

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2 (ADMINISTRATION), ARTICLE VI FEES, SECTION 2-150 FEES AND CHAPTER 24 (SOLID WASTE), ARTICLE II, DIVISION 6, SECTION 24-115. RESIDENTIAL RATES, SECTION 24-116. COMMERCIAL RATES, SECTION 24-117. RECYCLING RATES, AND SECTION 24-118. TRANSFER STATION RATES, OF THE OFFICIAL CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF KILLEEN, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR INCREASES IN SOLID WASTE FEES; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KILLEEN, TEXAS:**

**SECTION I:** That Chapter 2 (Administration) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Killeen is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Chapter 2**

**ADMINISTRATION**

**ARTICLE VI. FEES**

**Sec. 2-150. -Fees.**

The following fees are hereby established for the departments listed:

(n) Solid Waste (The following fees shall be annually adjusted in accordance with Chapter 24, Section 24-119 of this Code)

- (1) Special Collection Fee - ~~\$20.00~~ \$21.00 for a volume up to three (3) cubic yards; ~~\$7.00~~ \$7.50 for each additional cubic yard
- (2) Waiting time (blocked dumpster asked to wait) - ~~\$128.27~~ \$138.28/hour; ~~\$2.15~~ \$2.32/minute
- (3) After hours special pickup of dumpsters (under two hours) - ~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44
- (4) Deposit at water department for recurring use of transfer station in order to be able to charge disposal costs - ~~\$125.00~~ \$134.75
- (5) Installation of dumpster - ~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44
- (6) Relocation of dumpster - ~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44

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**SECTION II:** That Chapter 24 (Solid Waste) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Killeen is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Chapter 24**

**SOLID WASTE**

**ARTICLE II. MUNICIPAL COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICE**

**DIVISION 6. RATE SCHEDULE**

**Sec. 24-115. - Residential rates.**

- (a) Variable rates shall be charged depending on the size and quantity of containers selected. This monthly base rate includes the standard weekly services as stated in section 24-46(b). Sales tax shall be added to fees for goods and services where required by state law. A separate deposit of \$30.00 shall be required for solid waste services when establishing a water services account with the utility collections division.

<b>Container Size(s) Available</b>	<b>Monthly Base Rate</b>
96 gallon	<del>\$17.50</del> \$19.76
64 gallon	<del>\$15.60</del> \$17.76
32 gallon	<del>\$14.38</del> \$16.76

- (b) Additional container(s) of the same or different size may be subscribed by paying the fee stated above for the additional container(s).
- (c) A container exchange fee of ~~\$10.00~~ \$10.50 shall be charged for all exchanges to a larger container or additional containers. This is a one-time fee charged to the monthly utility bill. There shall be no charge for customers who exchange a larger container for a smaller container.
- (d) Brush collection: on the scheduled collection day, residents are allowed up to six (6) cubic yards of segregated brush (dimensions of 4 ft x 4 ft x 12 ft). Brush in excess of this amount shall be charged a fee at the rate of seven dollars (~~\$7.00~~ \$7.50) per cubic yard.
- (e) Special collection service fee: solid waste (excluding non-collectibles) that are identified under section 24.54 and at curb on the scheduled collection day and properly prepared for collection shall be picked up for the following fees:
- (1) ~~\$20.00~~ \$21.00 minimum for a volume up to three (3) cubic yards.
  - (2) ~~\$7.00~~ \$7.50 per cubic yard in excess of three (3) cubic yards.

- (f) Replacement cost for lost, stolen, or damaged roll-out containers or recycling bins through customer abuse or neglect: ~~\$19.00~~ \$20.00 service fee, plus the cost to purchase the replacement container.
- (g) Replacement of container lids, wheels, and other container hardware due to customer abuse or neglect: ~~\$19.00~~ \$20.00 Service fee, plus the cost of replacement part(s).
- (h) Missed service fee for automated collection: ~~\$7.00~~ \$7.50 for return trip.
- (i) Automated container reload for excess garbage placed in plastic bag: ~~\$6.00~~ \$6.50 per reload; maximum number of reloads per collection two (2), for a maximum fee of ~~\$12.00~~ \$13.00.
- (j) Fee charged for an overloaded container: ~~\$6.00~~ \$6.50.
- (k) Residential premium service.
  - (1) ~~\$22.00~~ \$23.00 for emptying of automated container only.
  - (2) ~~\$22.00~~ \$23.00 service fee and ~~\$7.00~~ \$7.50 per cubic yard for other special waste properly prepared for collection.
- (l) Fee to remove roll-out residential container from curb by city employee: ~~\$6.00~~ \$6.50.  
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

**Sec. 24-116. - Commercial rates.**

- (a) Once per week collection using a 96-gallon container: ~~\$17.50~~ \$21.30 per month.
- (b) Once per week collection using a 300-gallon container: ~~\$52.97~~ \$57.10 per month.
- (c) Dumpster container rates are based on size of container and frequency of weekly collection.
  - (1) Monthly fees:

