

# ORDINANCE NO. 82-049

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL ON DATE OF

JUN 29 1992

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF CHAPTER  
19 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.

Section 19.101 of Chapter 19 of the Sacramento City Code be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19.101 Definitions.

The following words and phrases when used in this chapter shall, for the purposes of this chapter, have the meaning respectively ascribed to them by this section:

Bin: "Bin is a metal receptacle for the deposit of garbage or rubbish which shall:

- (a) have a close-fitting cover;
- (b) be leakproof and flyproof;
- (c) have handles or other devices to permit movement;
- (d) be free of sharp, rough or jagged surfaces or edges likely to cause injury;
- (e) utilize casters or other means for easy movement;
- (f) be designed in a manner to be emptied mechanically by city collection vehicles.

Blanket: "Blanket" is a canvas or cloth with dimensions of 89 inches by 77 inches used for the collection of garbage or rubbish.

Cart: "Cart" is a canvas or cloth receptacle for the deposit of rubbish with dimensions of 30 inches by 28 inches by 40 inches.

Garbage: "Garbage" consists of dead animals, of not more than ten pounds weight each, and of every accumulation of animal, vegetable, and other matter that attends the preparation, consumption, decay or dealing in, or storage of meats, fish, fowl, birds, fruits or vegetables. The term "garbage" does not include dishwater or waste water.

Hazardous Wastes: "Hazardous wastes" include any waste material or mixture of wastes which is toxic, corrosive, flammable, an irritant, a strong sensitizer, which generates pressure through decomposition, heat or other means, if such a waste or mixture of wastes may cause substantial personal injury, serious illness or harm to humans, domestic animals, or wildlife, during, or as an approximate result of any disposal of such wastes or mixtures of waste as

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defined in Article 2, Chapter 6.5, Section 25117 of the Health and Safety Code. The terms "toxic", "corrosive", "flammable", "irritant", and "strong sensitizer" shall be given the same meaning as in the California Hazardous Substances Act (Chapter 13 commencing with Section 28740 of Division 21 of the Health and Safety Code).

Infectious Wastes: "Infectious wastes" include (a) equipment, instruments, utensils, and other fomites of a disposable nature from the rooms of patients who are suspected to have or have been diagnosed as having a communicable disease and must, therefore, be isolated as required by public health agencies; (b) laboratory wastes, including pathological specimens (i.e., all tissues, specimens of blood elements, excreta and secretions obtained from patients or laboratory animals) and disposable fomites (any substance that may harbor or transmit pathogenic organisms) attendant thereto; and, (c) surgical operating room pathologic specimens including recognizable anatomical parts, human tissue, anatomical human remains and disposable materials from hospitals, clinics, outpatient areas and emergency rooms, as is also defined in Section 314 (d) of the California Administrative Code, Title 17.

Mobile Trailer: "Mobile Trailer" is towable metal receptacle for the deposit of garbage and rubbish that has six (6) cubic yards of loose waste storage capacity.

Rubbish: "Rubbish" consists of wood, leaves, dead trees or branches thereof, chips, shoes, hats, crockery, glassware, ashes, cinders, metals, garden refuse, and all other material not included under the term "garbage" or "waste matter".

Superintendent: "Superintendent" means the superintendent of the waste removal division of the city engineer's office or his duly authorized representative.

Utility Services Division: "Utility services division" means the division of the Department of Finance of the City of Sacramento responsible for customer records.

Utility Billing Supervisor: "Utility billing supervisor" means the Director of Finance or his designee.

Waste matter: "Waste matter" consists of natural soil, earth, sand, clay, gravel, loam, manure, stones, bricks, brickbats, plaster or portland cement. (Ord. 3354, S1; Ord. 3786, S1; Ord. 3795, S1; Ord. 3813, S1; Ord. 3875, S1)

Wet Garbage: Repealed by Ordinance No. 4363.\*

Section 19.109 of Chapter 19 of the Sacramento City Code be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19.109 Same--Designated.\*

The following fees are hereby established for the garbage collection services provided by the City of Sacramento.

