

Ordinance No. 121613

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Council Bill No. 114975

The City of Seattle  
Council Bill/Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE relating to rates and charges of the solid waste system of Seattle Public Utilities; implementing new rates and charges for commercial compostable waste services; and amending Section 21.40.070 of the Seattle Municipal Code in connection therewith.

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CF No. \_\_\_\_\_

10-4-04 Pass

Date Introduced:	<u>JUL 26 2004</u>	
Date 1st Referred:	<u>JUL 26 2004</u>	To: (committee) <u>GIS &amp; Technology</u>
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Date Re - Referred:		To: (committee)
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*Jim Ahl*

Councilmember

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**Committee Action:**

Pass as amended JC JD NL

10-4-04 Passed R.O (Excused: Conlin)

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Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

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1 B. Primary and Secondary Service Rates and Charges. There is imposed upon all  
 2 commercial establishments in the City receiving container or drop service from one of the City's  
 3 contract collectors of commercial solid waste or one of the City's contract collectors of  
 4 commercial compostable waste the following schedule of rates and charges:

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 7 1. Container Service Rates. The following charges shall apply to commercial  
 8 establishments receiving primary container service for solid waste. Customers receiving  
 9 secondary container service for solid waste shall pay twenty (20) percent more than the  
 10 corresponding rate for primary container service for solid waste (the basic service charge  
 11 including container rent and related taxes all multiplied by 1.2). Effective January 1, 2005,  
 12 customers receiving primary or secondary container service for compostable waste shall pay  
 13 twenty (20) percent less than the corresponding rate for primary container service for solid waste  
 14 (the basic service charge including container rent multiplied by 0.80).

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 17 **((Container Service  
 Non-Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	SIZE OR TYPE OF CONTAINER									
	60-Gal Toter	90-Gal. Toter	1-Yd	1.5-Yd	2-Yd	3-Yd	4-Yd	5-Yd	6-Yd	8-Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>										
First Pickup	\$5.95	\$7.05	\$15.70	\$22.35	\$27.25	\$38.15	\$49.20	\$60.40	\$67.35	\$85.35
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$5.95	\$7.05	\$15.70	\$22.35	\$27.25	\$38.15	\$49.20	\$60.40	\$67.35	\$85.35
Special Pickups	\$7.45	\$8.30	\$23.75	\$29.70	\$35.30	\$46.65	\$57.95	\$67.35	\$76.60	\$95.60
Monthly Rent	\$1.75	\$1.75	\$4.65	\$6.80	\$8.75	\$10.85	\$12.40	\$17.05	\$19.10	\$21.70
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$25.78	\$30.55	\$68.03	\$96.85	\$118.08	\$165.32	\$213.20	\$261.73	\$291.85	\$369.85
<b>Temporary Account</b>										



Initial Delivery			\$12.65	\$12.65	\$12.65	\$12.65	\$12.65	\$12.65	\$12.65	\$12.65
Pickup Rate			\$23.75	\$29.70	\$35.30	\$46.65	\$57.95	\$67.35	\$76.60	\$95.60
Rent Per Calendar Day			\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10

**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 2 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$31.60	\$48.95	\$71.25	\$93.45	\$115.65	\$138.05
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$31.60	\$48.95	\$71.25	\$93.45	\$115.65	\$138.05
Special Pickups	\$40.10	\$57.20	\$80.00	\$102.45	\$124.00	\$147.55
Monthly Rent	\$14.45	\$28.90	\$32.00	\$36.10	\$39.20	\$43.25
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$136.93	\$212.12	\$308.75	\$404.95	\$501.15	\$598.22

**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 5 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$45.30	\$76.80	\$109.70	\$142.60	\$177.50	\$216.75
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$45.30	\$76.80	\$109.70	\$142.60	\$177.50	\$216.75
Special Pickups	\$50.80	\$82.55	\$115.70	\$148.85	\$183.50	\$223.50
Monthly Rent	\$15.60	\$31.25	\$33.05	\$39.05	\$42.50	\$46.85
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$196.30	\$332.80	\$475.37	\$617.93	\$769.17	\$939.25

\* "Flat monthly pickup" rate schedules exclude rental rates.

\* Can-unit Pickup. Customers receiving regularly scheduled can-unit pickup service for one (1) or more cans will be charged Three Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$3.15) per can pickup, with a minimum monthly charge of Twenty Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$20.70). When a set number of units are serviced each week, the customer may be billed at a flat rate equal to four and one-third (4 1/3) times the applicable unit rate, subject to the same Twenty Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$20.70) minimum monthly charge.



~~• Bulky Waste Collection. Customers setting out bulky waste will be charged at the rate of Thirteen Dollars and Twenty-five Cents (\$13.25) per cubic yard for such waste. The charges for bulky waste collection will be assessed per one quarter (1/4) cubic yard. Any such charges will be in addition to the customer's regular container collection service charges.~~

~~• Overload Container Charges. A toter or container whose contents exceed one (1) foot above the top of the toter or container will be charged at the bulky waste collection rate on a per one-quarter (1/4) cubic yard basis.~~

**Effective January 1, 2003))**

**Container Service  
 Non-Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	SIZE OR TYPE OF CONTAINER									
	60 Gal Toter	90 Gal. Toter	1 Yd	1.5 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd	8 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>										
First Pickup	\$6.15	\$7.25	\$16.15	\$23.00	\$28.05	\$39.30	\$50.70	\$62.20	\$69.35	\$87.90
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$6.15	\$7.25	\$16.15	\$23.00	\$28.05	\$39.30	\$50.70	\$62.20	\$69.35	\$87.90
Special Pickups	\$7.65	\$8.55	\$24.45	\$30.60	\$36.35	\$48.05	\$59.70	\$69.35	\$78.90	\$98.45
Monthly Rent	\$1.80	\$1.80	\$4.80	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$11.20	\$12.75	\$17.55	\$19.65	\$22.35
Fiat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$26.55	\$31.45	\$70.75	\$99.75	\$121.60	\$170.30	\$219.60	\$269.60	\$300.60	\$380.95
<b>Temporary Account</b>										
Initial Delivery			\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05
Pickup Rate			\$24.45	\$30.6	\$36.35	\$48.05	\$59.70	\$69.35	\$78.90	\$98.45
Rent Per Calendar Day			\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20



