

RESOLUTION NO. 9883

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, MODIFYING SOLID WASTE TERMS, RATES, FEES AND CHARGES FOR CITY-OWNED REFUSE COLLECTION RELATED SERVICES AND DECLARING THIS RESOLUTION AND THE ATTACHED SCHEDULES TO BE A PUBLIC RECORD

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

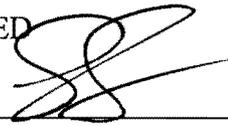
SECTION 1: THAT THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULES AND TITLES WITH RESPECT TO TERMS, RATES, FEES AND CHARGES FOR CERTAIN REFUSE COLLECTION SERVICES, TRUE AND CORRECT COPIES OF WHICH ARE ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF AND INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE ARE HEREBY ADOPTED TO BE EFFECTIVE FOR THE BILLING OF UTILITIES FOR THE BILLING CYCLES BEGINNING ON OR AFTER AUGUST 30, 2011.

<u>SCHEDULE NO.</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
R1.2, R1.21-R1.29	Residential Solid Waste and Recycling Service
R1.6, R1.61, R1.63, R1.69	Residential Solid Waste and Recycling Furloughed Service
R3.5	Containerized Commercial Solid Waste Service – Bins

SECTION 2: THAT THIS RESOLUTION, TOGETHER WITH THE ABOVE REFERENCED ATTACHED SCHEDULES AND TITLES OF TERMS, RATES, FEES AND CHARGES, IS DECLARED TO BE A PUBLIC RECORD PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 9-801, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, THREE COPIES OF WHICH SHALL BE FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK AND KEPT AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC USE AND INSPECTION.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, THIS 27<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2011.

APPROVED



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Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk



## RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING SERVICE

### APPLICATION

These rates are applicable to all dwelling units receiving once per week pickup solid waste service and once per week recycling barrel service or metal bin service for the billing of utilities for the billing cycles ended on or after August 30, ~~2010~~ 2011 for usage occurring on and subsequent to the date on which those same billing cycles started. Collection of barrels is provided on specific days per geographic zones. For billing purposes, the following definitions are applicable:

**Dwelling Unit:** One (1) or more habitable rooms forming an independent living area which may contain sleeping, sanitary, and cooking facilities. The term shall include an apartment but shall not include a hotel room or suite, guest rooms in boarding houses, or accessory living quarters.

**Single Dwelling Unit:** A dwelling unit located on a single lot or parcel that is individually deeded and can be purchased or sold separately.

**Multiple Dwelling Unit:** Two or more dwelling units located on the same lot or parcel that are not individually deeded or cannot be purchased or sold separately.

### MONTHLY BILLING CYCLE

**Rate R1.2\*:** \$23.34 per unit for single dwellings units, duplexes, triplexes and fourplexes when the water account servicing the unit or units is active or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area, for once per week residential solid waste barrel collection and once per week recycling barrel collection (90 gallon individual garbage barrel).

\$20.83 per unit for single dwelling units when the water account servicing the unit or units is active, or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area for once per week residential Solid waste barrel collection and once per week recycling barrel collection (60 gallon garbage barrel).

**Rate R1.21:** \$11.02 per each additional 60/90 gallon solid waste barrel collected on same day as first solid waste barrel.

**Rate R1.23:** \$25.04 per unit for the first barrel in addition to the above R1.2 rate for twice per week solid waste collection, and \$11.02 for each additional barrel at twice per week.

**Rate R1.24\*:** \$20.83 per unit for multiple dwelling units with five to twenty units when the water account servicing the units is active, or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area for once per week solid waste barrel collection and once per week recycling barrel collection.

**Rate R1.26\*:** \$23.34 per unit for duplexes, triplexes and fourplexes when the water account servicing the unit or units is active, or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area for metal bin service.

**Rate R1.27\*:** \$20.83 per unit for multiple dwelling units with five to twenty units when the water account servicing the units is active, or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area for metal bin collection. Applicability of this rate shall be based on one-half cubic yard of capacity per unit per week.

