

RESOLUTION NO. 27-1990

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, REVISING THE REFUSE COLLECTION RATE SCHEDULE.

WHEREAS, in August, 1986, the City Council established the procedure for revising various municipal rate schedules by way of City Council Resolution rather than Ordinance; and,

WHEREAS, a Refuse Collection Rate Schedule was established in this 1986 Resolution; and,


WHEREAS, at this time there is need to revise said Refuse Collection Rate Schedule in order to maintain the self-supporting nature of the refuse collection services included in that Rate Schedule; now, therefore,

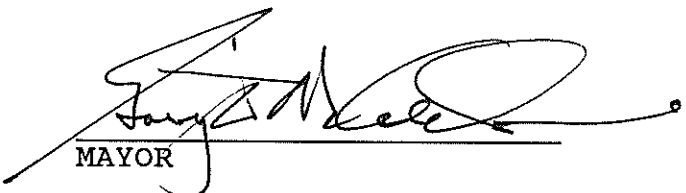
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1. That the Refuse Collection Rate Schedule established in August, 1986, is hereby replaced by the Refuse Collection Rate Schedule attached hereto as Exhibit "A".


PART 2. That the effective date of this action shall be the 1 day of October, A.D., 1990.

ATTEST:


CITY SECRETARY


MAYOR

APPROVED:


CITY ATTORNEY

REFUSE COLLECTION RATE SCHEDULE

I. RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION SERVICE

(Table 1)

Monthly Charge

Each residential unit..... 5.60

Residential units where a portion of the building or premises, not exceeding two hundred fifty (250) square feet, is used for commercial purposes shall be increased four dollars and seventy-five (\$4.75) per month. Where the area so used exceeds two hundred fifty (250) square feet, the additional charge shall be for additional containers according to Table 3.

II. CARRY-OUT SERVICE

The special service charge shown below shall be made to defray the extra cost for carry-out services. Charges for this service include the basic residential unit rate per month (Table 1) plus the distance charge as set forth below.

(Table 2)

Location of Collection Point
(distance from the curb)

Monthly Charge

At or near the curb.....	None
10 - 50 feet.....	\$16.00
50 - 100 feet.....	\$32.00
100 - 150 feet.....	\$48.00
150 - 200 feet.....	\$64.00
(No service over 200 feet)	

This charge is for household refuse only. Yard refuse, wastes and packing boxes shall be placed within ten (10) feet of the curb for collection.

III. NONRESIDENTIAL COLLECTION SERVICE

The business, commercial, educational and other nonresidential buildings and other institutions are hereby divided into fair and reasonable types for the purpose of collection of refuse accumulation. Refuse fees, for a calendar month, for such classification shall be as follows:

(Table 3)

<u>Container Size</u>	<u>Number of Times Emptied Per Week</u>	
	2 Times	4 Times
90 Gal.....	\$11.00	\$ 24.00
300 Gal.....	17.00	38.00
400 Gal.....	22.00	50.00
3 Yards.....	27.00	64.00
4 Yards.....	38.00	89.00
6 Yards.....	50.00	115.00
8 Yards.....	62.00	142.00

In case of more than one user per container, the Refuse Collection Superintendent shall divide the cost among the users served. The monthly collection fee for the container size according to Table 3 will be divided according to the proportionate amount of refuse generated by each user. The minimum fee for each person or business is \$6.50.

IV. NON-CLASSIFIED COLLECTION SERVICE

This service is only used at the discretion of the Refuse Collection Superintendent to serve unique situations and at the convenience of the City.

(Table 4)

<u>Number of Cans, Bags or Equivalent, Each Collection</u>	<u>Monthly Refuse Fee</u>
0.....	\$ 6.20
1.....	8.20
2.....	9.30
3.....	10.25
4.....	11.20
5.....	12.35
For each can, bag or equivalent over 5.....	1.90

V. SCHEDULED STATIONARY COMPACTOR COLLECTION SERVICE

(Table 5)

<u>Number of Collections Per Week</u>	<u>Monthly Charge</u>	
	<u>City Owned Unit</u>	<u>Privately Owned Unit</u>
1	\$ 585.00	\$ 430.00
2	960.00	805.00
3	1,340.00	1,180.00
4	1,715.00	1,555.00

(NOTE: Special Orders - See Table 7)

VI. SCHEDULED OPEN TOP CONTAINER COLLECTION SERVICE

(Table 6)

<u>Number of Collections Per Week</u>	<u>Monthly Charge</u>		
	<u>20 yd</u>	<u>30 yd</u>	<u>40 yd</u>
1	\$ 275	\$ 330	\$ 390
2	535	645	770
3	795	965	1,145
4	1,055	1,280	1,520

SPECIAL ORDERS

A special order fee will be charged according to Table 7 for each collection made in addition to scheduled stationary compactor or open top service collections.