**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 2 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$32.55	\$50.40	\$73.40	\$96.25	\$119.10	\$142.20
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$32.55	\$50.40	\$73.40	\$96.25	\$119.10	\$142.20
Special Pickups	\$41.30	\$58.90	\$82.40	\$105.50	\$127.70	\$152.00
Monthly Rent	\$14.90	\$29.75	\$32.95	\$37.20	\$40.40	\$44.55
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$141.05	\$218.50	\$318.00	\$417.10	\$516.20	\$616.15

**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 5 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$46.65	\$79.10	\$113.00	\$146.90	\$182.85	\$223.25
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$46.65	\$79.10	\$113.00	\$146.90	\$182.85	\$223.25
Special Pickups	\$52.30	\$85.05	\$119.15	\$153.30	\$189.00	\$230.20
Monthly Rent	\$16.05	\$32.20	\$34.05	\$40.20	\$43.80	\$48.25
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$202.20	\$342.80	\$489.65	\$636.45	\$792.25	\$967.45

\* "Flat monthly pickup" rate schedules exclude rental rates.

• Can-unit Pickup. Customers receiving regularly scheduled can-unit pickup service for one (1) or more cans will be charged Three Dollars and Twenty-five Cents (\$3.25) per can pickup, with a minimum monthly charge of Twenty Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$21.30). When a set number of units are serviced each week, the customer may be billed at a flat rate equal to four and one-third (4 1/3) times the applicable unit rate, subject to the same Twenty Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$21.30) minimum monthly charge.



1 • **Bulky Waste Collection.** Customers setting out bulky waste will be charged at the rate of  
 2 Thirteen Dollars and Sixty-five Cents (\$13.65) per cubic yard for such waste. The charges for  
 3 bulky waste collection will be assessed per one-quarter (1/4) cubic yard. Any such charges will  
 4 be in addition to the customer's regular container collection service charges.

5 • **Overload Container Charges.** A toter or container whose contents exceed one (1) foot above  
 6 the top of the toter or container will be charged at the bulky waste collection rate on a per one-  
 7 quarter (1/4) cubic yard basis.

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 9 2. **Drop Box Service Rates.** The following charges shall apply to commercial  
 10 establishments receiving primary drop box service for solid waste. Customers receiving  
 11 secondary drop box service for solid waste shall pay fifteen (15) percent more than the  
 12 corresponding rate for primary drop box service for solid waste (the basic service charge  
 13 including container rent and related taxes all multiplied by 1.15). Effective January 1, 2005,  
 14 customers receiving primary or secondary drop box service for compostable waste shall pay  
 15 twenty (20) percent less than the corresponding rate for primary drop box service for solid waste  
 16 (the basic service charge including container rent multiplied by 0.80).  
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 20 **((Drop Box Service  
 Noncompacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	Size or Type of Container										
	3-4Yd	6-Yd	8-Yd	10-Yd	12-Yd	15-Yd	16-Yd	20Yd	25Yd	30Yd	40-Yd
Permanent Account											
First Pickup	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00
Special Pickups	\$ 71.75	\$ 71.75	\$ 71.75	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55
Monthly Rent	\$ 12.80	\$ 24.55	\$ 26.65	\$ 28.80	\$ 32.00	\$ 35.20	\$ 37.70	\$ 40.50	\$ 51.20	\$ 61.85	\$ 67.15



Temporary Account											
Pickup Rate		\$ 71.75	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55
Rent Per Calendar Day		\$ 3.20	\$ 3.20	\$ 3.20	\$ 3.20	\$ 4.25	\$ 4.25	\$ 4.25	\$ 5.35	\$ 5.35	

**Drop Box Service  
 Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	10 Yd	15 Yd	20 Yd	25 Yd	30 yd	40 yd
Permanent Account						
First Pickup	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75	\$ 127.75
Special Pickups	\$ 138.45	\$ 138.45	\$ 138.45	\$ 138.45	\$ 138.45	\$ 138.45

**Effective January 1, 2003))**

**Drop Box Service  
 Noncompacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	Size or Type of Container										
	3 -4Yd	6 Yd	8 Yd	10 Yd	12 Yd	15 Yd	16 Yd	20Yd	25Yd	30Yd	40 Yd
Permanent Account											
First Pickup	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50
Special Pickups	\$73.90	\$73.90	\$73.90	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30
Monthly Rent	\$13.20	\$25.30	\$27.45	\$29.65	\$32.95	\$36.25	\$38.85	\$41.70	\$52.75	\$63.70	\$69.15
Temporary Account											
Pickup Rate			\$73.90	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30
Rent Per Calendar Day			\$3.30	\$3.30	\$3.30	\$3.30	\$4.40	\$4.40	\$4.40	\$5.50	\$5.50

**Drop Box Service  
 Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	10 Yd	15 Yd	20 Yd	25 Yd	30 yd	40 yd
Permanent Account						



First Pickup	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60
Special Pickups	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60

3. A&E (Ancillary and Elective) Service Charges. The following charges shall apply to commercial establishments receiving any of the A&E (Ancillary and Elective) Services(( )) listed in the table below. Customers receiving secondary container service for solid waste shall pay twenty (20) percent more ((~~than~~)) for A&E Services than primary container solid waste service customers (the applicable A&E service charge(s) multiplied by 1.2). Customers receiving secondary drop box service for solid waste shall pay fifteen (15) percent more ((~~than~~)) for A&E Services than primary drop box solid waste service customers (the applicable A&E service charge(s) multiplied by 1.15). Effective January 1, 2005, customers receiving primary or secondary container or drop box service for compostable waste shall pay the same amount for A&E Services as primary container or drop box solid waste service customers.

