

**I.O. No.:** 4-68

**Ordered:** 09/18/2009

**Effective:** 10/01/2009

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY  
IMPLEMENTING ORDER

SCHEDULE OF ALL SERVICE LEVELS AND FEES FOR THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

**AUTHORITY:**

Section 5.02 of the Miami-Dade County Home Rule Charter and Chapter 15 of the Code of Miami-Dade County.

**SUPERSEDES:**

This Implementing Order (IO) supersedes IO 4-68, ordered September 18, 2008 and effective October 1, 2008

**POLICY:**

This Implementing Order provides a schedule of all solid waste service levels and fees.

**PROCEDURE:**

The administration of this Implementing Order is designated to the Director, Miami-Dade County Department of Solid Waste Management, who shall be responsible for the collection of fees and the delivery of the required services pursuant to Chapter 15 relating to the powers and duties of the Department of Solid Waste Management. Every year, or earlier, if need be, the Director shall review all fees in terms of cost and recommend necessary changes to the County Manager through this implementing order procedure.

**DEFINITIONS:**

Contract Disposal – use of the County Solid Waste Management System by any person, governmental entity, corporation or partnership that has entered into an Agreement with the County of ten (10) years or greater in duration for such County Solid Waste Management System use.

Short Term Disposal – use of the County Solid Waste Management System by any person, governmental entity, corporation or partnership that has not entered into an Agreement with the County of ten (10) years or greater in duration for such County Solid Waste Management System use.

Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) – any solid waste, except for sludge, resulting from the operation of residential, commercial, governmental or institutional establishments that would normally be collected, processed, and disposed of through a public or private solid waste management service. The term includes yard trash, but does not include solid waste from industrial, mining or agricultural operations [F.S. 403.706(5) (2008)].


Recovered Materials – means metal, paper, glass, plastic, textile or rubber materials that have known recycling potential, can be feasibly recycled, and have been diverted and source separated or have been recovered from the solid waste stream for sale, use, or reuse as raw materials, whether or not the materials require subsequent processing or separation from each other, but does not include materials destined for any use that constitutes disposal. Recovered materials as described above are not solid waste [F.S. 403.703(24) (2008)].

**FEE SCHEDULE:**

The fee schedule adopted by this Implementing Order is attached hereto and made a part hereof. This official fee schedule is also filed with and subject to the approval of the Board of County Commissioners and on file with the Clerk thereof. Fees that are charged by the Department of Solid Waste Management shall be the same as those listed in the official fee schedule on file with the Clerk of the County Commission.

This Implementing Order is hereby submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

County Manager

Approved by the County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency 

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE OF SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICES

|  | <u>Service Level</u>  |
|--|---|
| <i>a.1) Residential and Multi-family Curbside Garbage and Trash Collection</i>           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Twice per week garbage (bagged or canned);</li><li>• Once per week (either Thursday or Friday) trash; up to 5 cubic yards of tied, bagged, canned, or bundled trash, no single item over 50 pounds, no items over 3 feet in length, and no hazardous materials.</li></ul>                                   |
| <i>a.2) Residential and Multi-family Automated Curbside Garbage and Trash Collection</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Twice per week garbage and trash (all materials must be in one or more automated service carts. Materials not in automated service cart will not be picked up).</li></ul>   |
| <i>b) Residential Container Service</i>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Containerized garbage and trash collection service.</li></ul>   |
| <i>c) Bulky Waste Collection</i>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Two (2) scheduled pickups per fiscal year (October 1 through September 30) of up to twenty-five (25) cubic yards per pickup.</li></ul>  |
| <i>d) Neighborhood Trash and Recycling Center Service</i>                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Access for drop off of residential trash and recyclables seven days per week during established operating hours.</li></ul>  |
| <i>e) Curbside Recycling</i>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Once every other week curbside collection of recyclables.</li></ul>   |
| <i>f.1) Commercial Minimum Collection Service</i>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Twice per week (limited to 2 garbage cans or plastic bags per collection, per waste unit charged).</li></ul>  |
| <i>f.2) Commercial Automated Minimum Collection Service</i>                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Accounts with consistent overages will be increased to the appropriate service level.</li><li>• Twice per week (limited to one automated service cart per waste unit charged; all materials must be in automated service cart(s). Materials not in automated service cart will not be picked up).</li></ul> |
| <i>g) Commercial Container Service</i>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Uncompacted rollaway container service with varying number of pickups and container sizes.</li></ul>  |