**Rate R1.28:** \$5.51 per each 90 gallon green waste barrel collected once per week.

Rate R1.29\*: \$22.58 per unit for single dwellings units, when the water account servicing the unit is active or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area, for once per week residential solid waste barrel collection (90 gallon individual garbage barrel) and every other week recycling barrel collection, applicability subject to approval of the Deputy City Manager or designee.

\$20.07 per unit for single dwelling units when the water account servicing the unit is active, or where the resident resides within Mesa Solid Waste service area for once per week residential solid waste barrel collection (60 gallon garbage barrel) and every other week recycling barrel collection, applicability subject to approval of the Deputy City Manager or designee.

\* A \$0.54 per billing cycle Mesa Green and Clean fee will be assessed to each dwelling unit.

### BULK ITEM COLLECTION PROGRAM

A bulk item collection program is available for an additional fee. See bulk item and appliance recycling collection program information page. [Solid Waste Schedule R3.91]

### APPLIANCE RECYCLING COLLECTION PROGRAM

An appliance recycling program is available for an additional fee. See bulk item and appliance recycling collection program information page. [Solid Waste Schedule R3.91]

### BARREL SPECIAL PICKUP FEES

60/90 Gallon Barrel \$11.32 per single or first barrel on scheduled trash collection day, and \$10.70 for each additional barrel collected. Customers must cancel a special pickup prior to arrival of the collection vehicle at the address or a \$10.23 trip fee shall be assessed.  
\$22.11 single or first ~~per~~ barrel on a non-scheduled trash collection day and \$10.70 for each additional barrel collected. Customers must cancel a special pickup prior to arrival of the collection vehicle at the address or a \$19.96 trip fee shall be assessed.

### BARREL SPECIAL EVENT FEES

The City of Mesa Solid Waste Management Department offers temporary barrels for special events for the following charges:

60/90 gallon barrel \$7.57 per barrel set fee  
\$8.65 per barrel special pickup fee  
\$5.41 per barrel wash and restock fee

### BARREL DELIVERY CHARGES

Residents of newly constructed dwellings will be assessed a one time delivery charge of \$7.57.

### BARREL PULLBACK CHARGES

If a customer is in violation of section 8-3-5(A) of the Mesa City Code (requiring the removal of barrels no less than six feet from the curb by 6:00 a.m. the day after collection), the City shall assess \$2.00 per occurrence, per barrel, as a pullback fee.

### HOMEOWNER LANDFILL FEES

Homeowners on a R1.2, R1.26 or R1.29 rate are allowed to dispose of one load of garbage for a \$11.00 fee up to 2,000 pounds once per calendar month at the Salt River Landfill or the Waste Management San Tan Transfer Station. The fee will be applied to the customer's City of Mesa utility bill after landfill use. If the load exceeds 2,000 pounds, the homeowner must pay the landfill directly for the entire load at the current gate rate.

### ADJUSTMENTS

Taxes and Impositions. The applicable proportionate share of any taxes or governmental impositions, which are assessed on the basis of the gross revenues of the City and/or the price or revenue from the utility services, sold hereunder shall be added to each utility bill.

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

See Terms and Conditions for the Sale of Utilities.

The Deputy City Manager or designee is authorized to combine multi-dwelling units greater than 20 on a R1.26 rate if there is commonality among the units i.e. common bin placement, shared parking or community pool etc. and offer the R3.2 rate.

The Deputy City Manager or designee is authorized to establish and charge reasonable fees for the collection of bulk items (such as brush, appliances and lumber) and environmental compliance fees (such as refrigerant recovery), and any other fee not falling under rate application.

