

Proposed Solid Waste Rate Adjustments

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Proposed **Residential** Solid Waste Service Enhancements

Beginning April 2019, City of Atlanta Solid Waste will provide residents 12 scheduled bulk pick-ups per year.

Key Changes/Impacts to Customers:

- Bulk pick-up must be scheduled in advance via 311. If bulk is not scheduled, and/or exceeds 12 times there will be a \$325 fee. This includes over 20 bags of yard trimmings.
- Introduce flat fee of \$454 for residents, resulting in an average increase of \$9 per resident
- Rebalance cost distribution for services delivered and introduce a two-tiered commercial fee structure
- Remove front footage fee for residents
- Introduce \$500 vacant lot fee
- Senior citizens continue to pay 30% discounted rate

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SERVICES PROVIDED TO

RESIDENTIAL

- Curbside Garbage, Recycling & Yard Trimming Collection Weekly Service
- Bulk Collection 12 Times Per Year (Scheduled)
- Street Sweeping 3 Times Per Year

SERVICES PROVIDED TO

VACANT LOTS

- Yard Trimming Collection Monthly
- Bulk Collection 12 Times Per Year (Scheduled)
- Street Sweeping 3 Times Per Year
- Right-of-Way Mowing 4 times Per Year

SERVICES PROVIDED TO

MULTI-FAMILY (CONDOS/TOWNHOMES)

- Bulk Collection 12 Times Per Year (Scheduled)
- Street Sweeping 3 Times Per Year
- Trash Receptacle (Litter Basket Collections) 2 Times Per Week

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Residential Fees	FY 2019
Residential Recycling	\$88
Residential Single-Family Collection	\$366
Residential Front Footage	\$0
Residential Total	\$454
Residential Backyard Fee	
Residential Backyard (Optional)	\$1,146
Vacant Lot Fee	
Residential Vacant Lot	\$500
Multi-Family (Condos/Townhomes)	
Multi-Family Parcel Fee	\$400

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Proposed Commercial Solid Waste Service Enhancements

Beginning April 2019

SERVICES PROVIDED TO

COMMERCIAL TIER 1

- **Right-of-Way Mowing**
Once Per Month
- **Street Sweeping**
At Least 2 Times Per Week
- **Trash Receptacle**
(Litter Basket Collections)
Once Per Day

SERVICES PROVIDED TO

COMMERCIAL TIER 2

- **Right-of-Way Mowing**
Once Per Month
- **Street Sweeping**
Once Per Week
- **Trash Receptacle**
(Litter Basket Collections)
2 Times Per Week

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Commercial Fees TIER 1

FY 2019

Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (1-100 ft.)	\$1,000
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (101-200 ft.)	\$2,000
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (201-450 ft.)	\$4,500
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (451-700 ft.)	\$7,000
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (701-850 ft.)	\$8,500
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (>850 ft.)	\$12,000

Commercial Fees TIER 2

Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (1-100 ft.)	\$500
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (101-200 ft.)	\$1,000
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (201-450 ft.)	\$2,250
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (451-700 ft.)	\$3,500
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (701-850 ft.)	\$4,250
Commercial Parcel Lot Fee (>850 ft.)	\$6,000

Key Changes/Impacts to Customers:

- Tiers are based on geographic location of the commercial property in accordance to City of Atlanta future land use zoning codes. Commercial property owners can find their tier designation at <http://bit.ly/DPWATL>

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