

Meeting date: December 3, 2025 Department: Public Works Title: Public Hearing for Solid Waste Collection Rate Changes ${\scriptstyle \mathsf{Management\ Update/Work\ Session\ Date:}} 09/24/2025\ \&\ 10/30/2025$ Audio/Visual aids Phone: (503) 566-4160 Time Required: 15 minutes Contact: Cory Swartwout Requested Action: Conduct a public hearing in accordance with Marion County Code (MCC) 8.05.480 to consider recommended changes to municipal solid waste collection rates within unincorporated areas of Marion County. Issue, Description Public Works staff, with the assistance of Bell & Associates, Inc., have assessed cost of service & Background: analysis (COSA) data and an accompanying rate change request submitted by Marion County's seven franchise haulers. The proposed rates are reasonable and would result in projected return on investment (ROI) within the range specified in each franchise agreement. **Financial Impacts:** This may affect customers located in the unincorporated areas of Marion County. **Impacts to Department** County facilities and external agencies located in unincorporated areas of Marion County will & External Agencies: experience the same rate changes as other rural commercial municipal solid waste (MSW) customers. List of attachments: PowerPoint, Proposed MSW Rate Sheet, Board Order Presenter: **Brian May Department Head** Digitally signed by Brian Nicholas **Brian Nicholas** Signature:

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Exhibit A	Marion Cou	nty Approved Ra	tes 01-01-25	Price Incr	ease	Marion Cour	nty Proposed Ra	tes 01-01-26
	UGB	Rural	Sparse	Urban	Rural	UGB	Rural	Sparse
l. Residential Curbside - Monthly rate for v	veekly service.	~ see definitions	3					
A) Type of Service								
(without mixed organics)	\$19.30	\$31.80	\$36.20	2.20%	0.00%	\$19.70	\$31.80	\$36.20
20 gallon roll cart service	\$28.35	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$28.95	N/A	N/A
35 gallon roll cart service	\$31.15	\$32.70	\$37.05	2.20%	0.00%	\$31.85	\$32.70	\$37.05
65 gallon roll cart service	\$41.40	\$40.85	\$45.70	2.20%	0.00%	\$42.30	\$40.85	\$45.70
95 gallon roll cart service	\$48.65	\$49.75	\$54.00	2.20%	0.00%	\$49.70	\$49.75	\$54.00
B) Hardship Service [meeting criteria]								
(without mixed organics)	\$20.85	\$33.00	\$37.40	2.20%	0.00%	\$21.30	\$33.00	\$37.40
20 gallon roll cart service	\$29.90	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$30.55	N/A	N/A
35 gallon roll cart service	\$32.75	\$33.90	\$38.20	2.20%	0.00%	\$33.45	\$33.90	\$38.20
C) Residential - Other Cart Charges								
Occasional extra's - (35 gallon equ	\$6.00	\$5.95	\$6.75	2.20%	0.00%	\$6.15	\$5.95	\$6.75
Each additional garbage cart - Mont	thly rate for wee	kly service						
35 gallon roll cart	\$16.70	\$17.35	\$19.60	2.20%	0.00%	\$17.05	\$17.35	\$19.60
65 gallon roll cart	\$27.00	\$26.55	\$29.70	2.20%	0.00%	\$27.60	\$26.55	\$29.70
95 gallon roll cart	N/A	\$35.30	\$38.35	2.20%	0.00%	N/A	\$35.30	\$38.35
95 gallon mixed organics								
additional cart - with existing								
garbage service	\$9.85	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$10.05	N/A	N/A
95 gallon mixed organics -								
without existing garbage service								
UGB only up to 25% Food Waste	\$18.50	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$18.90	N/A	N/A
95 gallon mixed recycling -	φ10.50	IN/A	IN/A	2.2070	0.0076	ψ10.50	14/73	14//-
without existing garbage service	¢12.05	\$16.35	\$18.55	2 200/	0.000/	\$12.30	\$16.35	\$18.55
Residential on-call customer - 35	\$12.05	\$10.33	φ10.55	2.20%	0.00%	φ12.3U	\$10.55	\$10.55
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gallon cart	\$12.80	\$12.60	\$15.90	2.20%	0.00%	\$13.10	\$12.60	\$15.90
Premium service	\$8.90	\$14.25	\$14.25	2.20%	0.00%	\$9.10	\$14.25	\$14.25
II. Multi-Family & Mobile Home Parks Curl	oside - Monthly	rate for weekly	service. ~ see definition	ns				
A) Type of Service			***			004.40	407.00	400.00
35 gallon roll cart service	\$20.95	\$27.00	\$30.20	2.20%	0.00%	\$21.40	\$27.00	\$30.20
65 gallon roll cart service	\$31.65	\$39.50	\$44.15	2.20%	0.00%	\$32.35	\$39.50	\$44.15
B) Multi-Family & Mobile Home Parks - Oth	ner Cart Charge	<u>s</u>						
Occasional extra's - (35 gallon								
equivalent)	\$6.00	\$5.95	\$6.75	2.20%	0.00%	\$6.15	\$5.95	\$6.75
95 gallon mixed organics cart -								
(up to 25%) food waste, with								
regular service	\$18.50	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$18.90	N/A	N/A
35 gallon food waste cart	\$10.80	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$11.05	N/A	N/A
65 gallon food waste cart	\$16.60	N/A	N/A	2.20%	0.00%	\$16.95	N/A	N/A

