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**ORDINANCE NO. 1356**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF ARTICLES 5 AND 7 OF CHAPTER XV OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF HILLSBORO, KANSAS RELATING TO UTILITY RATES FOR REFUSE AND RECYCLING SERVICES.**

WHEREAS, the City of Hillsboro, Kansas (the "City") has previously adopted Chapter XV, of the Code of the City of Hillsboro, Kansas (the "Code"), which contains provisions regulating refuse and recycling collection and disposal services ("Services");

WHEREAS, the governing body of the City desires, and finds it necessary and advisable to amend the utility rates for the Services.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HILLSBORO, KANSAS:**

**SECTION 1.** Chapter XV, Article 5, Section 15-511 of the Code shall be amended and replaced and shall read as follows:

**Section 15-511. Residential charges.**

The minimum monthly service charge per residential user shall be \$14.75 to include one trash poly cart. Additional trash poly carts, subject to availability, may be provided upon request for an additional charge of \$7.50 per cart.

**SECTION 2.** Chapter XV, Article 5, Section 15-512 of the Code shall be amended and replaced and shall read as follows:

**Section 15-512. Commercial charges.**

The following service charges per commercial user shall be as follows:

(a) Up to 95 gallons per pickup:

4 times	\$14.75 per month
8 times	\$29.50 per month
12 times	\$44.25 per month
16 times	\$59.00 per month
20 times	\$73.75 per month

(b) Up to 2 cubic yards per pickup:

4 times	\$29.50 per month
8 times	\$59.00 per month
12 times	\$88.50 per month
16 times	\$118.00 per month
20 times	\$147.50 per month

(c) Up to 3 cubic yards per pickup:

4 times	\$44.25 per month
8 times	\$88.50 per month
12 times	\$132.75 per month
16 times	\$177.00 per month
20 times	\$221.25 per month

(d) Up to 4 cubic yards per pickup:

4 times	\$59.00 per month
8 times	\$118.00 per month
12 times	\$177.00 per month
16 times	\$236.00 per month
20 times	\$295.00 per month

(e) Up to 6 cubic yards per pickup:

4 times	\$88.50 per month
8 times	\$177.00 per month
12 times	\$265.50 per month
16 times	\$354.00 per month
20 times	\$442.50 per month

(f) Up to 8 cubic yards per pickup:

4 times	\$118.00 per month
8 times	\$236.00 per month
12 times	\$354.00 per month
16 times	\$472.00 per month
20 times	\$590.00 per month

(g) Bi-weekly Dumpster Rental – Dumpsters may be rented, subject to availability, on a bi-weekly basis (every two weeks) at the rates and fees set forth herein. The Minimum Fee for dumpster rentals is set forth below. The Minimum Fee includes one pickup. Each additional pickup will be charged at the Additional Pick-up rate set forth below. Customers may request an extension of time to rent the dumpster, which request will be granted at the discretion of the City. Dumpsters will not be delivered onto customer's property but will be delivered to the street immediately adjacent to customer's address.

<u>Dumpster Size</u>	<u>Minimum Fee</u>	<u>Additional Pick-up Fee</u>
2 Yard Dumpster	\$29.50	\$29.50

3 Yard Dumpster	\$44.25	\$44.25
4 Yard Dumpster	\$59.00	\$59.00
6 Yard Dumpster	\$88.50	\$88.50
8 Yard Dumpster	\$118.00	\$118.00

(h) Bulky Item Pick-up - The City will provide bulky item pick-up on or around the last Friday of each month. Customers who have bulky items for pick-up must notify the City no later than the day before bulky item pick-up. The cost to remove a bulky item is \$10 per item. Bulky item fees will be added to the customer's next monthly bill. Bulky items must be placed at the curb no later than 6:00 am on the pick-up day and may not be placed at the curb earlier than 6:00 am on the day prior to pick-up day. For any bulky items left at the curb without prior notification to the City, the City may pick up such items at its discretion and charge customer the bulky item pick-up fee. Bulky items left at the curb for excessive amounts of time may be subject to code enforcement action.

**SECTION 3.** Chapter XV, Article 7, Section 15-706 of the Code shall be amended and replaced and shall read as follows:

**Section 15-706. Residential charges.**

The minimum monthly service charge per residential user shall be \$3.50 for the first recycling cart up to 95 gallons, and an additional monthly charge of \$1.75 for a second recycling cart up to 95 gallons subject to availability. Service charges apply to all residential users regardless of use of recycling.

**SECTION 4.** New Section 15-707 of Article 5 of Chapter XV shall be added and shall read as follows:

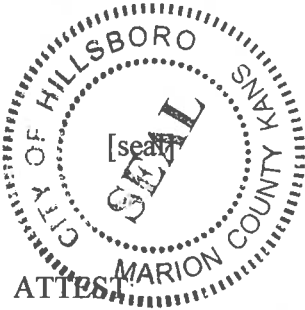
**Section 15-707. Commercial charges.**

Service charges apply to all commercial users regardless of use of recycling. Commercial users that opt to not accept a recycling cart will be subject to a \$4.50 per month service charge. The following service charges per commercial user, per receptacle shall be as follows:

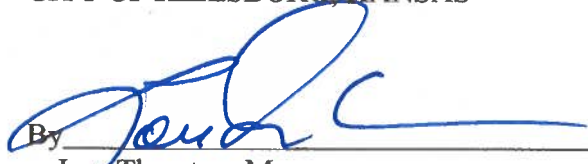
Up to 95 gallons, bi-weekly pickup	\$4.50
2 Yard Receptacle, weekly pickup	\$18.00
3 Yard Receptacle, weekly pickup	\$27.00
4 Yard Receptacle, weekly pickup	\$36.00
6 Yard Receptacle, weekly pickup	\$54.00
8 Yard Receptacle, weekly pickup	\$72.00

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect on and be in full force after its adoption by the governing body of the City, approval by the Mayor and either (a) publication once in the official newspaper of the City, or (b) publication of a summary hereof certified as legally accurate and sufficient by the City Attorney.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the governing body of the City of Hillsboro,  
Kansas this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2022.



CITY OF HILLSBORO, KANSAS

By   
Lou Thurston, Mayor

By   
Danielle Bartel, City Clerk