Game Title: Take Out the Trash Platform: PC – WebGL (itch.io) Feedback By: Syed Irtiza

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## General UX & Gameplay Observations

#### 1. Lack of Onboarding or Instruction

- There are no instructions or prompts guiding the player on what to do at the beginning.
- The core task (taking out trash) must be discovered through trial and error.
- The dumpster is placed far away from the house with no visual or gameplay hint pointing toward it.
- Many players may initially feel lost or stuck, especially during first-time gameplay.

#### 2. Limited Interaction and Player Agency

- There is no ability to **jump**, use items, or interact with objects beyond the trash bags.
- The player cannot carry more than one trash bag at a time, which slows pacing but isn't explained.
- After the fourth trash bag is placed, the killer appears but the game doesn't explain this as a consequence or goal.
- Aside from "run around," the player has no further gameplay or defensive options.

#### 3. Endings Are Unclear and Untracked

- There are supposedly three endings, but there is no in-game documentation, UI tracking, or hints toward unlocking them.
- The player may accidentally trigger the same ending multiple times (e.g., Ending 2) without realizing it or understanding how to reach the others.
- This makes the game feel repetitive and leaves completion unclear.

### 4. Atmosphere vs. Logic

- Horror atmosphere is effective at times (e.g., sudden killer or strange visuals like the cat on a swing).
- However, no context or narrative explanation is provided for these events.
- The randomness makes them feel disconnected instead of immersive or creepy.

#### 🗱 5. Menu & Settings Experience

- Mouse sensitivity is hidden in the pause menu under "Quit", rather than placed in the main settings menu with resolution and graphics.
- This placement is unintuitive and causes early confusion.
- Graphics options change lighting only not the sprite quality or texture detail reducing their impact.

# Final Notes

These aren't bugs, but they significantly affect the **player experience**, pacing, and sense of immersion. Improving these areas could make the game easier to understand, more replayable, and overall more polished.