95 gallon food waste cart	\$22.35	N/A	N/A		2.20%	0.00%	\$22.85	N/A	N/A
Premium service	\$8.15	\$14.25	\$14.25		2.20%	0.00%	\$8.35	\$14.25	\$14.25
III. Commercial Cart- Monthly rate for week	ly service. ~ se	ee definitions							
A) Type of Service									
35 gallon roll cart service	\$22.45	\$27.05	\$31.90		2.20%	0.00%	\$22.95	\$27.05	\$31.90
65 gallon roll cart service	\$35.55	\$40.70	\$42.80	*	2.20%	0.00%	\$36.35	\$40.70	\$42.80
95 gallon roll cart service	\$45.40	\$52.45	\$54.55		2.20%	0.00%	\$46.40	\$52.45	\$54.55
B) Commercial - Other Cart Charges									
Each additional cart - (35 gallon									
equivalent)	\$12.80	\$12.10	\$13.00		2.20%	0.00%	\$13.10	\$12.10	\$13.00
Occasional extra's - (35 gallon									
equivalent)	\$8.25	\$7.00	\$7.40		2.20%	0.00%	\$8.45	\$7.00	\$7.40
95 gallon mixed organics cart -									
(up to 25%) food waste, with									
regular service	\$18.50	N/A	N/A		2.20%	0.00%	\$18.90	N/A	N/A
35 gallon food waste cart	\$10.80	N/A	N/A		2.20%	0.00%	\$11.05	N/A	N/A
65 gallon food waste cart	\$16.60	N/A	N/A		2.20%	0.00%	\$16.95	N/A	N/A
95 gallon food waste cart	\$22.35	N/A	N/A		2.20%	0.00%	\$22.85	N/A	N/A
IV. Cart Fees									~
Exchange Fee: Charge that									
applies if customer switches						9680168			
service which requires a									
receptacle to be picked up,									
redelivered or returned. i.e. Cart									
Cleaning or switching sizes							***	***	0.47.50
Single cart	\$22.30	\$29.70	\$47.50		2.20%	0.00%	\$22.80	\$29.70	\$47.50
Multiple carts	\$37.10	\$41.60	\$59.40		2.20%	0.00%	\$37.90	\$41.60	\$59.40
Delivery Fee: Charge that applies									
if established customer adds									
additional service. i.e. additional									
mixed organics cart during the summer.									
Single cart	\$22.30	\$29.70	\$47.50		2.20%	0.00%	\$22.80	\$29.70	\$47.50
Multiple carts	\$37.10	\$41.60	\$59.40		2.20%	0.00%	\$37.90	\$41.60	\$59.40
Redelivery Fee: Charge that	ψονο	\$11.00	ψου. το		2.207	0.0070	4000	*	,
applies if customer becomes									
delinquent and carts are brought									
in and they want to resume									
service and have carts									
redelivered.									
Single cart	\$22.30	\$29.70	\$47.50		2.20%	0.00%	\$22.80	\$29.70	\$47.50
Multiple carts	\$37.10	\$41.60	\$59.40		2.20%	0.00%	\$37.90	\$41.60	\$59.40
Each additional 95 gallon mixed		,							
recycling cart	\$3.70	\$3.60	\$3.60		2.20%	0.00%	\$3.80	\$3.60	\$3.60
Return trip charge	\$12.80	\$12.60	\$15.90		2.20%	0.00%	\$13.10	\$12.60	\$15.90
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Late Fee (Formally Service								