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<b>A&amp;E Service Charges</b>	
Type of Service	Charge to Customer
<b>Deliveries</b>	
Toter initial delivery - Permanent	\$11.40
Container initial delivery - Temporary 1-8 CY	13.40
Container initial delivery - Permanent 1-8 CY	13.40
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 3-8 CY	19.00
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 3-8 CY	19.00
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 10-40 CY	30.00
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 10-40 CY	30.00
<b>Pickup Ancillary Services</b>	
Temporary pickup	\$13.50
Return trip - Can	4.25
Return trip - Container	9.00



Return trip - Drop Box	36.00
Time rates for Special Event Service, Deliveries/Pickups*	1.20 per minute, 30-minute minimum
<b>Container, Drop Box, and Compactor Special Services</b>	
Pickup/redelivery up to 8 CY	\$13.50
Pickup/redelivery over 8 CY	30.00
Washing and steam cleaning, per CY	2.00
Washing and steam cleaning, minimum payment	15.00
Sanitizing containers, per CY	0.90
Sanitizing containers, minimum payment	10.00
Compactor disconnect/reconnect cycle	20.00
Container, drop box compactor turnaround	15.90
Drop box solid lid monthly provision	11.80
Overtime service, hourly premium for service provided between Saturday, 4:00 p.m., to Sunday, 5:00 p.m.	34.50, in 4-hour increments
Replacement lock for container, if requested more frequently than every 12 months	10.00

\*Qualification for this rate requires preapproval by the Director of Seattle Public Utilities.

Effective January 1, 2003:-))

A&E Service Charges	
Type of Service	Charge to Customer
Deliveries	
Toter initial delivery - Permanent	\$11.75
Container initial delivery - Temporary 1-8 CY	\$13.80
Container initial delivery - Permanent 1-8 CY	\$13.80
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 3-8 CY	\$19.55
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 3-8 CY	\$19.55
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 10-40 CY	\$30.90
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 10-40 CY	\$30.90
<b>Pickup Ancillary Services</b>	
Temporary pickup	\$13.90
Return trip - Can	\$4.40



1	Return trip - Container	\$9.25
	Return trip - Drop Box	\$37.10
2	Time rates for Special Event Service, Deliveries/Pickups*	\$1.25, 30-minute minimum
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4	<b>Container, Drop Box, and Compactor Special Services</b>	
	Pickup/redelivery up to 8 CY	\$13.90
5	Pickup/redelivery over 8 CY	\$30.90
6	Washing and steam cleaning, per CY	\$2.05
7	Washing and steam cleaning, minimum payment	\$15.45
8	Sanitizing containers, per CY	\$0.95
	Sanitizing containers, minimum payment	\$10.30
9	Compactor disconnect/reconnect cycle	\$20.60
	Container, drop box compactor turnaround	\$16.40
10	Drop box solid lid monthly provision	\$12.15
11	Overtime service, hourly premium for service provided between Saturday, 4:00 p.m., to Sunday, 5:00 p.m.	\$35.55, in 4 hour increments
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13	Replacement lock for container, if requested more frequently than every 12 months	\$10.30

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 16 \*Qualification for this rate requires preapproval by the Director of Seattle Public Utilities.

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 18 4. Disposal Fee for MSW and Processing Fee for Compostable Waste Drop Box Service.

19 ((a. Disposal fees for MSW drop box service shall be assessed on each MSW drop box  
 20 load at the rate of Seventy-seven Dollars and Eighty-seven Cents (\$77.87) per ton, measured on a  
 21 per tip basis rounded to the next highest one-hundredth (1/100) ton.

22 b. Effective January 1, 2003, d)) Disposal fees for MSW drop box service shall be  
 23 assessed on each MSW drop box load at the rate of Eighty Dollars and Twenty Cents (\$80.20)  
 24 per ton, measured on a per tip basis rounded to the next highest one-hundredth (1/100) ton.  
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1 Effective January 1, 2005, processing fees for compostable waste drop box service shall be  
2 assessed on each compostable waste drop box load at the rate of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per ton,  
3 measured on a per tip basis rounded to the next highest one-hundredth (1/100) ton.  
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5           5. Application of Taxes and Local Hazardous Waste Plan Fee. The following taxes and  
6 fees shall be added to the collection and disposal charges set forth in this section.  
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8           a. Household Hazardous Waste Collection Fees, corresponding to the fees currently  
9 contained in Seattle Municipal Code Section 21.44.060D;  
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11           b. Seattle Solid Waste Collection Taxes contained in Seattle Municipal Code, Section  
12 5.48.055;  
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14           c. State Solid Waste Collection Taxes; and  
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16           d. Retail Sales Tax levies on container rental charges.  
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19           6. Payment of Charges -- Delinquency and Lien.  
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21           a. Collection and disposal charges shall be against the premises served and when such  
22 charges have not been paid within ninety (90) days after billing, service shall be discontinued and  
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1 the charges shall constitute a lien against the premises served. Notice of the City's lien specifying  
2 the amount due, the period covered and giving the legal description of the premises sought to be  
3 charged may be filed with the County Auditor within the time required and may be foreclosed in  
4 the manner and within the time prescribed for liens for labor and material, as authorized by RCW  
5 35.21.140.  
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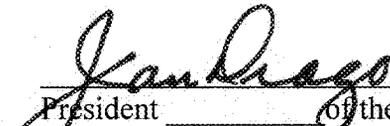
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8 b. Penalty interest at the rate of twelve (12) percent per year, computed monthly, shall  
9 be added to collection and disposal charges that become delinquent. Penalty interest shall be  
10 imposed on all such charges that remain unpaid thirty (30) days after their bill date and shall  
11 continue until such charges are paid.  
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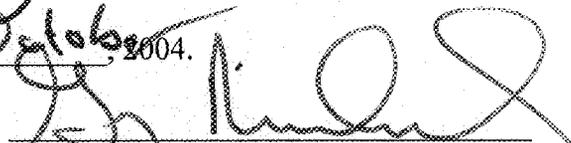