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
 SCHEDULE OF RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION FEES

|  | <i>Fees</i>              |
|--|--------------------------|
| <i>Residential Curbside Collection per household, per fiscal year; (includes services a.1, c, d, and e).</i>   | \$439                    |
| <i>Residential Automated Curbside Collection per household, per fiscal year; (includes services a.2, c, d, and e).</i>   | \$439                    |
| <i>Additional carts for Residential Automated Curbside Collection or curbside recycling (purchase of additional EZ Go Waste or Recycling cart or replacement of any cart without a police report)</i>  | <u>Actual Cost</u>       |
| <i>Residential Container Service per household, per fiscal year; (includes services b and d).</i>  | \$339                    |
| <i>Bulky Waste per cubic yard; (beyond the service level established under service c); (the minimum charge beyond the service level established under service c is \$115.00 and is based on a five (5) cubic yard minimum charge).</i>                         | \$23                     |
| <i>Neighborhood Trash and Recycling Center per household, per fiscal year; (includes service d, for households in the Solid Waste Service Area not receiving Residential Curbside Collection service)</i>  | \$112                    |
| <i>Curbside Recycling per household, per fiscal year; (service e, for households not receiving Residential Curbside Collection service).</i>   | \$39                     |
| Pursuant to Resolution R-1137-08, the DSWM has entered into interlocal agreements with municipalities to collect and process their recyclable Materials and will charge these municipalities the appropriate rates as delineated in the interlocal agreements. | Per Interlocal Agreement |
| Returned Check Charges per check<br>[F.S. 832.07 (2008)]   |                          |
| If face value of check does not exceed \$50.00.  | \$25                     |
| If face value of check exceeds \$50.00 but does not exceed \$300.00.   | \$30                     |

If face value of check exceeds \$300.00.

\$40 Or an amount up to  
5% of the face  
amount of the check,  
whichever is greater.

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
 SCHEDULE OF COMMERCIAL/MULTI-FAMILY COLLECTION FEES

**Fees for Uncompacted Rollaway Container Accounts; (service g)**

**County-Owned Containers:**

|                                  |          |          |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Number of Collections per week - | Four (4) | Five (5) |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|

| Size of Containers | <i>Monthly Fee</i> | <i>Monthly Fee</i> |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| One-yard           | \$253.86           | \$294.96           |
| Two-yard           | \$393.79           | \$467.00           |
| Four-yard          | \$626.53           | \$746.41           |
| Six-yard           | \$812.50           | \$956.39           |

**Customer-Owned Containers:**

|                                  |          |          |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Number of Collections per week - | Four (4) | Five (5) |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|

| Size of Containers | <i>Monthly Fee</i> | <i>Monthly Fee</i> |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| One-yard           | \$236.11           | \$277.20           |
| Two-yard           | \$371.47           | \$444.68           |
| Four-yard          | \$581.87           | \$706.15           |
| Six-yard           | \$754.29           | \$905.06           |

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
 SCHEDULE OF COMMERCIAL/MULTI-FAMILY COLLECTION FEES

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Commercial Minimum Collection Service per waste unit assessed per fiscal year; (includes service f.1)</b>           | <b>Fees</b><br>\$450 with excess charged at \$2.20 per can or bag |
| <b>Commercial Automated Minimum Collection Service per waste unit assessed per fiscal year; (includes service f.2)</b> | \$450 one automated service cart per waste unit charged           |
| <b>Multi-family Collection per living unit, per fiscal year; (includes services a.1 or a.2 and e)</b>                  | \$176   |

The Director or designee may generate a memorandum annually which sets forth the schedule of fees for uncompacted rollaway containers, rolloff containers and whole tires per cubic yard service for Miami-Dade county departments.