interrupt fee)	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	2.20%	0.00%	\$30.65	\$30.00	\$30.00
Damaged carts	\$82.90	\$80.60	\$80.60	2.20%	0.00%	\$84.70	\$80.60	\$80.60
Contamination fee - each cart								
mixed organics and mixed								
recycling	\$16.60	\$16.10	\$16.10	2.20%	0.00%	\$16.95	\$16.10	\$16.10
CONTAINER SERVICE			,					
V. Commercial Container - Monthly rate for	r weekly servic	e.						
A) Type of Service	UGB	Rural	Sparse			UGB	Rural	Sparse
Loose Manual - First Stop			•					
One Yard	\$82.05	\$135.85	\$163.00	1.60%	0.00%	\$83.35	\$135.85	\$163.00
One and a Half Yard	\$115.55	\$148.85	\$178.65	1.60%	0.00%	\$117.40	\$148.85	\$178.65
Two Yard	\$148.05	\$161.80	\$194.15	1.60%	0.00%	\$150.40	\$161.80	\$194.15
Three Yard	\$212.35	\$206.25	\$247.50	1.60%	0.00%	\$215.75	\$206.25	\$247.50
Four Yard	\$269.70	\$274.75	\$348.95	1.60%	0.00%	\$274.00	\$274.75	\$348.95
Five Yard	\$330.85	\$344.25	\$413.00	1.60%	0.00%	\$336.15	\$344.25	\$413.00
Six Yard	\$387.55	\$368.85	\$460.00	1.60%	0.00%	\$393.75	\$368.85	\$460.00
Eight Yards	\$489.55	\$491.05	\$613.40	1.60%	0.00%	\$497.40	\$491.05	\$613.40
Loose Automated - First Stop								
Two Yard	\$148.05	\$161.80	\$194.15	1.60%	0.00%	\$150.40	\$161.80	\$194.15
Three Yard	\$176.45	\$206.25	\$247.50	1.60%	0.00%	\$179.25	\$206.25	\$247.50
Four Yard	\$230.80	\$274.75	\$348.95	1.60%	0.00%	\$234.50	\$274.75	\$348.95
Five Yard	\$286.35	\$344.25	\$413.00	1.60%	0.00%	\$290.95	\$344.25	\$413.00
Six Yard	\$338.15	\$368.85	\$460.00	1.60%	0.00%	\$343.55	\$368.85	\$460.00
Eight Yard	\$440.60	\$491.05	\$613.40	1.60%	0.00%	\$447.65	\$491.05	\$613.40
Each additional stop per week -								
loose manual & automated less								
first stop rate	(\$10.00)	(\$10.00)	(\$10.00)	0.00%	0.00%	(\$10.00)	(\$10.00)	(\$10.00)
**Each non-regular stop is								
charged the regular rate divided								
by four. Haulers may charge no								
more than the manual load rate if								
container cannot be accessed by								
automation.								
B) Container - Other Charges								
Each additional 95 gallon mixed								
recycling cart	\$3.30	\$3.40	\$3.40	1.60%	0.00%	\$3.35	\$3.40	\$3.40
Delivery fee - restarts, temporary								
or first time user	\$30.60	\$36.20	\$51.70	1.60%	0.00%	\$31.10	\$36.20	\$51.70
Late Fee (Formally Service								
interrupt fee) - flat fee will be								
charged after 60-days of non-	***	***	***			***	400.00	000.00
payment	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	0.00%	0.00%	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00
Inaccessible containers - see								
special service rate								