1 Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from and after  
2 its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten (10) days  
3 after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

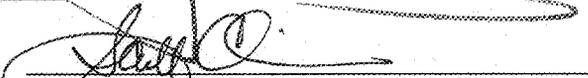
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5 Passed by the City Council the 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2004, and signed by me in open  
6 session in authentication of its passage this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2004.

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President \_\_\_\_\_ of the City Council

9 Approved by me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2004.

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11 Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor

12 Filed by me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of Oct., 2004.

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14 City Clerk

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**FISCAL NOTE FOR NON-CAPITAL PROJECTS**

<b>Department:</b>	<b>Contact Person/Phone:</b>	<b>DOF Analyst/Phone:</b>
Seattle Public Utilities	Brian Buck/733-9065	Cameron Keyes/684-8048

**Legislation Title:**

AN ORDINANCE relating to rates and charges of the solid waste system of Seattle Public Utilities; implementing new rates and charges for commercial compostable waste services; and amending Seattle Municipal Code Chapters 21.40.070 in connection therewith.

• **Summary of the Legislation:**

The proposed legislation authorizes Seattle Public Utilities to implement new rates and charges for commercial compostable waste services. The commercial compostable waste services are priced at 20% below the commercial solid waste services. The department believes this price incentive along with the avoidance of solid waste taxes\* will significantly increase the amount of food and yard waste diverted from the commercial waste stream.

\* Per SMC 5.48.055, recyclable materials and yard waste are not subject to the solid waste utility tax.

• **Background:** *(Include brief description of the purpose and context of legislation and include record of previous legislation and funding history, if applicable):*

The City has a commercial service agreement with Rabanco Ltd. that ends in 2008 with options for two additional years and a composting service agreement with Cedar Grove Composting that ends in 2008 with options for two additional years. The City has negotiated with these service providers to begin commercial compostable waste recycling. The City last modified solid waste rates and charges effective January 1, 2003 and is not proposing solid waste rate adjustments to any existing solid waste services. This new compostable waste service offer is one of the building blocks for the continued growth of our successful recycling program. The City initially proposed new recycling services in the City's 1998 Solid Waste Plan that were reiterated in the 2003 Plan to Reaffirm Seattle's Leadership in Recycling.

• *Please check one of the following:*

\_\_\_\_\_ **This legislation does not have any financial implications.** *(Stop here and delete the remainder of this document prior to saving and printing.)*



**X** This legislation has financial implications. (Please complete all relevant sections that follow.)

**Appropriations:** This table should reflect appropriations that are a direct result of this legislation. In the event that the project/ programs associated with this ordinance have appropriations that were, or will be, received because of previous or future legislation or budget actions, please provide details in the Notes section below.

Fund Name and Number	Department	Budget Control Level*	2004 Appropriation	2005 Anticipated Appropriation
<b>TOTAL</b>				

\*See budget book to obtain the appropriate Budget Control Level for your department.

**Notes:**

In 2004, the expected new contract costs for this service will be \$87k. These costs will be offset by \$68k in avoided costs associated with recycling vs. disposal. This \$19.7k increase in contract costs will be absorbed by the fund and will not require an additional budget appropriation. In 2005, the expected new contract cost for this service will be \$1.4M. These costs will be offset by \$1.1M in avoided costs associated with recycling vs. disposal. This \$344k increase in contract costs and the like increase for 2006 will be reflected in the 2005-06 budget proposal.

**Anticipated Revenue/Reimbursement: Resulting From This Legislation:** This table should reflect revenues/reimbursements that are a direct result of this legislation. In the event that the issues/projects associated with this ordinance/resolution have revenues or reimbursements that were, or will be, received because of previous or future legislation or budget actions, please provide details in the Notes section below the table.

Fund Name and Number	Department	Revenue Source	2004 Revenue	2005 Revenue
45010 - Solid Waste Fund	Seattle Public Utilities	Commercial Services Revenue	\$22,531	\$360,496
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$22,531</b>	<b>\$360,496</b>

**Notes:**



**Total Regular Positions Created Or Abrogated Through This Legislation, Including FTE**

**Impact:** This table should only reflect the actual number of positions created by this legislation. In the event that positions have been, or will be, created as a result of previous or future legislation or budget actions, please provide details in the Notes section below the table.

Position Title and Department*	Fund Name	Fund Number	Part-Time/Full Time	2004 Positions	2004 FTE	2005 Positions**	2005 FTE**
<b>TOTAL</b>							

\* List each position separately

\*\* 2005 positions and FTE are total 2005 position changes resulting from this legislation, not incremental changes. Therefore, under 2005, please be sure to include any continuing positions from 2004

**Notes:**

- **Do positions sunset in the future?** (If yes, identify sunset date):

**Spending/Cash Flow:** This table should be completed only in those cases where part or all of the funds authorized by this legislation will be spent in a different year than when they were appropriated (e.g., as in the case of certain grants and capital projects). Details surrounding spending that will occur in future years should be provided in the Notes section below the table.