## ~~RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING FURLOUGHED SERVICE~~

### APPLICATION

~~These rates are applicable only during the months of April through September to all single dwelling units (see definition in R1.2 rate schedule) where the residential R1.2, R1.21, R1.23, R1.28, and R1.29 service customer has declared, in advance of the period of absence, that the dwelling unit will be unoccupied for NO LESS than a three-month consecutive period for the billing of utilities for the billing cycles ended on or after August 30, 2010 for usage occurring on and subsequent to the date on which those same billing cycles started.~~

### MONTHLY BILLING CYCLE

~~Rate R1.6: 50% of the Residential Solid Waste Service R1.2 when the single dwelling unit is unoccupied.~~

~~Rate R1.61: 50% of the Residential Solid Waste Service R1.21 when the single dwelling unit is unoccupied.~~

~~Rate R1.63: 50% of the Residential Solid Waste Service R1.23 when the single dwelling unit is unoccupied.~~

~~Rate R1.68: 50% of the Residential Solid Waste Service R1.28 when the single dwelling unit is unoccupied.~~

~~Rate R1.69: 50% of the Residential Solid Waste Service R1.29 when the single dwelling unit is unoccupied.~~

~~A portion of the above rates will be used to fund waste reduction programs.~~

### ADJUSTMENTS

~~This rate will be subject to revocation and the customer billed the difference between this rate and solid waste Schedule No. R1.2, R1.21, R1.23, R1.28 and/or R1.29 back to the customer declared departure date if the customer is found in non-compliance by occupying the dwelling unit during the customer declared absence.~~

~~Taxes and Impositions. The applicable proportionate share of any taxes or governmental impositions, which are assessed on the basis of the gross revenues of the City and/or the price or revenue from the utility services, sold hereunder shall be added to each utility bill.~~

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

~~See Terms and Conditions for the Sale of Utilities.~~

## CONTAINERIZED COMMERCIAL SOLID WASTE SERVICE - BINS

### APPLICATION

This rate is applicable to all commercial customers who are served by metal City Solid Waste bins for the billing of utilities for the billing cycles ended on or after August 30, ~~2010~~ **2011** for usage occurring on and subsequent to the date on which those same billing cycles started. Collection of these bins is provided in zones. An additional charge is assessed for customers requesting collection on non-zone days.

### MONTHLY BILLING CYCLE

Base Rate: Refer to tables attached hereto, which shall be a part of this rate schedule.

A portion of the base rates will be used to fund waste reduction programs.

#### Other Charges:

1. Bins requiring special moving or handling to service may be charged a monthly fee of \$2.95 per number of collections per week per bin.
2. Customers requesting relocation of bins within same service site will be assessed a service fee of \$35.02 for transportation costs and \$5.51 per each bin relocated.
3. Customers sharing a bin shall be charged a prorated share of the base rate in proportion to their respective solid waste volume.
4. Any customer requiring casters on 2, 3, and 4 yard bins will be charged \$7.46 per month per bin for Solid waste bins requiring casters as well as a one time charge of \$18.80 to install the casters. Any customer requiring casters on 6 and 8 yard bins will be charged a one time charge of \$18.80 to install the casters and a charge of \$18.80 per month per bin.
5. When a locking device is installed at the request of a customer, a one-time charge of \$60.64 shall be made. The customer shall provide the lock.
6. Temporary bins can be rented upon request provided the period of rental is less than 181 days. See Table No. 1 for pricing.

The bin must be serviced a minimum of once every 14 days. No construction or demolition debris shall be placed into bins, however, temporary roll off containers are suitable for this type of debris. If the rental period is more than 180 days, use Table 2.1 to calculate charges.

A special pickup request that requires an additional stop at the location will be assessed the disposal charge. Charges shall be made as follows:

Table No. 1 - Temporary Solid Waste Bin Rental and Extra/Special Pick-ups

Bin Size	Delivery Charge*	Each Disposal Charge**
2 yd.	\$40.14	\$32.76
3 yd.	\$40.14	\$38.22
4 yd.	\$40.14	\$43.68
6 yd.	\$40.14	\$49.14
8 yd.	\$40.14	\$54.60
Front Load Compactor***		
2 yd – 4 yd		\$49.14
6 yd		\$98.28

\*For the first bin and \$20.07 for each additional bin up to 4. \$40.14 for the fifth bin and \$20.07 for each additional bin up to 8.