Dumpster Size	Collections Per Week						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2 cu yd	\$73.02	\$111.37	\$155.76	\$200.15	\$245.48	\$288.92	\$333.31
	\$78.72	\$120.06	\$167.91	\$215.76	\$264.93	\$311.46	\$359.31
3 cu yd	\$89.12	\$138.24	\$194.70	\$251.18	\$307.65	\$364.12	\$420.59
	\$96.07	\$149.04	\$209.89	\$270.77	\$331.65	\$392.50	\$453.40
4 cu yd	\$104.24	\$164.19	\$232.74	\$301.27	\$369.85	\$438.41	\$506.96

	\$112.37	\$177.00	\$250.89	\$324.77	\$398.70	\$472.61	\$546.50
6 cu yd	<del>\$136.47</del>	<del>\$217.92</del>	<del>\$310.64</del>	<del>\$403.35</del>	<del>\$496.07</del>	<del>\$588.78</del>	<del>\$681.49</del>
	\$147.77	\$234.92	\$334.87	\$434.81	\$534.76	\$634.70	\$734.65
8 cu yd	<del>\$168.69</del>	<del>\$271.51</del>	<del>\$388.51</del>	<del>\$505.40</del>	<del>\$622.27</del>	<del>\$739.17</del>	<del>\$856.05</del>
	\$181.85	\$292.69	\$418.81	\$544.82	\$670.81	\$796.83	\$922.82

(2) Fees for extra pickups:

Size of Container	For Customer Reload on Site	For Call-In Service
2 cu yd	<del>\$11.38</del> \$12.27	<del>\$25.65</del> \$27.65
3 cu yd	<del>\$14.51</del> \$15.64	<del>\$28.76</del> \$31.00
4 cu yd	<del>\$17.60</del> \$18.97	<del>\$31.86</del> \$34.35
6 cu yd	<del>\$23.82</del> \$25.68	<del>\$38.07</del> \$41.04
8 cu yd	<del>\$30.02</del> \$32.36	<del>\$44.28</del> \$47.73

(d) Fees for collection from privately owned, small compactors are based on size of compactor and frequency of weekly collection:

Compactor Size	Collections Per Week						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4 cu yd	\$138.25	\$271.42	\$404.59	\$537.73	\$670.93	\$804.10	\$937.27
	\$149.03	\$292.59	\$436.15	\$579.67	\$723.26	\$866.82	\$1010.38
6 cu yd	\$185.48	\$366.56	\$545.65	\$725.74	\$905.82	\$1085.90	\$1265.97

	\$199.95	\$395.15	\$588.21	\$782.35	\$976.47	\$1170.60	\$1364.72
8 cu yd	<del>\$232.76</del>	<del>\$459.68</del>	<del>\$686.84</del>	<del>\$913.91</del>	<del>\$1140.95</del>	<del>\$1368.00</del>	<del>\$1595.04</del>
	\$250.92	\$495.54	\$739.95	\$985.19	\$1229.94	\$1474.70	\$1719.45

(e) Fees for roll-off container service:

(1)

Size of Container	Rental Fee (a)	Service
20 yd open top	<del>\$123.89</del>	<del>\$126.81+weight<sup>b</sup></del>
	\$133.55	\$136.70
30 yd open top	<del>\$146.34</del>	<del>\$126.81+weight<sup>b</sup></del>
	\$157.75	\$136.70
40 yd open top	<del>\$167.81</del>	<del>\$126.81+weight<sup>b</sup></del>
	\$180.90	\$136.70
20 yd compactor	Must own	<del>\$126.81+weight<sup>b</sup></del> \$136.70
30 yd compactor	Must own	<del>\$126.81+weight<sup>b</sup></del> \$136.70
42 yd compactor	Must own	<del>\$126.81+weight<sup>b</sup></del> \$136.70
(a) minimum fee: one month rental for first month; prorated for subsequent months		
<sup>b</sup> weight fee is <del>\$58.70</del> \$63.28 per ton		

(2) Prepaid deposit based on number of services per month:

Size of Roll Off	Number of Services Per Month							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
20 yd open top	<del>\$399.00</del>	<del>\$695.40</del>	<del>\$991.80</del>	<del>\$1288.20</del>	<del>\$1584.60</del>	<del>\$1881.00</del>	<del>\$2177.40</del>	<del>\$2473.80</del>
	\$430.12	\$749.64	\$1069.16	\$1388.68	\$1708.20	\$2027.72	\$2347.24	\$2666.76
30 yd open top	<del>\$484.50</del>	<del>\$839.04</del>	<del>\$1194.72</del>	<del>\$1550.40</del>	<del>\$1906.08</del>	<del>\$2261.76</del>	<del>\$2575.26</del>	<del>\$2929.80</del>
	\$522.29	\$904.49	\$1287.91	\$1671.33	\$2054.75	\$2438.18	\$2776.13	\$3158.32
40 yd open top	<del>\$558.60</del>	<del>\$974.70</del>	<del>\$1390.80</del>	<del>\$1803.48</del>	<del>\$2217.30</del>	<del>\$2631.13</del>	<del>\$3047.22</del>	<del>\$3463.32</del>
	\$602.17	\$1050.73	\$1499.28	\$1944.15	\$2309.25	\$2836.36	\$3284.90	\$3733.46

