

**ORDINANCE NO. 874-23**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS, ADOPTING A FEE SCHEDULE FOR SOLID WASTE COLLECTION AND RECYCLING SERVICES IN THE CITY; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Willow Park has adopted numerous ordinances that provide for various fees and charges that are subject to change from time to time; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has determined that it would be convenient to consolidate many of those fees in one ordinance that can be reviewed and amended as needed from time to time; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has determined that the fees and charges specified herein are reasonable, necessary, fair and designed to fund the various activities to which they pertain; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has determined that the fees set forth herein will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Willow Park; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has adopted a new service contract with Republic Waste Services of Texas, Ltd. for solid waste disposal and residential recycling services, which contract contains a rate schedule for such services; and

**WHEREAS**, this ordinance was adopted at a meeting of the Willow Park City Council held in strict compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act at which a quorum of the City council was present and voting;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS:**

**Section 1. Rates Imposed**

The City hereby adopts the Fee Schedule attached as Exhibit "A" hereto and imposes the fees set forth therein upon the services, activities, events, materials, and supplies that are described therein. These rates shall be collected by the City in accordance with the various City ordinances that more particularly describe each of these fees.

**Section 2. Cumulative/Repealer Clause.**

This ordinance shall be cumulative of all other ordinances of the City of Willow Park, Texas, whether codified or uncodified, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, including each City ordinance that originally provided a fee, charge, or fine that is mentioned on Exhibit "A", in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**Section 3. Severability**

Should any portion or part of this ordinance be held for any reason invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not be construed to affect any other valid portion hereof, but all valid portions hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

**Section 4. Effective Date.**

This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023.

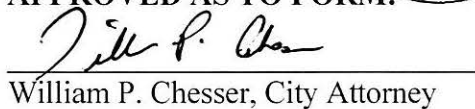
  
Lea Young, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:

  
Crystal Dozier, City Secretary



APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
William P. Chesser, City Attorney

The Willow Park City Council, acting on Ordinance No. 874-23, did on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023 vote as follows:

	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
Doyle Moss	_____	_____	_____
Eric Contreras, Place 1	_____✓_____	_____	_____
Chawn Gilliland, Place 2	_____✓_____	_____	_____
Greg Runnebaum, Place 3	_____✓_____	_____	_____
Lea Young, Place 4	_____	_____	_____
Nathan Crummel, Place 5	_____✓_____	_____	_____

ATTACHMENT A

BASE RATES

<b>3-year Extension</b> <b>2X MSW which includes BULK/BRUSH, 1X REC</b>	<b>May 2023</b>	<b>May 2024</b>	<b>May 2025</b>
Residential MSW including bulk/brush collection and 95-gallon cart	\$12.94	\$13.45	\$13.99
Residential Recycling	\$4.69	\$4.88	\$5.08
<b>Total Residential Base Rate</b>	<b>\$17.63</b>	<b>\$18.33</b>	<b>\$19.07</b>
<b>Cart Rental Fee</b>	<b>\$3.15</b>	<b>\$3.15</b>	<b>\$3.15</b>
<b>Base Rate + Rental Fee</b>	<b>\$20.78</b>	<b>\$21.48</b>	<b>\$22.22</b>