

ORDINANCE No. 184821 As Amended

Revise residential solid waste and recycling collection rates and charges to address new collection services, effective October 31, 2011 (Ordinance; amend Code Chapter 17.102)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

1. Ordinance No. 164701, passed October 2, 1991, granted residential solid waste, recycling and yard debris collection franchises in the City of Portland as a way to introduce services, and implement standards and rates to encourage increased recovery of recyclable material from the waste stream.
2. Ordinance No. 181666, passed March 12, 2008, renewed the residential franchise system for another ten-year term and established a franchise agreement with grantees providing residential collection service in the franchise areas.
3. In addition to collection of solid waste and recycling, the franchise agreement grants the Council the authority to establish a new category of service for compostable materials which includes yard debris, food scraps and food-soiled paper.
4. The franchise agreement contains several provisions for the development of a residential compost program, including:
 - a. Section 4 requires grantees to provide collection service in the franchise areas for compostable materials.
 - b. Section 6.2 gives the City the right to establish standards for a residential compost program.
 - c. Section 7 establishes authority for the City to create rates for compostables collection.
5. Implementing a residential compost program will enable the City to meet waste reduction goals contained in the Portland Recycles! Plan adopted by City Council August 8, 2007 in Resolution No. 36525.
6. Ordinance No. 183636, passed March 24, 2010, authorized a residential compost pilot program by authorizing new temporary rates and service levels that included the testing of weekly food scrap collection and every other week garbage collection.
7. Based on the findings in the residential compost pilot program, the Bureau of Planning and Sustainability recommends changing residential rates to include the weekly collection of food scraps establishing standard residential garbage collection on an every-other-week basis and offering an additional option of garbage collection every four weeks.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- a. Portland City Code Chapter 17.102 is amended by substituting the Figure 6 contained in Exhibit A attached to this ordinance for the existing Figure 6 contained in Exhibit A.

- b. The rates and service levels set forth in Figure 6 in Exhibit A shall be effective on and after October 31, 2011.
- c. The terrain differential area map designated on Figure 6-1 will not change.

Passed by the Council: **AUG 17 2011**

Mayor Sam Adams
Prepared by: Megan Ponder
Date Prepared: August 2, 2011

LaVonne Griffin-Valade
Auditor of the City of Portland

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INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Adams	CLERK USE: DATE FILED <u>AUG 05 2011</u>
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BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau: BPS Bureau Head: Susan Anderson Prepared by: Megan Ponder Date Prepared: August 2, 2011	ACTION TAKEN: AUG 10 2011 CONTINUED TO AUG 10 2011 2 P.M. AUG 10 2011 PASSED TO SECOND READING As Amended AUG 17 2011 9:30 A.M.
Financial Impact & Public Involvement Statement Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amends Budget <input type="checkbox"/>	
Portland Policy Document If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Council Meeting Date August 10, 2011	
City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter	

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AGENDA
TIME CERTAIN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Start time: <u>9:30</u>
Total amount of time needed: <u>30 min</u> (for presentation, testimony and discussion)
CONSENT <input type="checkbox"/>
REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/> Total amount of time needed: _____ (for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:	
	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz ✓	
2. Fish	2. Fish ✓	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman ✓	
4. Leonard	4. Leonard ✓	
Adams	Adams ✓	