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE FOR THE PERMITTED LANDSCAPERS

*Clean Yard Trash Disposal by Permitted Landscaper at  
Neighborhood Trash and Recycling Center per visit:*

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|--|----------------|
| <u><i>Clean yard trash Disposal by Permitted Landscaper (per<br/>cubic yard)</i></u> | <u>\$7.22</u>  |
| <u><i>Pickup trucks and vans</i></u>   | <u>\$21.66</u> |
| <u><i>Trailers with a capacity of 6 cubic yards or less</i></u>                      | <u>\$21.66</u> |
| <u><i>Trailers with a capacity greater than 6 cubic yards</i></u>                    | <u>\$72.20</u> |

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL COLLECTION AND VIOLATION WASTE REMOVAL COLLECTION  
FEES

|  | <i>Fees</i> |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Special Collection and<br/>Waste Services per cubic yard</i> (the minimum<br>charge is \$115.00 and is based on a five (5) cubic<br>yard minimum charge). | \$23        |
| <i>Violation Waste Removal per cubic yard</i> (the<br>minimum charge per occurrence is \$230.00 and is<br>based on a five (5) cubic yard minimum charge).    | \$46        |

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE OF WASTE CERTIFICATION FEE FOR REQUEST OF WASTE COLLECTION FEE  
CERTIFICATE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY CODE SECTION 15-28 ( c )

|  | <i>Fees</i> |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Waste Certification Fee</i><br>Each written certificate, certifying the amount of waste<br>fees due upon any parcel of real property subject to<br>payment of waste fees or certifying that no waste fees<br>are due. | \$55        |

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE OF CIVIL COURT CASE PROCESSING RECOVERY FEES  
(Fees resulting from Ordinance 99-55)

|  | <i>Fees</i> |
|--|-------------|
| <i>A. Case Processing Fee</i>                    | \$510       |
| <i>B. Recording Fee</i>                          | \$80        |
| <i>C. Lien Payoff Letter</i>                     | \$55        |
| <i>D. Posting of Notices</i>                     | \$25        |
| <i>E. Lien Cancellation Notices</i>              | \$25        |
| <i>F. Photographs, Reports or Other Exhibits</i> | Actual Cost |
| <i>G. County Attorney's Fees</i>                 | Actual Cost |
| <i>H. Court Filing Fees<br/>(each document)</i>  | Actual Cost |

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE OF DISPOSAL FEES, WASTE TIRE FEE  
TRANSFER FEE, AND SPECIAL HANDLING FEE

|  | <i>Fees</i>  |
|--|--------------|
| <b>Solid Waste Disposal Fee (1)</b>  |              |
| Contract Disposal per ton  | \$59.77      |
| Short Term Disposal per ton  | \$78.80      |
| <br><i>Waste Tires Fee per ton</i>   | <br>\$110.00 |
| <b>Solid Waste Transfer Fee</b>  |              |
| Transfer Fee per ton   | \$11.77      |
| Suitable material for cover, per ton (2)   | \$10.00      |
| <b>Special Handling Fee</b>  |              |
| <i>Other Solid Waste Requiring Special Handling per<br/>load (added to disposal fee)</i> | <br>\$59.77  |

In the event that the scale(s) are unavailable, the disposal fee will be based on the total cubic yard payload capacity of the vehicle converted to tons using the Schedules of Weights and Measures that are available at the Clerk of the Board

(1) Based on need, as determined by the Director

DEPARTMENT OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULE OF SOLID WASTE PERMIT FEES

|   | <i>Fees</i> |
|---|-------------|
| <i>General Haulers Fee for Permit<br/>Application/Renewal</i>           | \$600       |
| <i>General Haulers Vehicle Registration per Vehicle</i>                 | \$70        |
| <i>Landscaping Business Fee for Permit<br/>Application/Renewal</i>      | \$225       |
| <i>Landscaping Business Vehicle Registration per<br/>Vehicle</i>        | \$80        |
| <i>Tire Generator Fee for Permit<br/>Application/Renewal</i>            | \$25        |
| <i>Tire Operating Permit Fee per location</i>                           | \$75        |
| <i>Tire Transporter Fee for Permit<br/>Application/Renewal</i>          | \$25        |
| <i>Tire Transporter Vehicle Registration per Vehicle</i>                | \$25        |
| <i>Review of Solid Waste Facility Operating Permit<br/>Applications</i> | \$100       |