(Table 7)

<u>Container Size</u>	<u>Charge Per Collection</u>
20 yard	\$ 95
30 yard	110
40 yard	125

VII. NON-SCHEDULED OPEN TOP CONTAINER COLLECTION SERVICE

(Table 8)

<u>Container Size</u>	<u>Container Place- ment Charge</u>	<u>Rental (Monthly or)Daily</u>	<u>Dump Charge</u>
20 yard	\$ 25	(\$ 30) \$ 5	\$ 95
30 yard	25	(40) 5	110
40 yard	25	(50) 5	125

VIII. SPECIAL SERVICE

(Table 9)

Charges for special orders or service rendered under the provisions of this resolution shall be as follows:

- (a) Flat Bed Truck: A refuse (foreman) supervisor will determine whether the customer has a large load or an average load and inform the customer of the charge for removal. (Self-loading by customer required.)
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| Average load, per load..... | (\$18.00) | \$36.00 |
| Large load, per load..... | (\$24.00) | 48.00 |

- (b) **Compaction Body Truck:** Travel time must be included.
 First 2 hours.....\$60.00
 Each additional hour..... 28.00
- (c) **Refuse Containers:** In addition to regular schedule.
 (1) Each time emptied if location is on regular route:
 For each 3 or 4 yard container.....\$15.00
 For each 6 or 8 yard container..... 18.00
 (2) Each time emptied if location is not on regular truck route:
 For each 3 or 4 yard container.....\$18.00
 For each 6 or 8 yard container..... 24.00
- (d) **Short Period Service:** Charge includes emptying container once and again when returning to stock.
 (1) On regular route:
 For each 3 or 4 yard container.....\$40.00
 For each 6 or 8 yard container..... 47.00
 (2) When not serviced by a regular route, the off-route collection fee will apply, plus an installation fee of.....\$19.00
- (e) **Monthly Service Not on Regular Route:** Monthly charge as shown in Table 1 above, plus per mile per location (from route to container location and return).....\$ 4.00
- [(f) **Casters for Containers:**
 (1) Short-time use, per installation.....\$30.00
 DELETED (2) Long-time use, per month..... 7.00]
- (f) **Extra Cleaning of Roll-off Container..... 25.00**
- (g) **Container Exchange/Refurbishment:** Customers will pay a fee as outlined in Table 10 for container exchanges (made within the same calendar year as placement) unless the exchange is made for a container of different capacity than the one in use. A requested change in size to correct an abuse is not acceptable. The need for exchange will be determined by the Refuse Collection Superintendent upon request. (or at the request of the Health Department.) Containers will be exchanged on a rotating basis throughout the City for normal refurbishment at no charge to the customer.
- (h) **Tires:** Section 27-28 of the Abilene City Code prohibits putting tires in City-owned refuse containers. Customers are responsible to insure tires are not placed in containers or are removed prior to collection. The City will charge a removal and processing fee for each tire found in containers.
 Per tire.....\$ 5.00

(Table 10)

Exchange Fee

90 gallon.....	\$25.00
300 gallon.....	25.00
400 gallon.....	25.00
3 yard.....	50.00
4 yard.....	65.00
6 yard.....	80.00
8 yard.....	95.00

Customers will pay a fee for repairs made to containers from damages not attributed to normal wear and tear or vandalism. Repairs will be made upon request or at the discretion of the Refuse Collection Superintendent with the Refuse Division personnel determining normal wear and tear. This fee will be determined by the type and extent of repair and will include all costs of the repair.

IX. RATE MODIFICATIONS

The Refuse Collection Superintendent may modify existing rates to meet special requirements of customers. These will be reviewed and approved by the Assistant Director of Planning and Development Services for Public Works.

X. CHARGES FOR UNUSUAL LOCATIONS, TYPES AND ACCUMULATIONS

Refuse collection service may be provided within the capabilities of the division to installations with unusual locations, types or accumulations of refuse at a charge established by the Refuse Collection Superintendent based on actual cost and approved by the (Director of Public Works) Assistant Director of Planning and Development Services for Public Works as shown in Table 9.

Charges for collection of refuse that has been compacted or incompressible materials shall be three (3) times the fees for services other than stationary compactor system service.

XI. SERVICE OUTSIDE CITY

Charges for services under this chapter rendered outside the city limits shall be double the rates established by this division, but such services shall be within the capabilities of the division at charges set forth in this division and may be provided or terminated at the discretion of the Refuse Collection Superintendent.

XII. BILLING; DISCONNECTION OF WATER FOR FAILURE TO PAY BILL

The charges fixed in this division for the collection, removal and

disposal of all refuse shall be entered in their respective amounts as charges against each owner, manager, occupant, tenant or lessee, and the amount so fixed and charged shall be collected monthly in connection with and as a part of the water bill of the city. Should any owner, manager, tenant or lessee of any place of abode or of any business or commercial establishment fail or refuse to pay the charges fixed against him and his place of abode or his place of business when due, the city shall have the right to disconnect water service to his place of abode or place of business against which such garbage or trash collection fees and water charges have been fixed and assessed.