Fund Name and Number	Department	Budget Control Level*	2004 Expenditures	2005 Anticipated Expenditures
<b>TOTAL</b>				

\* See budget book to obtain the appropriate Budget Control Level for your department.

**Notes:**

- **What is the financial cost of not implementing the legislation?** (Estimate the costs to the City of not implementing the legislation, including estimated costs to maintain or expand an existing facility or the cost avoidance due to replacement of an existing facility, potential conflicts with regulatory requirements, or other potential costs if the legislation is not implemented.)



The financial cost of not offering this service is modest - \$19,328 (October-04 through December-05). The rates for commercial compostable waste, accompanied with the avoided cost of garbage disposal and transfer, are set to essentially break-even given the cost of collection, processing and lost commercial garbage revenue.

- **What are the possible alternatives to the legislation that could achieve the same or similar objectives?** *(Include any potential alternatives to the proposed legislation, such as reducing fee-supported activities, identifying outside funding sources for fee-supported activities, etc.)*

Another alternative would be to subsidize Rabanco via contract payments so as to influence them to offer this service at City negotiated discounts. The rates and resulting revenue would belong to Rabanco and the City would see a net increase in contract expense only.

- **Is the legislation subject to public hearing requirements:** *(If yes, what public hearings have been held to date, and/or what plans are in place to hold a public hearing(s) in the future.)* No.
- **Other Issues** *(including long-term implications of the legislation):*

**Please list attachments to the fiscal note below:**





# City of Seattle

Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor

## Office of the Mayor

July 6, 2004

Honorable Jan Drago  
President  
Seattle City Council  
City Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

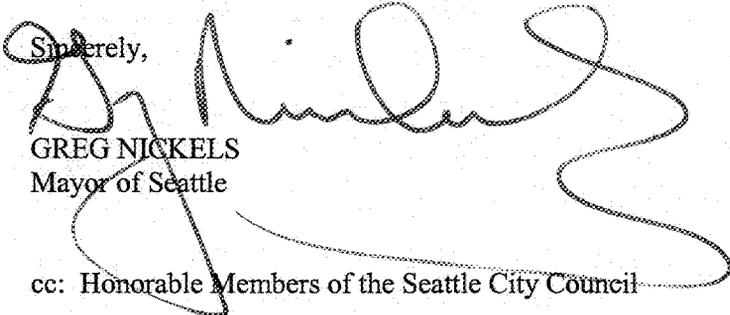
Dear Council President Drago:

I am pleased to transmit the attached proposed Council Bill authorizing Seattle Public Utilities to implement new rates and charges for commercial compostable waste services. SPU has completed successful negotiations for contract changes with Rabanco Ltd., one of our collection contractors, and Cedar Grove Composting, which will allow the City to begin commercial compostable waste recycling. This proposal authorizes new rates and charges required to begin this service.

The City last modified solid waste rates and charges effective January 1, 2003 and is not proposing solid waste rate adjustments to any existing solid waste services. This new compostable waste service is one of the building blocks for the continued growth of our successful recycling program. The City initially proposed new recycling services in the City's 1998 Solid Waste Plan which were reiterated in the 2003 Plan to Reaffirm Seattle's Leadership in Recycling.

This new service will begin to take Seattle to the next level of recycling leadership and provide better service to our customers. Thank you for your consideration of this legislation. Should you have questions, please contact Brian Buck at 733-9064.

Sincerely,

  
GREG NICKELS  
Mayor of Seattle

cc: Honorable Members of the Seattle City Council



**ORDINANCE \_\_\_\_\_**

AN ORDINANCE relating to rates and charges of the solid waste system of Seattle Public Utilities; implementing new rates and charges for commercial compostable waste services; and amending Section 21.40.070 of the Seattle Municipal Code in connection therewith.

WHEREAS, compostable waste is organic waste material, such as yard waste and food waste, that is source separated for processing or composting; and

WHEREAS, commercial compostable waste recycling was one of the new recycling services proposed in the City's 1998 Solid Waste Plan and in the 2003 Plan to Reaffirm Seattle's Leadership in Recycling; and

WHEREAS, the City has a commercial service agreement with Rabanco Ltd. that ends in 2008 with options for two additional years; and a composting service agreement with Cedar Grove Composting that ends in 2008 with options for two additional years; and

WHEREAS, these service providers have agreed to begin commercial compostable waste recycling; and

WHEREAS, the City last modified solid waste rates and charges effective January 1, 2003;  
NOW, THEREFORE,

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Subsection B of Seattle Municipal Code Section 21.40.070 is amended as follows:

**SMC 21.40.070 Commercial collection rates and charges.**

\* \* \*



B. Primary and Secondary Service Rates and Charges. There is imposed upon all commercial establishments in the City receiving container or drop service from one of the City's contract collectors of commercial solid waste or one of the City's contract collectors of commercial compostable waste the following schedule of rates and charges:

1. Container Service Rates. The following charges shall apply to commercial establishments receiving primary container service for solid waste. Customers receiving secondary container service for solid waste shall pay twenty (20) percent more than the corresponding rate for primary container service for solid waste (the basic service charge including container rent and related taxes all multiplied by 1.2). Effective October 1, 2004, customers receiving primary or secondary container service for compostable waste shall pay twenty (20) percent less than the corresponding rate for primary container service for solid waste (the basic service charge including container rent multiplied by 0.80).