\*\*If a customer requests more than one bin to be emptied and/or the same bin to be emptied multiple times during a special pickup, each dump after the first bin emptied will be half the disposal fee for the bin size.

\*\*\*The City does not own any front load compactors. However, once a customer purchases or leases a unit from a compactor company, the Solid Waste Management Department is capable of hauling the unit.

Temporary rental of roll-off containers is also available. For charges, see Table No. 3.

- Customers requesting that a bin be exchanged or cleaned more than once every six months shall be charged \$52.50 per bin each time the bin is cleaned. Customers requesting that roll-offs or compactors be cleaned more than once a year shall be charged \$105.00 each time the roll-off or compactor is cleaned. Restaurant containers may be changed out or cleaned every three months at no charge. The City maintains the right to charge a customer to clean a bin due to unsanitary conditions.

8. Recycling Containers – Customers with cardboard bins will be charged a monthly base rate of \$20.00 for once per week collection. Rates for multiple bins and/or bins serviced twice per week shall be calculated using Table 2.1. Newspaper and Office Paper are **also** collected for customers and **the applicable base rate per ton shall depend on the market prices, at the time of collection shall be charged based on market prices** as the follows:

COMMODITY	MARKET PRICE	BASE RATES
Newspaper	\$0- 19.99 Per Ton	\$20
	\$20-49.99 Per Ton	\$10
	Over \$50 Per Ton	\$0
Office Paper	\$0- 19.99 Per Ton	\$20
	\$20-49.99 Per Ton	\$10
	Over \$50 Per Ton	\$0

Recycle Bin Special pick-ups shall be charged a \$25.00 fee per bin for pick-up on a scheduled recycle day for that commodity. Recycle bins picked up on days other than scheduled recycle days shall be charged the disposal charge for that size of bin according to Table No. 1.

### BULK ITEM COLLECTION PROGRAM

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### SHARE SITUATIONS

If more than one customer is to use the same bin, one bill from the City to the main user is preferred.

### ZONES

The Deputy City Manager or designee shall establish geographic zones and days of pickup.

### ADJUSTMENTS

Taxes and Impositions. The applicable proportionate share of any taxes or governmental impositions, which are assessed on the basis of the gross revenues of the City and/or the price or revenue from the utility services, sold hereunder shall be added to each utility bill.

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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**TABLE NO. 2.1  
SOLID WASTE BIN CHARGES**

Number of Bins

1	1.00
2	1.618
3	2.236
4	2.854
5	3.472
6	4.090
7	4.708
8	5.326
9	5.944
10	6.544

Add .618 for each additional bin up to 9 bins.

Add .60 for the 10<sup>th</sup> bin and each additional bin over 10 bins.

<u>Zone Day Factors</u>	<u>Non-zone Day Factors</u>	<u>Sunday Premium Charge</u>
	<u>(Including Sundays)</u>	
First Pickup = 1.0	Non-zone Days = 1.0 plus \$10.00	plus \$17.10
All Other Pickups = .76		

Base Rates:	Front Load Compactor Base Rates:
2 CY - \$71.00	2 CY - \$109.00
3 CY - \$78.00	3 CY - \$129.00
4 CY - \$85.00	4 CY - \$149.00
6 CY - \$94.00	5 CY - \$157.00
8 CY - \$105.96	6 CY - \$166.00

To determine the monthly collection rate, the number of bins factor is multiplied by the sum of the zone/non-zone factors (product rounded to the nearest hundredth) times the applicable base rate.

The above rate schedule is calculated based on customers having the same size bin and pickup days. If there are special circumstances, which require varying different size bins and pickups days, these rates will be calculated under R3.9 rate type.

Solid waste bin rates are calculated based on an average weight of 75 pounds per bin yard for loose material. If a customer is disposing of material that exceeds the average weight, the City reserves the right to assess a higher rate under R3.9 rate type. See table 2.2 to calculate additional weight charges.

