



CITY OF OJAI
OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
James Vega, City Manager
401 S. Ventura Street, Ojai, CA 93023

December 7, 2020

Daniel Harrison, Contracts Compliance Manager
E.J. Harrison and Sons, Inc.
P.O. Box 4009
Ventura, CA 93007

City of Ojai Franchise Agreement for Solid Waste Handling Services: Rate Increase Request

Dear Mr. Harrison:

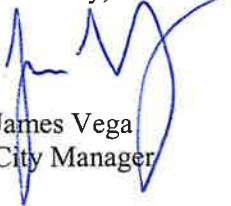
In October, the Public Works Department was presented with a request for a solid waste rate increase in accordance with the Sections 12.5 – 12.7 of the franchise agreement effective January 1, 2021. Our staff and consultant have coordinated with you and your office and find that your request for an increase is in compliance with the franchise agreement. Therefore, the City of Ojai is approving the request for a CPI increase with Operation Increase also approved.

The E.J. Harrison rate increase presented to the city indicates that the residential rates will be increased a maximum of 2.08% and the commercial rates will be increased a maximum of 1.98%. As provided by you, and approved by the City are Exhibit A: Maximum Rate Schedules attached to this letter. With my signing of this letter, the exhibits will be included as the 2021 rates for the franchise agreement and are hereby effective on January 1, 2021.

In accordance with Section 12.7 of the franchise agreement E.J. Harrison is required to provide all customers with a minimum of fifteen days' written notice of this increase. Please provide the Public Works Department with a sample of what is being sent to the residential and commercial customers announcing this increase in advance of its mailing.

Please contact Greg Grant, the Public Works Director with any questions.

Sincerely,



James Vega
City Manager

Attachments:

- Proposed Residential Rates 2021, Exhibit A
- Proposed Commercial Rates 2021, Exhibit A

Cc: Greg Grant, Public Works Director
Kimberly Nilsson, Solid Waste Solutions, Inc.

Ojai Proposed Rates

Current Rates for Ojai Residential	All Service includes Recycling and Yard Waste Barrels	PROPOSED EFFECTIVE	
		Jan 1st 2021	Notes
Types			
Minimum Service	34 Gallon Trash	\$ 34.56	includes .50/per month household hazardous waste fee
Standard Service	101 or 64 Gallon Trash	\$ 39.22	includes .50/per month household hazardous waste fee
High Volume	2-101 Gallon Trash	\$ 64.60	includes .50/per month household hazardous waste fee
Other Fees			
	Service Change	\$ 16.63	if more than once a year
	Re-Start Fees	\$ 16.63	
	Extra Recycle Barrel	\$ 6.08	1st additional container is free
	Extra Yard Waste Barrel	\$ 6.08	
	Extra Haul Trash Fee	\$ 6.08	
	Delinquent Re-start fee	\$ 27.72	
	Damage to Container	\$ 55.43	
	Walk-in (less than 100ft)	\$ 6.74	per barrel
	Walk-in (Over 100ft)	\$ 9.55	per barrel
	Cost of Burnt Bin	\$ 166.30	each
	Go Back Charge	\$ 16.63	No charge for the first 3 go back
Bin Rentals			
	Dump	\$ 92.97	per dump
	Rent after 7th day	\$ 2.50	per day
	Delivery	\$ 85.65	
Roll Offs	Hauling	\$ 166.49	
	Dump/Gold Coast	current rate	per ton
	Processing Fee	current rate	per ton
	C&D Gold (60% diversion)	current rate	per ton
	Rent after 3rd day	\$ 2.50	per day
	CWIMP tax	\$ 0.50	per ton
	Calwood	current rate	per ton
Extra Hauls			
	Bulky items 2 free per year		
	return check fee	\$ 16.63	
	after 2 free additional		
	extra can or bag	\$ 5.45	pick up on collection day
	car tires (less than 36")	\$ 7.83	each
	car tires (36" to 60")	\$ 33.56	each
	car tires (over 60")	\$ 223.74	each
	pallets	\$ 1.12	
	Washer/Dryer/TV/Couch, etc..	\$ 27.97	
	Freon Removal	\$ 39.15	
	Water Heaters	\$ 11.19	