- (f) Installation of locking bar device on commercial containers: ~~\$31.38~~ \$33.83 installation fee plus ~~\$3.14~~ \$3.38 monthly rental.
- (g) Dumpster cleaning required by solid waste director or requested by customer, because of odor or unsanitary condition: ~~\$65.00~~ \$70.00 per wash.
- (h) Necessary dumpster cleaning and painting after a fire in container: ~~\$230.00~~ \$248.00
- (i) Mechanical assistance to customer to unload unauthorized items in container, such as appliances, couches, etc: ~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44.
- (j) *Manual collection:* ~~one hundred thirty eight dollars and thirty seven cents~~ one hundred forty nine dollars and sixteen cents (~~\$138.37~~ \$149.16) per hour based on the total amount of time including; but not limited to, travel, loading and disposal, plus weight of contents.
- (k) *Special mechanical collection:*
  - (1) ~~\$20.00~~ \$21.00 minimum for a volume up to three (3) cubic yards.
  - (2) ~~\$7.00~~ 7.50 per cubic yard in excess of (3) three cubic yards.
- (l) Waiting time (blocked dumpster asked to wait) - ~~\$128.27~~ \$138.28/hour; ~~\$2.15~~ \$2.32/minute.
- (m) After hours special pickup of dumpsters (under two hours) - ~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44.
- (n) Deposit at utility collections division for recurring use of transfer station in order to be able to charge disposal costs - ~~\$125.00~~ \$134.75.
- (o) Installation of dumpster - ~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44.

- (p) Relocation of dumpster -~~\$50.50~~ \$54.44.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 04-70, § I, 8-24-04; Ord. No. 05-72, § I, 9-13-05; Ord. No. 06-132, § I, 12-12-06; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

**Sec. 24-117. - Recycling rates.**

- (a) Subscription to the residential curbside recycling service: ~~\$2.48~~ \$2.60 per month.
- (b) Additional (or second) 22-gallon recycling bin: city's current cost to purchase containers - one time cost only.
- (c) Lid cover for the 22-gallon recycling bin: city's current cost to purchase lids - one time cost only.
- (d) Public scale fee:
- (1) Weight ticket - ~~\$9.00~~ \$9.50
  - (2) Copy of ticket - ~~\$6.00~~ \$6.50
- (e) Roll-off rental for special purposes or events: ~~\$65.00~~ \$68.25 (per service).
- (f) Fee for each appliance received at Killeen recycling center for CFC evacuation and disposal of appliance: ~~\$20.00~~ \$21.00.
- (g) Pickup of an appliance containing CFC's at residential curbside, CFC evacuation, and disposal of appliance: ~~\$40.00~~ \$42.00.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

**Sec. 24-118. - Transfer station rates.**

- (a) Disposal fee, when applicable, shall be calculated by weight as determined by the on-site scales, at a rate of ~~fifty eight dollars and seventy cents~~ sixty three dollars and twenty eight cents (~~\$58.70~~ \$63.28) per ton, ~~two dollars and ninety three cents~~ three dollars and eight cents (~~\$2.93~~ \$3.08) per one hundred (100) pounds; which is the minimum fee.
- (b) Surcharge for unsecured load: ~~\$25.00~~ \$26.25.
- (c) Tire disposal fees:
- (1) Passenger/light truck tires greater than 12" rim size up to a 22" rim size: ~~\$3.00~~ \$3.15.
  - (2) Passenger/light truck tires up to a 12" rim size: ~~\$2.50~~ \$2.65.
  - (2) Commercial tires, but not larger than a 2" bead: ~~\$6.00~~ \$6.50.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

**Sec. 24-119. – Annual Consumer Price Index Rate Adjustment.**

Rates established in this Division 6 shall be adjusted annually and become effective on October 1 of each successive year by the same percentage as the Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Dallas/Fort

Worth Region for All Urban Consumers, less energy) as published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during the preceding twelve (12) month period as measured from July of the previous year through June of the then current year.

**SECTION III.** That all ordinances or resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**SECTION IV.** That should any section or part of any section, paragraph or clause of this ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional for any reason, it shall not invalidate or impair the validity, force or effect of any other section or sections or part of a section or paragraph of this ordinance.

**SECTION V.** That the Code of Ordinances of the City of Killeen, Texas, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect, save and except as amended by this ordinance.

**SECTION VI.** That this ordinance shall be effective after its passage and publication according to law.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Killeen, Texas, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015, at which meeting a quorum was present, held in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A., Government Code, §551.001 *et seq.*