Occasional extra's & overload - see special service rate Franchisee will not move rearload container further than length of franchisee's vehicle, on hard, flat surface.

C) Compacted Material

Compactor and container must be compatible with collector equipment, and be in a safe and operable condition. Mechanically or manually compacted, altered or compacted and shredded waste is three (3) times the loose rate.

DROP BOX SERVICE

VI. Drop Box Service (All rates are plus disposal, demurrage charge, mileage, and rental where applicable)

oose Material+	040400	\$404.00	6464.00	0.000	0.000/	£170.00	¢164.00	¢164
yard	\$164.00	\$164.00	\$164.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$170.00	\$164.00	\$164.
) yard	\$206.00	\$206.00	\$206.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$213.00	\$206.00	\$206
yard yard	\$206.00	\$206.00	\$206.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$213.00	\$206.00	\$206
yard yard	\$206.00	\$206.00	\$206.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$213.00	\$206.00	\$206
) yard	\$206.00	\$206.00	\$206.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$213.00	\$206.00	\$206
Zone mileage is charged as follows:								
Zone 1 - Salem UGB or 1 - 5 mile ra	dius of ReSour	ce = No Mileage o	charge					
Zone 2+ - more than 5 air miles								
but less than 15 air miles from W-								
T-E-F = \$28.20 Mileage charge	\$67.00	\$67.00	\$67.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$69.00	\$67.00	\$67
Zone 3+ - more than 15 air miles								
but less than 25 air miles form W-								
T-E-F = \$56.35 Mileage charge	\$87.00	\$87.00	\$87.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$90.00	\$87.00	\$87
Zone 4+ - more than 25 air miles								
but less than 35 air miles form W-								
T-E-F = \$84.55 Mileage charge	\$108.00	\$108.00	\$108.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$112.00	\$108.00	\$10
Zone 5+ - more than 35 air miles								
but less than 50 air miles form W-								
T-E-F = \$133.10 Mileage charge	\$155.00	\$155.00	\$155.00	3.60%	0.00%	\$161.00	\$155.00	\$15
***ReSource Located in Brooks, Oregon								
ompacted Units					STATE OF THE PARTY			

Customer supplies the compactor and container.

Generator supplied compactor must be compatible and safe to use with collector equipment. Plus Mileage charge as shown above. Minimum charge is based on Twenty-five cubic yard. Includes 70 minute haul time, additional time at special service rate.

\$240.00	\$240.00	\$240
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- + \$7.70 per yard for each additional cubic yard above 25 yards.
- + Disposal cost multiplied by 1.03 plus zone mileage charge for compacted units

C) Disposal Fee

Solid Waste disposed of at an in-county approved facility - \$87.45 Per ton or \$13.00 Per Yard Solid Waste required to be disposed of at an out-of-county approved facility - See special service rate

D) Drop Box - Other Charges

Each additional 95 gallon mixed			
recycling cart	\$3.25	\$3.25	\$3.25
Rental per day after first 4-days			
(96hrs)	\$12.50	\$12.50	\$12.50
Monthly drop box rental	\$123.00	\$123.00	\$123.00
Delivery fee - occasional or first			
time user	\$37.45	\$37.45	\$37.45
Inaccessible drop box - see			
special service rate			

VII. Special Services

Collector will charge the reasonable cost of disposal. Charges are to be related to a similar schedule of fees where possible. All services are plus franchise fee and plus cost of disposal. If debris exceeds 10 yards, use of drop box is at collectors discretion.

