

**RESOLUTION NO. 2016-08**

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING FEES AND RATES FOR SOLID WASTE  
COLLECTION SERVICE IN THE CITY OF DODGE CITY**

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WHEREAS, for the peace, health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Dodge City, it is deemed necessary for the City to provide Solid Waste Collection service to its citizens; and

WHEREAS, such Solid Waste Collection services includes both scheduled and non-scheduled garbage, refuse and trash pickup and disposal, and;

WHEREAS, because of current Ford County Landfill regulations, yard waste must be separated from municipal solid waste, now requiring the City to make separate collections, and;

WHEREAS, it is necessary for each and every citizen of the City of Dodge City to pay a fair and equitable share of the cost of this Solid Waste Collection Service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Dodge City, Kansas:

**Section 1:** REPEAL: Resolution 2015-08; adopted on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2015, is hereby repealed.

**Section 2:** SERVICE TO DWELLINGS:

2.1 Dwellings shall include all single family residences, duplexes, or two family dwellings. Fees for dwellings shall be \$17.01 per month per dwelling plus an additional fee of \$1.32 per month per dwelling for recycling and the handling of disposal of household hazardous wastes.

2.2 Multiple family dwellings shall be all residential buildings, except hotels or motels, having three (3) or more separate living units. Fees for multiple family dwellings shall be \$17.01 for the first dwelling unit and \$11.47 for each additional dwelling unit plus an additional fee per month per unit of \$1.32 for recycling and the handling of disposal of household hazardous wastes.

2.3 Special fees. In addition to the base rates provided herein above, special fees shall be charged in those cases where the Sanitation Department personnel shall be required to collect such items as refrigerators, stoves; furniture, etc., and large accumulations of trash or metal. In addition, trash placed by either the poly-kart or dumpster will also be subject to an additional charge.

2.4 Commercial rate. The commercial rate will apply to landlords, contractors, or any other type of business that would require pick up of large accumulations of trash

Special fees for some items are as follows:

ITEM	FEE
Refrigerators	\$5.00 plus any fee for disposal of compressor or refrigerant
Freezers	\$5.00 plus any fee for disposal of compressor or refrigerant
Air Conditioners	\$5.00 plus any fee for disposal of compressor or refrigerant
Stoves, dishwashers or other white goods	\$5.00 per item
Metal goods	\$5.00 per item
Furniture, Mattresses, Carpet, or other large household items	\$5.00 per item
Bagged or loose trash not in poly-kart or dumpster	\$1.00 per 40 lb. Bag
Should there be more than three (3) items placed at curb for special pickup, these items will be considered as a bulky accumulation and subject to that charge.	
Trees and other large brush accumulations and other bulky large accumulations	Minimum of \$25.00 per load plus \$12.50 per hour plus landfill charges
Alley Cleanup	Minimum of \$25.00 per load plus \$12.50 per hour plus landfill charges
Late Pickup	A \$2.00 charge for pickup of items and karts not placed at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled day for pickup
Commercial Rates as follows:	
Large accumulations of brush, loose or bagged household trash, and other bulky large accumulations	\$40.00 per load plus \$25.00 per hour plus landfill fees
Special Cleanup Fee	\$100 per hour equipment fee plus \$25 per hour staff fee plus landfill charges and any other costs associated to the cleanup

**Section 3. SERVICE TO HOME OCCUPATIONS**

Home occupations and similar activities, but not including child care facilities shall pay \$17.01 per month fee for the residence and shall also pay an additional \$17.01 per month fee for service to the home occupation. Such home occupations shall also pay an additional \$1.32 each for the residence and for the home occupation for recycling and the handling and disposal of household hazardous wastes.

**Section 4. SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

Any special conditions not included in the above rate schedule shall be determined by the Superintendent of Public Works, subject to the approval of the Governing Body.

**Section 5. YARD WASTE**

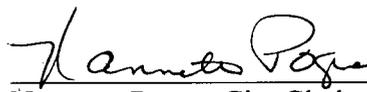
As the Ford County Landfill requires that all yard wastes be separated from solid waste and that all yard wastes cannot be bagged, the City of Dodge City requires all residents desiring to have their yard waste disposed of by the City shall rent a container, provided by the City, for a cost of \$2.72 per month. Residents may dispose of yard waste by bagging the waste. Bags may not weigh more than 40 lbs. when full. Crews will pick up the bags for \$1.00 per bag.

**Section 6. EFFECTIVE DATE:** The rates specified hereinabove shall be come effective during the month of April, 2016 as appropriate and upon its adoption by the City Commission and publication in the official City newspaper.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF DODGE CITY, KANSAS, the  
21st day of March, 2016.

  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Nannette Pogue, City Clerk