

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-12-13 (7B)

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROCKDALE, TEXAS AMENDING APPENDIX A OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES, THE FEE SCHEDULE, ARTICLE A2.000 UTILITY RATES AND CHARGES, BY AMENDING THE FEES CHARGED FOR SECTION A2.004 SOLID WASTE / GARBAGE COLLECTION / DUMPSTER AND DISPOSAL AT CITY YARD; ARTICLE A3.000 OTHER FEES, BY REPEALING THE FEES CHARGED FOR SECTION A3.019 RENTAL FEES FOR FAIR PARK; AMENDING AND REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE.

WHEREAS, the City Council has adopted a fee schedule that sets forth all fees of the City in one location, in Appendix A of the City's Code of Ordinances, for the convenience of citizens and city employees; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend Appendix A to keep fees current with today's demands;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKDALE, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. Findings of Fact. The findings and recitations set out hereinabove are found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted by the City Council and made a part hereof for all purposes as findings of fact.

Section 2. Amending Appendix A entitled "Fee Schedule". Appendix A, entitled "Fee Schedule," Article A2.000 Utility Rates and Charges, of the Rockdale Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to change the following line items from Section A2.004 entitled "Solid Waste / Garbage Collection / Dumpsters and Disposal at City Yard," which shall read as follows:

Sec. A2.004 SOLID WASTE / GARBAGE COLLECTION / DUMPSTERS AND DISPOSAL AT CITY YARD

- (a) RESIDENTIAL and MUNICIPAL Solid Waste collection (one time per week)
 - (1) 96 gallon cart \$ 13.45 per month
 - (2) Additional cart \$ 10.00 per month
- (b) RESIDENTIAL and MUNICIPAL Bulky Waste per Collection
 - (1) Mattress / Box Springs \$ 25.00 per item
 - (2) White Goods \$ 25.00 per item
 - (3) Furniture \$ 25.00 per item
 - (4) Other \$ 25.00 per 2 CY
- (c) COMMERCIAL Solid Waste collection (on time per week)
 - (1) 96 gallon cart \$ 20.00 per month
 - (2) Additional cart \$ 10.00 per month
- (d) COMMERCIAL Dumpster Services – 2 YD
 - (1) 2 YD Dumpster (once per week) \$ 61.00 per month
 - (2) 2 YD Dumpster (twice per week) \$115.00 per month
 - (3) 2 YD Dumpster (three times per week) \$170.00 per month
 - (4) 2 YD Dumpster (four times per week) \$225.00 per month
 - (5) 2 YD Dumpster (five times per week) \$280.00 per month

	(6)	2 YD Dumpster (extra times per week over 5)	<i>monthly amount increases by extra \$25 fee per pull</i>
(e)		COMMERCIAL Dumpster Services – 3 YD	
	(1)	3 YD Dumpster (once per week)	\$ 80.00 per month
	(2)	3 YD Dumpster (twice per week)	\$138.00 per month
	(3)	3 YD Dumpster (three times per week)	\$205.00 per month
	(4)	3 YD Dumpster (four times per week)	\$270.00 per month
	(5)	3 YD Dumpster (five times per week)	\$335.00 per month
	(6)	3 YD Dumpster (extra times per week over 5)	<i>monthly amount increases by extra \$35 fee per pull</i>
(f)		COMMERCIAL Dumpster Services – 4 YD	
	(1)	4 YD Dumpster (once per week)	\$ 97.00 per month
	(2)	4 YD Dumpster (twice per week)	\$147.00 per month
	(3)	4 YD Dumpster (three times per week)	\$222.00 per month
	(4)	4 YD Dumpster (four times per week)	\$300.00 per month
	(5)	4 YD Dumpster (five times per week)	\$375.00 per month
	(6)	4 YD Dumpster (extra times per week over 5)	<i>monthly amount increases by extra \$45 fee per pull</i>
(g)		COMMERCIAL Dumpster Services – 6 YD	
	(1)	6 YD Dumpster (once per week)	\$130.00 per month
	(2)	6 YD Dumpster (twice per week)	\$227.00 per month
	(3)	6 YD Dumpster (three times per week)	\$268.00 per month
	(4)	6 YD Dumpster (four times per week)	\$350.00 per month
	(5)	6 YD Dumpster (five times per week)	\$430.00 per month
	(6)	6 YD Dumpster (extra times per week over 5)	<i>monthly amount increases by extra \$65 fee per pull</i>
(h)		COMMERCIAL Dumpster Services – 8 YD	
	(1)	8 YD Dumpster (once per week)	\$165.00 per month
	(2)	8 YD Dumpster (twice per week)	\$300.00 per month
	(3)	8 YD Dumpster (three times per week)	\$383.00 per month
	(4)	8 YD Dumpster (four times per week)	\$491.00 per month
	(5)	8 YD Dumpster (five times per week)	\$599.00 per month
	(6)	8 YD Dumpster (extra times per week over 5)	<i>monthly amount increases by extra \$85 fee per pull</i>
(i)		COMMERCIAL Roll-Off Services – 10 CY / 20 CY / 30 CY	
	(1)	Rental fee	\$ 95.00 per month
	(2)	Initial Delivery fee	\$165.00
	(3)	Collection fee	\$575.00 per pull
	(4)	Disposal fee	\$ 45.00 per ton
	(5)	<i>NOTE: Price includes up to 4 tons of disposal. Additional tonnage to be charged \$45 per ton.</i>	
(j)		COMMERCIAL Roll-Off Services – 40 CY	
	(1)	Rental fee	\$ 95.00 per month
	(2)	Initial Delivery fee	\$165.00
	(3)	Collection fee	\$675.00 per pull
	(4)	Disposal fee	\$ 45.00 per ton
	(5)	<i>NOTE: Price includes up to 4 tons of disposal. Additional tonnage to be charged \$45 per ton.</i>	
(k)		COMMERCIAL Roll-Off Compactor Services – 25 CY / 30 CY	