**((Container Service  
 Non-Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	SIZE OR TYPE OF CONTAINER									
	60-Gal Toter	90-Gal Toter	1-Yd	1.5-Yd	2-Yd	3-Yd	4-Yd	5-Yd	6-Yd	8-Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>										
First Pickup	\$ 5.95	\$ 7.05	\$15.70	\$22.35	\$27.25	\$38.15	\$49.20	\$60.40	\$67.35	\$85.35
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$ 5.95	\$ 7.05	\$15.70	\$22.35	\$ 27.25	\$ 38.15	\$ 49.20	\$ 60.40	\$ 67.35	\$ 85.35
Special Pickups	\$ 7.45	\$ 8.30	\$ 23.75	\$ 29.70	\$ 35.30	\$ 46.65	\$ 57.95	\$ 67.35	\$ 76.60	\$ 95.60
Monthly Rent	\$ 1.75	\$ 1.75	\$ 4.65	\$ 6.80	\$ 8.75	\$ 10.85	\$ 12.40	\$ 17.05	\$ 19.10	\$ 21.70
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$25.78	\$30.55	\$ 68.03	\$96.85	\$118.08	\$165.32	\$213.20	\$261.73	\$291.85	\$369.85
<b>Temporary Account</b>										



Initial Delivery			\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65	\$ 12.65
Pickup Rate			\$ 23.75	\$ 29.70	\$ 35.30	\$ 46.65	\$ 57.95	\$ 67.35	\$ 76.60	\$ 95.60
Rent Per Calendar Day			\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10	\$ 3.10

**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 2 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$ 31.60	\$ 48.95	\$ 71.25	\$ 93.45	\$ 115.65	\$ 138.05
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$ 31.60	\$ 48.95	\$ 71.25	\$ 93.45	\$ 115.65	\$ 138.05
Special Pickups	\$ 40.10	\$ 57.20	\$ 80.00	\$ 102.45	\$ 124.00	\$ 147.55
Monthly Rent	\$ 14.45	\$ 28.90	\$ 32.00	\$ 36.10	\$ 39.20	\$ 43.25
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$ 136.93	\$ 212.12	\$ 308.75	\$ 404.95	\$ 501.15	\$ 598.22

**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 5 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$ 45.30	\$ 76.80	\$ 109.70	\$ 142.60	\$ 177.50	\$ 216.75
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$ 45.30	\$ 76.80	\$ 109.70	\$ 142.60	\$ 177.50	\$ 216.75
Special Pickups	\$ 50.80	\$ 82.55	\$ 115.70	\$ 148.85	\$ 183.50	\$ 223.50
Monthly Rent	\$ 15.60	\$ 31.25	\$ 33.05	\$ 39.05	\$ 42.50	\$ 46.85
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$ 196.30	\$ 332.80	\$ 475.37	\$ 617.93	\$ 769.17	\$ 939.25

\* "Flat monthly pickup" rate schedules exclude rental rates.

• Can-unit Pickup. Customers receiving regularly scheduled can-unit pickup service for one (1) or more cans will be charged Three Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$3.15) per can pickup, with a minimum monthly charge of Twenty Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$20.70). When a set number of units are serviced each week, the customer may be billed at a flat rate equal to four and one third (41/3) times the applicable unit rate, subject to the same Twenty Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$20.70) minimum monthly charge.



~~• Bulky Waste Collection. Customers setting out bulky waste will be charged at the rate of Thirteen Dollars and Twenty five Cents (\$13.25) per cubic yard for such waste. The charges for bulky waste collection will be assessed per one quarter (1/4) cubic yard. Any such charges will be in addition to the customer's regular container collection service charges.~~

~~• Overload Container Charges. A toter or container whose contents exceed one (1) foot above the top of the toter or container will be charged at the bulky waste collection rate on a per one-quarter (1/4) cubic yard basis.~~

Effective January 1, 2003))

**Container Service  
 Non-Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	SIZE OR TYPE OF CONTAINER									
	60 Gal Toter	90 Gal. Toter	1 Yd	1.5 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd	8 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>										
First Pickup	\$6.15	\$7.25	\$16.15	\$23.00	\$28.05	\$39.30	\$50.70	\$62.20	\$69.35	\$87.90
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$6.15	\$7.25	\$16.15	\$23.00	\$28.05	\$39.30	\$50.70	\$62.20	\$69.35	\$87.90
Special Pickups	\$7.65	\$8.55	\$24.45	\$30.60	\$36.35	\$48.05	\$59.70	\$69.35	\$78.90	\$98.45
Monthly Rent	\$1.80	\$1.80	\$4.80	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$11.20	\$12.75	\$17.55	\$19.65	\$22.35
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$26.55	\$31.45	\$70.75	\$99.75	\$121.60	\$170.30	\$219.60	\$269.60	\$300.60	\$380.95
<b>Temporary Account</b>										
Initial Delivery			\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05	\$13.05
Pickup Rate			\$24.45	\$30.6	\$36.35	\$48.05	\$59.70	\$69.35	\$78.90	\$98.45
Rent Per Calendar Day			\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20



**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 2 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$32.55	\$50.40	\$73.40	\$96.25	\$119.10	\$142.20
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$32.55	\$50.40	\$73.40	\$96.25	\$119.10	\$142.20
Special Pickups	\$41.30	\$58.90	\$82.40	\$105.50	\$127.70	\$152.00
Monthly Rent	\$14.90	\$29.75	\$32.95	\$37.20	\$40.40	\$44.55
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$141.05	\$218.50	\$318.00	\$417.10	\$516.20	\$616.15

**Container Service  
 Compacted Material, 1 to 5 Ratio**

Service Type	Size or Type of Container					
	1 Yd	2 Yd	3 Yd	4 Yd	5 Yd	6 Yd
<b>Permanent Account</b>						
First Pickup	\$46.65	\$79.10	\$113.00	\$146.90	\$182.85	\$223.25
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$46.65	\$79.10	\$113.00	\$146.90	\$182.85	\$223.25
Special Pickups	\$52.30	\$85.05	\$119.15	\$153.30	\$189.00	\$230.20
Monthly Rent	\$16.05	\$32.20	\$34.05	\$40.20	\$43.80	\$48.25
Flat Monthly Pickup Charge*	\$202.20	\$342.80	\$489.65	\$636.45	\$792.25	\$967.45

\* "Flat monthly pickup" rate schedules exclude rental rates.

