



CITY OF JACKSON

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In Connection with Proposed ADJUSTMENTS TO RATES FOR SOLID WASTE FEES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Jackson ("City") will hold a Public Hearing on July 13, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, located at 33 Broadway, Jackson, CA, to consider the adoption of an adjustment to the rates for solid, waste fees applicable to the parcel for which you are shown as the record owner or customer of record. The rate adjustment proposed to be imposed on your parcel (or to you as a direct customer) and the basis upon which it was calculated is described in more detail below.

The purpose of the hearing is to consider all written protests against the rate adjustment. As the record owner or customer of record of a parcel identified to be subject to the imposition of the proposed rate adjustment, you may submit a written protest against the proposed rate adjustment. However, if the identified parcel has more than one record owner and/or customer of record, only one written protest will be counted. Each protest must (1) be in writing; (2) state that the specific rate adjustment (solid waste fees) for which the protest is being submitted in opposition; (3) provide the location of the identified parcel (by assessor's parcel number or street address); and (4) include the original signature of the record owner or customer of record submitting the protest. Protests submitted by e-mail, facsimile, or other electronic means will not be accepted. Written protests may be submitted by mail to the **City Clerk, City of Jackson, at 33 Broadway, Jackson, CA 95642**, or in person at the public hearing, so long as they are received prior to the conclusion of the public hearing on July 13, 2020. Please identify on the front of the envelope for any protest, whether mailed or submitted in person to the City Clerk, that the enclosed letter is for the public hearing on the solid waste rate adjustment.

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the City Council will consider adopting the proposed rate adjustment to the solid waste fee. The proposed adjustment would go into effect on August 1, 2020. Oral comments at the public hearing will not qualify as formal protests unless accompanied by a written protest. If, at the close of the public hearing, written protests against the proposed rate adjustment are not presented by a majority of the record owners or customers of record of the identified parcels upon which they are proposed to be imposed, the City Council will be authorized to adopt the proposed 8.31% adjustment to be effective August 1, 2020.

PROPOSED RATE ADJUSTMENTS

The City has awarded a franchise to ACES Waste Services allowing ACES to collect solid waste generated in Jackson from those customers who choose to receive solid waste service. The franchise agreement entitles ACES to receive periodic rate adjustments, calculated based primarily on the Consumer Price Index and fees to dispose of the waste. In accordance with the franchise agreement, ACES has previously requested and received rate adjustments based upon a formula intended to adjust rates for inflation, taking into account increases in the cost of various components of the services provided by ACES. The City is required to grant rate adjustment requests if they meet the requirements and other conditions in the franchise agreement are met.

The previously approved solid waste rates, and the rate adjustments now scheduled to go into effect as of August 1, 2020, are as follows:

City of Jackson Monthly Refuse Rates charged by ACES Waste Services, Inc.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE	Current Rates (as of Jan. 1, 2019)	Proposed Rates as of August 01, 2020
32-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$17.58	\$19.04
64-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$26.34	\$28.53
96-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$28.09	\$30.42
<i>Senior Service</i>		
20-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$11.05	\$11.97
32-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$15.85	\$17.16
64-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$23.67	\$25.64
96-Gal. Weekly Pick-up	\$25.22	\$27.31

***Note: Above rates are monthly rates for weekly service pick-up.**

COMMERCIAL SERVICE	Current Rates (as of Jan. 1, 2019)	Proposed Rates as of August 01, 2020
1-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$95.02	\$102.92
2-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$158.16	\$171.31
3-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$221.12	\$239.50
4-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$284.20	\$307.82
6-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$378.74	\$410.23
7-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$474.73	\$514.20

COMMERCIAL RECYCLE	Current Rates (as of Jan. 1, 2019)	Proposed Rates as of August 01, 2020
1-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$85.52	\$92.63
2-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$142.34	\$154.18
3-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$199.01	\$215.55
4-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$255.77	\$277.03
6-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$340.87	\$369.20
7-Yard Bin Weekly Pick-up	\$427.26	\$462.78

***Note: Above rates are monthly rates for weekly service pick-up.**

For further details regarding the basis and reasons for the proposed rate adjustments for solid waste services, please contact Max Godde, Public Works Superintendent, at 209-256-1256.