

RESOLUTION 32-22

A RESOLUTION STATING REGULATIONS AND AMENDING THE FEES FOR COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE MATERIALS INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF RUSSELL, KANSAS AND REVOKING RESOLUTION 13-22

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF RUSSELL, KANSAS:

CHARGES FOR COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE. In accordance with the definitions and provisions established by Article 4 of Chapter VIII to the Code of the City of Russell, Kansas, fee(s) and regulations were established for the collection of solid waste as set forth in City Resolution 13-22;

AND WHEREAS, the county landfill disposal expense increases 50% on January 1, 2023, and the City must amend its rates to reflect this increase in cost which increase shall be effective as stated hereinbelow.

I. CHARGES FOR COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL.

In providing the service of disposing of garbage and solid waste to prevent unsanitary, unsightly, hazardous, unhealthful and dangerous conditions caused by the accumulation of garbage and refuse, the City shall collect the below-listed fees to defray the cost of collection and for landfill and related expenses.

Single Family Residential Customers. Including each unit of a multiple family dwelling containing five (5) or less dwelling units:

- a. All new customers are required to purchase a polycart in order to start the service. Current customers who transfer to a new service address must purchase a polycart to obtain service at the new address unless there is one provided at that address or the customer has already purchased one from the city and uses it at that address.
- b. All solid waste shall be placed in Residential Solid Waste Containers as defined in the City Code in Section 8-402(p) and volumes shall be limited each week to not more than three (3) containers of 32-gallon capacity or less, or one polycart. The charge shall be \$19.64 per polycart per month for each occupied residence and each unit of multi-family establishment. This fee includes \$11.30 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service.
- c. A charge of \$14.66 per month for each additional polycart above the original one (1) container allowed shall be charged regardless of pickup. This fee includes \$6.32 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service. This charge applies to persons contracting for disposal of more than one (1) polycart per week.
- d. All occupied residences shall be charged the monthly fee(s) as provided by resolution.

Multi-Family Residential Customers. For each residential complex with six (6) or more units, except as requested otherwise by the property owner as provided in City Code Section 8-402 (g), a fee schedule will be charged as for commercial establishments. Such fee will be charged monthly to the landlord or operator of the complex for the commercial dumpster pickups each month. (See commercial dumpster pickup schedule for charges)

Mobile Home Courts and Campgrounds: Residential mobile home courts with six (6) or more mobile home units will be charged as for commercial establishments. Such fee will be charged monthly to the landlord or operator for the mobile home court or campground for the commercial dumpster pickups each month. (See commercial dumpster pickup schedule for charges)

The charge shall be \$19.64 per polycart per month for mobile home courts with individual pickup locations. This fee includes \$11.30 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service.

A charge of \$14.66 per month for each additional polycart above the original one (1) container allowed shall be charged regardless of pickup. This fee includes \$6.32 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service. This charge applies to persons contracting for disposal of more than one (1) polycart per week.

Commercial Container:

60/90 Gallon Polycart of three 32-gallon plastic bags:

- a. The monthly charge for commercial establishments receiving sanitation service shall be \$19.64 per polycart per month for one-time, weekly pickups. This fee includes \$11.30 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service.
- b. An additional polycart may be added for \$14.66 per month for one (1) weekly pickup and shall be charged regardless of pickup. This fee includes \$6.32 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service. This charge applies to commercial establishments contracting for disposal of more than one (1) polycart per week.

2-Yard Dumpster:

- a. The monthly charge for commercial establishments receiving sanitation service shall be \$62.91 per 2-Yard dumpster per month for one-time, weekly pickups. This fee includes \$28.99 for collection and \$33.92 for disposal service.
- b. A charge of \$62.91 per month for each additional 2-Yard dumpster shall be charged regardless of pickup. This charge applies to commercial establishments contracting for disposal of more than one (1) 2-Yard Dumpster per week.

Occupied commercial establishments not receiving sanitation service shall be charged \$4.86 per month.

Rural Residential Customers.

- a. The monthly charge for residential customers shall be \$23.02 per polycart per month. This fee includes \$14.68 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service.
- b. An additional polycart may be added for \$14.66 per month for one (1) weekly pickup and shall be charged regardless of pickup. This fee includes \$6.32 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service. This charge applies to persons contracting for disposal of more than one (1) polycart per week.

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- b. An additional polycart may be added for \$14.66 per month for one (1) weekly pickup and shall be charged regardless of pickup. This fee includes \$6.32 for collection and \$8.34 for disposal service. This charge applies to commercial establishments contracting for disposal of more than one (1) polycart per week.

2-Yard Dumpster:

- a. The monthly charge for commercial establishments receiving sanitation service shall be \$71.57 per 2-Yard dumpster per month for one-time, weekly pickups. This fee includes \$37.65 for collection and \$33.92 for disposal service.
- b. A charge of \$71.57 per month for each additional 2-Yard dumpster shall be charged regardless of pickup. This charge applies to commercial establishments contracting for disposal of more than one (1) 2-Yard Dumpster per week.

Sticker Program.

A person may purchase a sticker in advance at the city's clerk office that will permit the person to add an additional solid waste container, not to exceed 32 gallons, to that person's weekly solid waste pickup. The sticker shall be attached to the top of such container in order to be collected by the city crews, at the designated pickup location. The cost is \$2.85 per sticker for disposal fees.

Automatic Modifications to Disposal Rates for Change in County Landfill Charges.

The County will charge the City \$0.0300 per pound for landfill use commencing January 1, 2023. All customers' rate of disposal charges will automatically be adjusted after January 1, 2023 by a percentage equal to the increase or decrease in the landfill charge made to the City by the County. This adjustment will be made on the first billing cycle following the date of such rate change by the County.

III. EFFECTIVE DATE. The Effective Date for all charges and assessments set forth herein is January 1, 2023, and shall be billed commencing with the first utility bill in the year 2023. Resolution 13-22 is revoked as of January 1, 2023.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in the event solid waste is presented to the City for collection, or by a City approved contractor, in a quantity or manner not in compliance with the provisions of the City Code or this Resolution the matter shall be referred to the City Manager.

Passed by the Governing Body of the City of Russell, Kansas this 20th day of December, 2022.

Approved by the Mayor of the City of Russell, Kansas this 20th day of December, 2022.



Jim Cross, Mayor

ATTEST:



Ashley Mai, City Clerk