(a) Monthly can rates: There are established three rates for collection of cans depending upon the level of service to which subscription is made:

(i) Other than curbside: For cans placed for collection behind a fence or other barrier or more than six (6) feet from the curb, as specified in Section 19.122.

	<u>1 can pickup once a week</u>	<u>2 can pickup once a week</u>	<u>2 coll per week per can</u>	<u>3 coll per week per can</u>	<u>5 coll per week per can</u>	<u>6 coll per week per can</u>
32 gals or less	\$ 7.10	\$ 9.55	\$14.65	\$16.05	\$30.80	\$39.95
33 to 40 gals	7.90	11.15	16.05	17.85	37.25	48.35
41 to 50 gals	9.95	14.25	17.85	19.45	43.75	55.45
51 to 60 gals	11.40	17.05	19.40	20.80	50.20	65.25

(ii) Curbside/alley/mobilehome service: For cans placed for collection at the curb, as specified in Section 19.122.

	<u>1 can pickup once a week</u>	<u>2 can pickup once a week</u>	<u>2 coll per week per can</u>	<u>3 coll per week per can</u>	<u>5 coll per week per can</u>	<u>6 coll per week per can</u>
32 gals or less	\$ 4.40	\$ 5.95	\$ 9.15	\$10.10	\$19.40	\$25.15
33 to 40 gals	4.95	6.95	10.10	11.30	23.40	30.40
41 to 50 gals	6.20	8.70	11.25	12.25	27.50	34.85
51 to 60 gals	7.15	10.00	12.15	13.05	31.55	41.00

(iii) Other than residential monthly can rates:

	<u>1 can pickup once a week</u>	<u>2 can pickup once a week</u>	<u>2 coll per week per can</u>	<u>3 coll per week per can</u>	<u>5 coll per week per can</u>	<u>6 coll per week per can</u>
32 gals or less	\$ 4.85	\$ 6.55	\$10.05	\$11.10	\$21.30	\$27.70
33 to 40 gals	5.50	7.75	11.10	12.40	25.75	33.45
41 to 50 gals	6.90	9.65	12.40	13.50	30.30	38.35
51 to 60 gals	7.85	11.00	13.40	14.45	34.75	45.15

(iiii) In the event a person subscribes to service as set forth in subsections (a) (i) (ii) or (iii) above, the monthly rate for each additional can exceeding two cans shall be as set forth below. The rates set forth below are only applicable where the cans are collected on the same day, once per week, and the cans are placed closely together for collection.

Other than curbside

Each additional 32 gallon can            \$2.45  
 Each additional 33-40 gallon can        \$3.25

Curbside/alley/mobilehome

Each additional 32 gallon can            \$1.55  
 Each additional 33-40 gallon can        \$2.00

Other than residential

Each additional 32 gallon can            \$1.70  
 Each additional 33-40 gallon can        \$2.25

(v) Physically disabled persons. Upon filing a certification signed under penalty of perjury on a form furnished by the Division of Waste Removal, if the Superintendent of Waste Removal determines that no occupant of the property is physically capable of moving a full garbage can to a position which would qualify for the applicable rates set forth in subsection (a) (ii), even though the cans are not placed at curbside as specified in subsection (a) (ii), the rate specified in subsection (a) (ii) shall apply. The aforementioned certification shall be filed annually according to a schedule established by the Superintendent of Waste Removal. The reduced rate for any such property shall be in effect only so long as there is no occupant of the property physically capable of moving a full garbage can to a position which would qualify for the rates set forth in subsection (a) (ii).

(b) Monthly rates for bins: Monthly rates for bins are as follows:

(i) Residential:

	<u>one pickup per week</u>	<u>two pickups per week</u>	<u>three pickups per week</u>	<u>five pickups per week</u>	<u>six pickups per week</u>
1 cu yd bin loose	\$ 35.80	\$ 60.40	\$ 85.00	\$134.10	\$171.00
1 cu yd bin compacted	60.40	109.55	158.70	257.05	330.85
2 cu yd bin loose	47.30	78.10	108.95	170.45	216.50
2 cu yd bin compacted	78.15	139.55	201.10	324.00	416.20

Included in all of the above rates is a charge of \$10.00 per month for rental of a one cubic yard bin and \$12.00 per month for rental of a two cubic yard bin.