A) <u>Janitorial Services and Call</u> <u>Backs (per hour)</u>



	One person and one truck, portal to portal	\$152.90	\$152.90	\$152.90	3,6	60%	0.00%	\$158.40	\$152.90	\$152.90
	Two persons and one truck,	ψ102.50	ψ102.00	ψ102.00	5.0	30 70	0.0070	φ100.40	ψ102.00	ψ102.00
	portal to portal	\$208.50	\$208.50	\$208.50	3.6	50%	0.00%	\$216.00	\$208.50	\$208.50
B)	Residential Medical Waste	,								
-/	One gallon sharps container									
	service (same day as garbage									
	collection service)	\$20.75	\$20.75	\$20.75	3.6	60%	0.00%	\$21.50	\$20.75	\$20.75
	mmercial Medical Waste - Service	•	arion Environme	ntal Services						
A) Low Volume Generators 1-59 boxe	es per month	_							
	20 gallon box/bag	\$44.95	\$44.95	\$44.95	0.0	00%	0.00%	\$44.95	\$44.95	\$44.95
	Each additional box/bag	N/A	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A	N/A
	35 gallon box/bag	\$48.95	\$48.95	\$48.95	0.	00%	0.00%	\$48.95	\$48.95	\$48.95
	Each additional box/bag	N/A	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A	N/A
В) High Volume Generators 60+ boxe	s per month								
	20 gallon box/bag	\$33.35	\$33.35	\$33.35	0.	00%	0.00%	\$33.35	\$33.35	\$33.35
	Each additional box/bag	N/A	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A	N/A
	Salem Hospital - 20Gal -									
	Collection/Disposal Only	\$26.65	\$26.65	\$26.65	0.	00%	0.00%	\$26.65	\$26.65	\$26.65
	35 gallon box/bag	\$37.35	\$37.35	\$37.35	0.	00%	0.00%	\$37.35	\$37.35	\$37.35
	Each additional box/bag	N/A	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A	N/A
	Salem Hospital - 30Gal -									
	Collection/Disposal Only	\$28.55	\$28.55	\$28.55	0.	00%	0.00%	\$28.55	\$28.55	\$28.55

A) Accessible

IX. DEFINITIONS

Cart must be located in a single location with acceptable vehicle turning radius and adequate drive-up access. There must be no tree limbs adjacent to cart(s), and cart(s) must be accessible without manual movement.

B) Additional Carts

Each additional cart must be placed 4' apart side by side on day of collection or customer will be charged an individual cart rate.

C) Bankruptcy

Customers who have had bankruptcy shall provide one billing cycle advance payment on commercial and residential service. Payment is due at time of delivery of service for industrial service.

D) Cart Weight Limit

Maximum weights per cart: 20 gallon cart - 40 pounds, 35 gallon cart - 60 pounds, 65 gallon cart - 120 Pounds, 95 gallon cart - 180 Pounds

E) Charges

No franchised hauler shall charge a rate within the unincorporated areas of Marion County greater than that established by the Marion County Board of Commissioners. Where no rate has been established for a particular type of service, the Marion County Director of Public Works may establish an interim rate as provided under Ordinance 1309 as amended.

F) Collection Day

Carts shall be placed at curb prior to 6:00 a.m. on day of collection. Customers shall not place large items or overfill the cart such that the lid cannot be closed properly.

G) Commercial Cart Service

Applies to all cart service except single family, multi-family, and mobile home park residential service. The collector will provide cart for weekly garbage service and 1 95 gallon roll cart for every other week mixed recycling. Customers having greater than five carts per week service must convert to container service. No mixed organics cart service

H) Compostable Material

Yard debris, food waste and soiled paper when source separated for composting but does not include food soiled paper containing plastic or any other material that inhibits controlled biological decomposition.

I) Damaged Carts

A fee will be assessed if customer places hazardous chemicals, paints, corrosive materials, hot ashes or dirt/rocks, etc that damages the cart.

J) Food Waste

All waste from meats, fish, shellfish, grains, fruits and vegetables, which attends or results from storage, preparation, cooking, handling, selling or serving of food for human consumption.Includes, but is not limited to, excess, spoiled or unusable foods or dairy products, meats, fish, shellfish, grains, fruits, vegetables, breads and dough, incidental amounts of edible oils, and organic waste from food processing. Food waste does not include large amounts of oils and meats which are collected for rendering, fuel production or other reuse applications. Food waste does not include dead animals not intended for human consumption or animal excrement.

Includes paper products that have been in contact with food or food waste to the degree that they would not be able to be recycled into new paper products. Food soiled paper includes, but is not limited to, used paper table covers, used napkins, pizza boxes, coffee filters and waxy corrugated cardboard. Does not include unsoiled paper or cardboard products. Program is designed to include those multi family complexes that do not have access to the residential mixed organics program.

K) Hardship (Not at curb)

Hardship service is provided at residential households where no one in the household is physically capable of moving the container to the curb. The hauler may request verification from the individual's doctor. This service provided to 20-35 gallon service packages.

L) Janitorial & Call Back (per hour)

Collection of solid waste or recyclable materials that require additional handling by franchisee. i.e., removal from yard or building. This service may also include driver/truck time for additional mileage not previously included in established rates.

