

**RESOLUTION 10208**

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL  
SANITATION SERVICE COLLECTION RATES EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2017**

**WHEREAS**, an annual review is performed of the cost of service for the collection and disposal of solid waste from customers of the City of Great Falls, in accordance with Title 8, Chapter 32, of the Official Code of the City of Great Falls; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Title 8, Chapter 32, of the Official Code of the City of Great Falls, the City of Great Falls is authorized to regulate the City's sanitation services and to establish all rates, fees and charges; and

**WHEREAS**, the rate and fee schedules are prepared to generate sufficient revenue to pay all costs of the operation and maintenance of existing and proposed services and equipment to provide sanitation services to inhabitants of the City of Great Falls; and

**WHEREAS**, it is essential to the public health, welfare and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Great Falls to provide an adequate sanitation program and to provide sufficient funding to meet the cost of operation and maintenance; and

**WHEREAS**, notice having been provided as required by law, the City Commission of the City of Great Falls, conducted a public hearing on Tuesday, November 7, 2017, at the Civic Center, 2 Park Drive South, Commission Chambers Room 206, Great Falls, Montana, at 7:00 p.m., and did consider the cost of operation, maintenance, equipment, facilities and capital improvements for the solid waste collection and disposal system.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA, that:**

Section 1. Basic monthly Sanitation Service Collection Rates are hereby established as follows:

| <b><u>RESIDENTIAL</u></b> | <b><u>PROPOSED</u></b> |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Regular 65 Gallon         | \$10.11                |
| Regular 96 Gallon         | \$12.09                |
| Additional 96 Gallon      | \$6.86                 |
| Senior Citizen            | \$8.41                 |
| <b>Extra Pickup</b>       |                        |
| 96 Gallon                 | \$6.86                 |
| 300 Gallon extra pick-up  | \$9.82                 |
| plus extra's - per minute | \$5.00                 |

Section 2. Charges for other commercial pick-up frequencies per week shall be the rate times the number of pickups per week. Large accumulation of material placed for collection may be charged to the customer @ \$5.00 per minute if it takes longer than 2 minutes to load the material.

**Special Pickup**

|                             |                             |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Large appliances            | \$10                        |
| Large appliances with Freon | \$45 (\$35 to remove Freon) |

**COMMERCIAL**

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| 96 Gallon                | \$21.25  |
| 300 Gallon (Shared)      | \$29.17  |
| 300 Gallon (Sole Use) or | \$34.19  |
| 1.5 yard                 | \$34.19  |
| 2 yard                   | \$40.89  |
| 3 yard                   | \$58.67  |
| 4 yard                   | \$78.08  |
| 6 yard loose             | \$116.22 |
| 8 yard loose             | \$154.35 |
| Card Board Recycling     | \$15.00  |

**DROP BOX** (per pick-up)

|                               |                    |          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|----------|
| 3 yard construction dumpster  | (plus rental fees) | \$48.00  |
| 20 yard construction dumpster | (plus rental fees) | \$285.00 |
| 30 yard construction dumpster | (plus rental fees) | \$321.00 |
| 40 yard construction dumpster | (plus rental fees) | \$352.00 |

**Per Day Rental Fees** \$2.00

Section 3. Rates do not include the disposal fee as set forth in the Solid Waste Disposal Agreement between the City of Great Falls and Montana Waste Systems. Disposal costs will be assessed by actual weight and volumes in accordance with the agreement.

Section 4. This Resolution will be effective upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Commission of the City of Great Falls, Montana, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017.

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Bob Kelly, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Darcy Dea, Deputy City Clerk

(SEAL OF CITY)

APPROVED FOR LEGAL CONTENT:

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Sara R. Sexe, City Attorney