• Can-unit Pickup. Customers receiving regularly scheduled can-unit pickup service for one (1) or more cans will be charged Three Dollars and Twenty-five Cents (\$3.25) per can pickup, with a minimum monthly charge of Twenty Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$21.30). When a set number of units are serviced each week, the customer may be billed at a flat rate equal to four and one-third (4 1/3) times the applicable unit rate, subject to the same Twenty Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$21.30) minimum monthly charge.



1 • **Bulky Waste Collection.** Customers setting out bulky waste will be charged at the rate of  
 2 Thirteen Dollars and Sixty-five Cents (\$13.65) per cubic yard for such waste. The charges for  
 3 bulky waste collection will be assessed per one-quarter (1/4) cubic yard. Any such charges will  
 4 be in addition to the customer's regular container collection service charges.

5 • **Overload Container Charges.** A toter or container whose contents exceed one (1) foot above  
 6 the top of the toter or container will be charged at the bulky waste collection rate on a per one-  
 7 quarter (1/4) cubic yard basis.

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 9 2. **Drop Box Service Rates.** The following charges shall apply to commercial  
 10 establishments receiving primary drop box service for solid waste. Customers receiving  
 11 secondary drop box service for solid waste shall pay fifteen (15) percent more than the  
 12 corresponding rate for primary drop box service for solid waste (the basic service charge  
 13 including container rent and related taxes all multiplied by 1.15). Effective October 1, 2004,  
 14 customers receiving primary or secondary drop box service for compostable waste shall pay  
 15 twenty (20) percent less than the corresponding rate for primary drop box service for solid waste  
 16 (the basic service charge including container rent multiplied by 0.80).

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 20 **((Drop Box Service  
 Noncompacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	Size or Type of Container										
	3-4Yd	6-Yd	8-Yd	10-Yd	12-Yd	15-Yd	16-Yd	20Yd	25Yd	30Yd	40-Yd
Permanent Account											
First Pickup	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 61.90	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00	\$ 83.00
Special Pickups	\$ 71.75	\$ 71.75	\$ 71.75	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55	\$ 91.55
Monthly Rent	\$ 12.80	\$ 24.55	\$ 26.65	\$ 28.80	\$ 32.00	\$ 35.20	\$ 37.70	\$ 40.50	\$ 51.20	\$ 61.85	\$ 67.15



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Temporary Account											
Pickup Rate		\$71.75	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55	\$91.55
Rent Per Calendar Day		\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$3.20	\$4.25	\$4.25	\$4.25	\$5.35	\$5.35	

**Drop Box Service  
 Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	10 Yd	15 Yd	20 Yd	25 Yd	30 yd	40 yd
Permanent Account						
First Pickup	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75	\$127.75
Special Pickups	\$138.45	\$138.45	\$138.45	\$138.45	\$138.45	\$138.45

Effective January 1, 2003))

**Drop Box Service  
 Noncompacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	Size or Type of Container										
	3-4Yd	6 Yd	8 Yd	10 Yd	12 Yd	15 Yd	16 Yd	20Yd	25Yd	30Yd	40 Yd
Permanent Account											
First Pickup	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$63.75	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50	\$85.50
Special Pickups	\$73.90	\$73.90	\$73.90	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30
Monthly Rent	\$13.20	\$25.30	\$27.45	\$29.65	\$32.95	\$36.25	\$38.85	\$41.70	\$52.75	\$63.70	\$69.15
Temporary Account											
Pickup Rate			\$73.90	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30	\$94.30
Rent Per Calendar Day			\$3.30	\$3.30	\$3.30	\$3.30	\$4.40	\$4.40	\$4.40	\$5.50	\$5.50

**Drop Box Service  
 Compacted Material**

SERVICE TYPE	10 Yd	15 Yd	20 Yd	25 Yd	30 yd	40 yd
Permanent Account						



First Pickup	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60
Ea. Add'l Pickup	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60	\$131.60
Special Pickups	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60	\$142.60

3. A&E (Ancillary and Elective) Service Charges. The following charges shall apply to commercial establishments receiving any of the A&E (Ancillary and Elective) Services(()) listed in the table below. Customers receiving secondary container service for solid waste shall pay twenty (20) percent more ((than)) for A&E Services than primary container solid waste service customers (the applicable A&E service charge(s) multiplied by 1.2). Customers receiving secondary drop box service for solid waste shall pay fifteen (15) percent more ((than)) for A&E Services than primary drop box solid waste service customers (the applicable A&E service charge(s) multiplied by 1.15). Effective October 1, 2004, customers receiving primary or secondary container or drop box service for compostable waste shall pay the same amount for A&E Services as primary container or drop box solid waste service customers.