Blended rates may be calculated for customers that receive two or more different services per week. This occurs when a customer has bins of different sizes or when all bins are not serviced on the same days. The service which has the highest weekly bin yards shall be the base service. Blending may reduce a customer's monthly billing, by application of the multiple bin factor to any secondary service. To qualify for blended rates, secondary service bins must be serviced at the primary service site on the same day(s) as the base service.

Table No. 2.2

Solid Waste Additional Weight Table

Bin Charge per Weight Range per Yard per Pickup

Weight Range >>>>>>>>	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Pounds per Yard >>>>>>>>	0-100	101-150	151-200	201-250	251-300	301-350	351-400
1	\$0.00	\$3.71	\$7.43	\$11.14	\$14.85	\$18.57	\$22.28
2	\$0.00	\$7.43	\$14.85	\$22.28	\$29.71	\$37.13	\$44.56
3	\$0.00	\$11.14	\$22.28	\$33.42	\$44.56	\$55.70	\$66.84
4	\$0.00	\$14.85	\$29.71	\$44.56	\$59.41	\$74.27	\$89.12
5	\$0.00	\$18.57	\$37.13	\$55.70	\$74.27	\$92.83	\$111.40
6	\$0.00	\$22.28	\$44.56	\$66.84	\$89.12	\$111.40	\$133.68
7	\$0.00	\$25.99	\$51.99	\$77.98	\$103.97	\$129.97	\$155.96

- 1) Find the applicable weight charge per yard in the table by cross-referencing the weight range and the number of service days per week.
- 2) Multiply the appropriate weight charge per yard by the number of yards per pickup to determine the monthly additional weight charge.

TABLE NO. 3  
ROLL-OFFS - OPEN TOPS & COMPACTORS

Initial Set = \$49.00

20 cubic yard roll-off \$119.00 per haul plus \$29.95 per ton landfill disposal fees, with a three-ton minimum

30 cubic yard roll-off \$129.00 per haul plus \$29.95 per ton landfill disposal fees, with a three-ton minimum

40 cubic yard roll-off \$146.00 per haul plus \$29.95 per ton landfill disposal fees, with a three-ton minimum

All compactors \$149.00 per haul plus \$29.95 per ton landfill disposal fees, with a three-ton minimum

Customers who dispose of construction and demolition debris (C & D) only will be charged the set and haul fees indicated above, in addition to what the current disposal rate is for C & D material plus \$25.00 in lieu of the three-ton minimum.

A \$2.95 per haul special handling service charge may be assessed for opening gates, providing advance haul notification etc.

A \$60.00 fee will be charged;

1. If the driver cannot haul the container due to the container being overloaded, blocked, or the doors left open.
2. If the driver has to return to the location to relocate the container.
3. If the container is empty and does not need to be hauled and the customer has not cancelled the haul in advance.

HAUL CHARGES WILL BE LEVIED A MINIMUM OF ONCE EVERY TWO WEEKS FOR TEMPORARY SETS.

A temporary set is a roll-off box set at any location for six (6) months or less.

HAUL CHARGES WILL BE LEVIED A MINIMUM OF ONCE EVERY MONTH FOR PERMANENT SETS.

A permanent set is a roll-off box set at the same location for more than six (6) months, with an average of twelve (12) hauls in any consecutive twelve (12) month period.

OVERWEIGHT CONTAINER FEES

All open top roll-offs and non-self contained compactors will be charged for landfill fees in the amount of \$29.95 per ton up to ten tons. A \$34.00 per ton fee will be assessed for all weight charges exceeding 10 tons.

Self contained compactors will be charged for landfill fees in the amount of \$29.95 per ton up to six tons. A \$34.00 per ton fee will be assessed for all weight charges over 6 tons.

ZONES

The Deputy City Manager or designee may establish geographic zones and create different rates based on the distance from the landfill and/or roll-off size.

MULTI-YEAR ACCOUNTS

The Deputy City Manager or designee is authorized to enter into a solid waste service agreement with a commercial customer (based on the Council-approved rates) for a duration not to exceed three years.