M) Mixed Organics

Mixed Organics (also known as mixed compostables) means the process where two or more types of compostable materials are collected together (i.e. not separated) in a combination allowed by Marion County.

N) Mixed Recycling

The process where two or more recyclable materials are collected together (i.e., not separated), in a combination allowed by Marion County.

O) Multi Family & Mobile Home Park Service

The collector will provide cart for weekly garbage service and 1 95 gallon roll cart for every other week mixed recycling. Each multi family unit will be charged the regular residential service rate unless the landlord requests the following special option: Four or more residential dwelling units on the same property with service billed to and paid by the landlord or property owner and under one billing.

P) NSF& Interest Charges

Fee is based upon regulated allowance for such penalty.

Q) Premium Service

Additional charge per cart per month, weekly collection for collection at the house up to 300ft (if over 300ft special services: hourly fee applies). Carts must be accessible with clear & unobstructed access so hauler can operate automated equipment. Hauler may request damage waiver form.

R) Residential Service

The collector will provide cart for weekly garbage service and 1 95 gallon roll cart for every other week mixed recycling. UGB Only also includes -1 95 gallon roll cart for mixed organics and 1 recycling basket for recycling. Charge will apply whether containers are completely full or less than full. Carts must be at the curb or street edge with clear and unobstructed access so hauler can operate automated equipment.

S) Cart Fees

Charge that applies if customer switches service which requires a cart/container to be picked up, redelivered or returned. i.e. Cart cleaning

T) Return Trip Charge

Fee will apply when a cart is blocked or not accessible at the time of service.

U) Late Fee (Service Interrupt Fee)

Flat fee will be charged after 60-days of non-payment.

V) Vacation Credit

There will be a pro-rated credit allowed on the regular monthly charge for service which is canceled for 3 consecutive weeks or more, when Hauler is notified in advance of vacation. No credit will be allowed for service which is canceled for less than 3 weeks. If a 3 week vacation occurs within a 5 week month, 1/2 month credit will be issued. Customer may receive credit no more than twice annually.

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of considering adjustment) of collection rates for haulers within the unincorporated areas of Marion County)	
<u>O R D E R</u>	
This matter came before the Board of Commissioners	s at its regular scheduled public meeting of
December 3, 2025, to consider updated collection rates for co	llection franchises within the unincorporated
areas of Marion County.	
WHEREAS, under Marion County Code section 8.05	.480, the Marion County Board of
Commissioners shall conduct a public hearing before any coll	ection and disposal rates may be adjusted,
following an investigation conducted by the Director of the M	Iarion County Department of Public Works;
and	
WHEREAS, the Director of the Marion County Depa	rtment of Public Works has conducted an
investigation and recommends the adjustment of collection ra	tes for solid waste haulers within the
unincorporated areas of Marion County; and	
WHEREAS, the Marion County Board of Commission	ners has conducted a public hearing on
December 3, 2025 and, after hearing all testimony and consid	ering all evidence presented, concludes that
collection rates for solid waste haulers within the unincorpora	ted areas of Marion County should be
adjusted; now, therefore	
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Board of Commi	ssioners approves the adjustment of solid
waste collection rates in the unincorporated areas of Marion C	county as described on Exhibit A attached
hereto.	
DATED at Salem, Oregon, this 3 rd day of December, 2025.	
	MARION COUNTY
	BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
	Chair
	Commissioner

Commissioner



Annual Cost of Service Analysis (COSA)

- Each of the 8 franchised haulers submits a standardized financial report of company operations in Marion County
- Each submitted report was reviewed by Chris Bell, CPA
 - Analyze and compare the reported customer counts to the collection hours
 - Use predictive tests of revenues and expenses
 - Compare costs between County operations and other cities / collection operations
 - Adjust the reported costs to calculate the cost for each service in the urban and rural regions of Marion County
- Financial Results are used calculate the cost of providing service

Medical Waste Rates January 1, 2026

All Areas	Current Rate
20 Gallon Low Volume	\$ 44.95
35 Gallon Low Volume	\$ 48.95
20 Gallon High Volume	\$ 33.35
35 Gallon High Volume	\$ 37.35

Collection Rate Increases

January 1, 2026

	Residential Cart	Commercial Container	Industrial Drop Box
Urban	2.20%	1.60%	3.60%
Rural	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