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<b>A&amp;E Service Charges</b>	
Type of Service	Charge to Customer
<b>Deliveries</b>	
Toter initial delivery - Permanent	\$11.40
Container initial delivery - Temporary 1-8 CY	13.40
Container initial delivery - Permanent 1-8 CY	13.40
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 3-8 CY	19.00
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 3-8 CY	19.00
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 10-40 CY	30.00
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 10-40 CY	30.00
<b>Pickup Ancillary Services</b>	
Temporary pickup	\$13.50
Return trip - Can	4.25
Return trip - Container	9.00



1	Return trip - Drop Box	36.00
2	Time rates for Special Event Service, Deliveries/Pickups*	1.20 per minute, 30-minute minimum
3	<b>Container, Drop Box, and Compactor Special Services</b>	
4	Pickup/redelivery up to 8 CY	\$13.50
5	Pickup/redelivery over 8 CY	30.00
6	Washing and steam cleaning, per CY	2.00
7	Washing and steam cleaning, minimum payment	15.00
8	Sanitizing containers, per CY	0.90
9	Sanitizing containers, minimum payment	10.00
10	Compactor disconnect/reconnect cycle	20.00
11	Container, drop box compactor turnaround	15.90
12	Drop box solid lid monthly provision	11.80
13	Overtime service, hourly premium for service provided between Saturday, 4:00 p.m., to Sunday, 5:00 p.m.	34.50, in 4-hour increments
14	Replacement lock for container, if requested more frequently than every 12 months	10.00

\*Qualification for this rate requires preapproval by the Director of Seattle Public Utilities.

Effective January 1, 2003:))

A&E Service Charges		
Type of Service	Charge to Customer	
Deliveries		
Toter initial delivery - Permanent		\$11.75
Container initial delivery - Temporary 1-8 CY		\$13.80
Container initial delivery - Permanent 1-8 CY		\$13.80
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 3-8 CY		\$19.55
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 3-8 CY		\$19.55
Drop box initial delivery - Temporary 10-40 CY		\$30.90
Drop box initial delivery - Permanent 10-40 CY		\$30.90
<b>Pickup Ancillary Services</b>		
Temporary pickup		\$13.90
Return trip - Can		\$4.40



1	Return trip - Container	\$9.25
2	Return trip - Drop Box	\$37.10
3	Time rates for Special Event Service, Deliveries/Pickups*	\$1.25, 30-minute minimum
4	<b>Container, Drop Box, and Compactor Special Services</b>	
5	Pickup/redelivery up to 8 CY	\$13.90
6	Pickup/redelivery over 8 CY	\$30.90
7	Washing and steam cleaning, per CY	\$2.05
8	Washing and steam cleaning, minimum payment	\$15.45
9	Sanitizing containers, per CY	\$0.95
10	Sanitizing containers, minimum payment	\$10.30
11	Compactor disconnect/reconnect cycle	\$20.60
12	Container, drop box compactor turnaround	\$16.40
13	Drop box solid lid monthly provision	\$12.15
14	Overtime service, hourly premium for service provided between Saturday, 4:00 p.m., to Sunday, 5:00 p.m.	\$35.55, in 4 hour increments
15	Replacement lock for container, if requested more frequently than every 12 months	\$10.30

\*Qualification for this rate requires preapproval by the Director of Seattle Public Utilities.

4. Disposal Fee for MSW and Processing Fee for Compostable Waste Drop Box Service.

~~((a. Disposal fees for MSW drop box service shall be assessed on each MSW drop box load at the rate of Seventy seven Dollars and Eighty seven Cents (\$77.87) per ton, measured on a per tip basis rounded to the next highest one hundredth (1/100) ton.~~

b. Effective January 1, 2003, d)) Disposal fees for MSW drop box service shall be assessed on each MSW drop box load at the rate of Eighty Dollars and Twenty Cents (\$80.20) per ton, measured on a per tip basis rounded to the next highest one-hundredth (1/100) ton.



1 Effective October 1, 2004, processing fees for compostable waste drop box service shall be  
2 assessed on each compostable waste drop box load at the rate of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per ton,  
3 measured on a per tip basis rounded to the next highest one-hundredth (1/100) ton.  
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5           5. Application of Taxes and Local Hazardous Waste Plan Fee. The following taxes and  
6 fees shall be added to the collection and disposal charges set forth in this section.  
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9           a. Household Hazardous Waste Collection Fees, corresponding to the fees currently  
10 contained in Seattle Municipal Code Section 21.44.060D;  
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13           b. Seattle Solid Waste Collection Taxes contained in Seattle Municipal Code, Section  
14 5.48.055;  
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16           c. State Solid Waste Collection Taxes; and  
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19           d. Retail Sales Tax levies on container rental charges.  
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21           6. Payment of Charges -- Delinquency and Lien.  
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24           a. Collection and disposal charges shall be against the premises served and when such  
25 charges have not been paid within ninety (90) days after billing, service shall be discontinued and  
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1 the charges shall constitute a lien against the premises served. Notice of the City's lien specifying  
2 the amount due, the period covered and giving the legal description of the premises sought to be  
3 charged may be filed with the County Auditor within the time required and may be foreclosed in  
4 the manner and within the time prescribed for liens for labor and material, as authorized by RCW  
5 35.21.140.  
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8 b. Penalty interest at the rate of twelve (12) percent per year, computed monthly, shall  
9 be added to collection and disposal charges that become delinquent. Penalty interest shall be  
10 imposed on all such charges that remain unpaid thirty (30) days after their bill date and shall  
11 continue until such charges are paid.  
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Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from and after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten (10) days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Passed by the City Council the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

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President \_\_\_\_\_ of the City Council

Approved by me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

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Gregory J. Nickels, Mayor

Filed by me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

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City Clerk

(Seal)



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STATE OF WASHINGTON – KING COUNTY

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CITY OF SEATTLE, CLERKS OFFICE

No. ORDINANCE IN FULL

**Affidavit of Publication**

The undersigned, on oath states that he is an authorized representative of The Daily Journal of Commerce, a daily newspaper, which newspaper is a legal newspaper of general circulation and it is now and has been for more than six months prior to the date of publication hereinafter referred to, published in the English language continuously as a daily newspaper in Seattle, King County, Washington, and it is now and during all of said time was printed in an office maintained at the aforesaid place of publication of this newspaper. The Daily Journal of Commerce was on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1941, approved as a legal newspaper by the Superior Court of King County.

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