	(1)	Rental fee	\$425.00 per month
	(2)	Initial Delivery fee	\$165.00
	(3)	Collection fee	\$575.00 per pull
	(4)	Disposal fee	\$ 45.00 per ton
	(5)	<i>NOTE: Price includes up to 4 tons of disposal. Additional tonnage to be charged \$45 per ton.</i>	
(l)	COMMERCIAL Roll-Off Compactor Services – 40 CY		
	(1)	Rental fee	\$425.00 per month
	(2)	Initial Delivery fee	\$165.00
	(3)	Collection fee	\$675.00 per pull
	(4)	Disposal fee	\$ 45.00 per ton
	(5)	<i>NOTE: Price includes up to 4 tons of disposal. Additional tonnage to be charged \$45 per ton.</i>	
(m)	OTHER Miscellaneous		
	(1)	Frontload Lockbars – initial installation	\$ 75.00
	(2)	Frontload Lockbars – monthly fee	\$ 5.00 per month
	(3)	Blocked frontload container fee	\$ 15.00 per incident
(n)	Solid Waste Delivered to City Yard		
	(1)	Small trash bag	\$ 1.00 per bag
	(2)	Medium trash bag	\$ 1.50 per bag
	(3)	Large trash bag	\$ 2.00 per bag
	(4)	Pick-up Truck (level)	\$ 27.00
	(5)	Pick-up Truck (with side boards)	\$ 54.00
	(6)	Single Axle Trailer	\$ 37.00
	(7)	Double Axle Trailer	\$ 74.00
	(8)	Extra-large load	as determined by the PW Dir

Section 3. Amending Appendix A entitled “Fee Schedule”. Appendix A, entitled “Fee Schedule,” Article A3.000 Other Fees, of the Rockdale Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by repealing Section A3.019 entitled “Rental Fees for Fair Park,” in its entirety.

Section 4. Amendment of Ordinances. Article A2.000 Utility Rates and Charges, and Article A3.000 Other Fees, of Appendix A: Fee Schedule of the Rockdale Code of Ordinances are hereby amended to read as provided in this ordinance. In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this ordinance and any other code or ordinance of the city, the terms and provisions of this ordinance shall govern.

Section 5. Severability. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are severable and, if any phrase, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance should be declared invalid by the final judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this Ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation of this ordinance of any such invalid phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section. If any provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval and passage and publication as required by law.

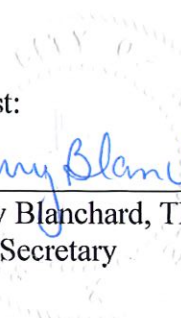
Section 7. Open Meeting. It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

PASSED AND APPROVED on First Reading this 8th day of November 2021.

FINALLY PASSED AND APPROVED on this 13th day of December 2021.

THE CITY OF ROCKDALE

Attest:


Terry Blanchard
Terry Blanchard, TRMC
City Secretary

John E. King
John E. King, Mayor