(ii) Other than residential:

	<u>one pickup per week</u>	<u>two pickups per week</u>	<u>three pickups per week</u>	<u>five pickups per week</u>	<u>six pickups per week</u>
1 cu yd bin loose	\$ 28.15	\$ 47.75	\$ 67.45	\$106.80	\$136.20
1 cu yd bin compacted	47.75	87.10	126.40	205.10	264.10
2 cu yd bin loose	37.15	61.80	86.45	135.65	172.50
2 cu yd bin compacted	61.85	111.00	160.20	258.55	332.35

Included in all of the above rates is a charge of \$10.00 per month for rental of a one cubic yard bin and \$12.00 per month for rental of a two cubic yard bin.

(iii) Monthly bin rates, no rental fee included - other than residential

	<u>one pickup per week</u>	<u>two pickups per week</u>	<u>three pickups per week</u>	<u>five pickups per week</u>	<u>six pickups per week</u>
3 cu yd bin loose	\$ 32.15	\$ 62.90	\$ 93.70	\$155.15	\$201.35
4 cu yd bin loose	40.15	78.65	117.10	183.90	251.70
5 cu yd bin loose	50.10	98.25	146.35	241.35	314.60
6 cu yd bin loose	62.65	122.80	183.00	301.65	393.30

(iiii) Monthly bin rates, no rental fee included - residential

	<u>one pickup per week</u>	<u>two pickups per week</u>	<u>three pickups per week</u>	<u>five pickups per week</u>	<u>six pickups per week</u>
3 cu yd bin loose	\$ 40.15	\$ 78.65	\$117.10	\$193.95	\$251.70
4 cu yd bin loose	50.15	98.30	146.40	242.40	314.60
5 cu yd bin loose	62.65	122.80	182.95	301.65	393.30
6 cu yd bin loose	78.65	153.60	228.65	377.10	491.70

(c) Blankets: Monthly blanket rates are as follows:

No. of Blankets	one pickup per week	two pickups per week	three pickups per week	five pickups per week	six pickups per week
1	\$ 5.15	\$10.30	\$15.40	\$ 25.95	\$ 33.75
2	8.45	20.65	30.20	44.95	61.55
3	13.10	30.20	43.00	68.90	89.45
4	17.75	38.70	55.90	90.20	117.40
5	22.25	47.40	68.90	111.70	145.35

(d) Monthly rates compactors: Monthly compactor rates - other than residential:

	one pickup per week	two pickups per week	three pickups per week	five pickups per week	six pickups per week
3 cu yd	\$ 63.00	\$110.35	\$157.85	\$252.55	\$320.40
4 cu yd	84.10	147.20	210.50	336.65	431.05
5 cu yd	105.15	183.90	263.15	420.85	538.75
6 cu yd	126.10	220.75	315.65	504.95	646.40

(e) Special projects: The Superintendent is authorized to establish and conduct special projects within the city for the purpose of developing and experimenting with new methods of collection. Such special permits shall only be conducted with a prior consensus of approval by the citizens in the areas in which such special projects are conducted. The rates to be applicable in special project areas shall be set by the council. (Ord. 3432, S1; Ord. 3570, S1, Ord. 3650, S1; Ord. 3658, S1; Ord. 3875, S4, Ord. 4363, S3)\*

(f) Restricted service no longer provided for new accounts: Monthly backyard oversized cans - rates for multiple residential units are as follows:

	1 can pickup once a week	2 can pickup once a week	2 coll per week per can	3 coll per week per can	5 coll per week per can	6 coll per week per can
81 to 90 gals	\$20.85	\$27.85	\$31.50	\$33.60	\$90.40	\$117.55
100 gals	23.15	30.90	33.65	41.55	98.75	128.30

