood then it's probably happening all over the city," Stevens said.

The company that delivers Buyer's Edge said nearly a 250,000 papers go out each and every week. The only way off the list is to ask and the city said the deliveries fall in line with city code.

If you'd like to opt out of Buyer's Edge delivery, call 405-478-7171.