



MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Board Session Agenda Review Form

Meeting date: November 2, 2016

Department: Public Works Agenda Planning Date: October 27, 2016 Time required: 5 min.

Audio/Visual aids

Contact: Brian May Phone: Ext. 3147

Department Head Signature:

TITLE Consider approval of a yard debris and wood waste disposal fee increase at North Marion County Disposal Facility (NMCDF) & Salem-Keizer Recycling Transfer Station (SKRTS).

Issue, Description & Background Republic Service's Pacific Region Compost (PRC) has increased their tipping rate \$12.49 per ton (from \$27.51 to \$40.00). Based on the increase from PRC, staff are requesting the board approve an increase to the yard debris and wood waste disposal fees at NMCDF and SKRTS, from \$47.00 per ton to \$59.49 per ton, effective December 1, 2016. These fees are charged to non-franchised individuals delivering yard debris or wood waste to these two locations.

Financial Impacts: This is a fee increase of \$12.49 per ton for yard debris and wood waste disposal.

Impacts to Department & External Agencies The increase will impact customers at NMCDF and SKRTS who are disposing of yard debris or wood waste.

Options for Consideration: 1. Approve the yard debris and wood waste disposal fee increase from \$47.00 per ton to \$59.59 per ton at North Marion Disposal Facility and Salem-Keizer Recycling Transfer Station, effective December 1, 2016. 2. Do not consider a fee increase at this time.

Recommendation: Public Works staff recommends the Board approve the yard debris and wood waste disposal fee increase from \$47.00 per ton to \$59.59 per ton at North Marion Disposal Facility and Salem-Keizer Recycling Transfer Station, effective December 1, 2016.

List of attachments: Letter from Republic Services Order Exhibit A - Adjusted Yard Debris and Wood Waste Disposal Fee Changes

Presenter: Brian May

Copies of completed paperwork sent to the following: (Include names and e-mail addresses.)

Copies to: Brian May, bmay@co.marion.or.us



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September 6, 2016

Republic Services of Salem  
1890 16<sup>th</sup> St. SE  
Salem, Oregon 97302

Re: ***Pacific Region Compost Rate Adjustment***

Dear Mr. Kephart:

At Republic Services, environmental responsibility is our business. We work with our customers, vendors and the communities we serve to help protect and improve the environment. The cost associated with operating our material recovery facility is ongoing.

In accordance with our contract of August 2, 2016 the following rates will be effective October 1, 2016.

- Residential Yard Debris / Food Waste - \$40/ton plus \$7.50 per load Environmental Fee
- Commercial Food Waste - \$60/ton plus \$7.50 per load Environmental Fee

We value your business and look forward to your continued patronage. You can be confident that we will continue to professionally manage your waste stream safely and in accordance with federal, state and local laws and regulations. If you have any further questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at (541) 360-2803.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jenifer Stuber". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Jenifer Stuber  
Division Manager

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of considering a change in )  
yard debris and wood waste fees at the )  
Marion County Disposal Facility and )  
Salem-Keizer Recycling Transfer Station )

**ORDER NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

This matter came before the Marion County Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled meeting on November 2, 2016.

IT APPEARING that under ORS 203.115 the board is given the authority to change fees in the county; therefore,

THE MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HEREBY FINDS that the fees set forth in Exhibit A are appropriate and reasonable for providing disposal service for yard debris and wood waste; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERDED that the fees to be charged for yard debris and wood waste disposal shall be set forth in Exhibit "A," attached hereto; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the changes to the yard debris and wood waste disposal fees shall become effective December 1, 2016, and shall be in effect until replaced.

DATED this day \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_, at Salem, Oregon.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

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Chair

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Commissioner

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Commissioner

**EXHIBIT A**  
**ADJUSTED YARD DEBRIS AND WOOD WASTE DISPOSAL FEES**  
**EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2016**

**Salem-Keizer Recycling & Transfer Station  
and North Marion Recycling & Transfer Station**

<b>WASTE TYPE</b>	<b>OLD FEES</b>	<b>NEW FEES</b>
Yard Waste	\$47.00/ton	\$59.49/ton
Wood Waste*	\$47.00/ton	\$59.59/ton

*\*Wood waste is accepted at the Salem-Keizer Recycling & Transfer Station only.*