(g) Restricted service no longer provided for new accounts: Monthly compactor service rates for multiple residential units are as follows:

	<u>one pickup per week</u>	<u>two pickups per week</u>	<u>three pickups per week</u>	<u>five pickups per week</u>	<u>six pickups per week</u>
3 cu yd	\$ 96.95	\$169.70	\$242.40	\$388.30	\$496.95

(h) Restricted service no longer provided for new accounts: Monthly compactor service rates for other than residential, four pickups per week, are as follows:

<u>3 cu yd</u>	<u>4 cu yd</u>	<u>5 cu yd</u>	<u>6 cu yd</u>
\$225.75	\$300.75	\$376.35	\$451.40

(i) Restricted service no longer provided for new accounts: Monthly cart service rates for other than residential accounts are as follows:

five  
pickups  
per week

\$20.80

(j) Restricted service no longer provided for new accounts: Monthly mobile-trailer rates for other than residential accounts are as follows:

five  
pickups  
per week

\$100.15

(k) Monthly rates for 90 gallon mechanical lift container:

One can  
pickup  
once a  
week

\$3.65

#### Sec. 19.112 Special service - garbage

Where garbage is collected on special call, the fee shall be \$7.10 for the first regular can (32 gallons or less), and \$2.49 for each additional can. The charge for the collection on special call of rubbish or waste matter only shall be \$12.00 per hour, prorated according to the time required to remove, load in a truck, and haul away such rubbish or waste matter. Fees for special service shall be paid at the time the service is performed.

Sec. 19.122 Placing receptacles for collection:

Unless otherwise specifically provided herein, any person occupying property upon which garbage is produced shall place the garbage out for collection in an approved receptacle. Any can(s) placed for collection to qualify for the rates set forth in Section 19.109 (a) (i) shall be placed within one hundred twenty-five (125) feet or less of the property line parallel to, contiguous to, and fronting the street or alley from which said garbage will be collected.

Any can(s) placed for collection to qualify for the rates set forth in section 19.109 (a) (ii) shall be placed in the following manner. If there is more than one can, the cans shall be placed closely together in one location and shall be placed within six feet of the curb in a manner such as to be in front of any fence or other barrier or enclosure, and readily accessible from the street or alley on which the collectors conduct their route. The can or cans shall be placed for collection no earlier than twelve hours prior to the scheduled collection time and only for such additional period as may be incident to collection. The can or cans shall be moved back to their normal storage location not later than twelve hours after collection. No can placed for collection shall be placed on any public sidewalk or street in a manner which impedes traffic or drainage or in any manner creates a hazard. Any can or cans placed for collection shall be placed in a manner which will provide the collector at least thirty-two inches unimpeded access thereto.

Sec. 19.123 Depositing garbage, rubbish, etc., in streets and public places; reward for information as to violators.

It shall be unlawful for any person to throw or deposit any putrescible garbage, rubbish, or waste matter, or to cause the same to be thrown or deposited upon any public place, private place, in any private receptacle not belonging to such person, within the city except: (a) in an approved receptacle; or (b) as otherwise specifically provided in this chapter.

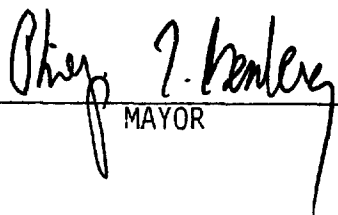
A reward of \$25.00, lawful money of the United States, will be paid by the city to the person furnishing information to the authorities leading to the arrest and conviction of any person violating the provisions of this section. Such reward shall be paid to the person making the arrest immediately upon conviction of the person arrested. (Ord. 3354 S1; Ord. 3875 S8; Ord. 4363 S5).

Section 2.

This ordinance shall be published once within ten (10) days after passage in the official newspaper of the City of Sacramento.

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ATTEST:

  
MAYOR

  
CITY CLERK

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