

## ORDINANCE NO. 1748

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF LITTLE ELM, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR REFUSE RATES; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**BE IT OBTAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LITTLE ELM, TEXAS THAT:**

**SECTION 1. Refuse Rates:** From and after the effective date hereof the charges to be collected for sanitation service are as follows:

<b>Refuse Rates</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>Rate</b> (Effective 10-01-2023)
Residential Customers – garbage (monthly)		15.50
Residential Customers – recycle (monthly)		3.43
Additional Refuse Cart (ea.)		7.70
Additional Recycle Cart (ea.)		2.42
Replacement of Refuse Cart		75.00

<b>Multi-family Rates</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>Rate</b> (Effective 2-01-2024)
Recycle rates per unit		0.67

<b>Commercial Customers</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>Rate</b> (Effective 2-01-24)
Front Load Trash - 2 cubic yard		
1 x week		105.69
2 x week		189.67
3 x week		248.80
4 x week		330.43
5 x week		391.37
6 x week		438.56
Front Load Trash - 3 cubic yard		
1 x week		112.92
2 x week		213.36
3 x week		337.47
4 x week		420.52
5 x week		528.74
6 x week		536.02
Front Load Trash - 4 cubic yard		
1 x week		128.86
2 x week		230.17
3 x week		306.82
4 x week		407.71
5 x week		482.34
6 x week		540.86

Front Load Trash - 6 cubic yard		
1 x week		164.76
2 x week		291.93
3 x week		405.34
4 x week		535.90
5 x week		631.65
6 x week		685.10
Front Load Trash - 8 cubic yard		
1 x week		209.10
2 x week		363.99
3 x week		537.63
4 x week		708.77
5 x week		835.02
6 x week		936.99
Front Load Compactors - 6 cubic yard		
1 x week		594.18
2 x week		1,093.87
3 x week		1,831.84
4 x week		2,287.66
Front Load Cardboard - 8 cubic yard		
1 x week		88.76
2 x week		177.51
3 x week		266.20
Front Load Miscellaneous Charges		
Casters (per container)		12.80
Gates (per pick-up)		10.21
Locks (per pick-up)		10.21
Commercial Collection – 95 Gallon Cart (refuse)		
1 x week		24.52
Each additional Carts ( 1 x week)		19.09
Commercial Collection – 95 Gallon Cart (recycle)		
1 x week		16.30
Each additional Carts ( 1 x week)		12.18
Commercial Roll Off Services		
35SC Weekday Haul * #		420.62
35SC Weekend Haul * #		456.46
40RC Weekday Haul * #		438.54
40RC Weekend Haul * #		474.32
# Disposal for payload tons up to 54K pds GVW		64.06
# Disposal charge for excess payload over 54K pds		162.45
6 Yard Recycle Containers		
Weekday transport		114.22
Rental		21.21

NOTE: All commercial dumpster customers are charged the monthly rate plus gate charges plus any other miscellaneous services required.

The monthly fee for solid waste collection and disposal services shall be set from time to time by appropriate written resolution ordinance of the Town Council. Such fee shall include collection and disposal charges, monthly billing charges, franchise fees, and applicable sales

tax. The monthly fee for such services shall be charged along with water and sewer charges. A penalty for an overdue bill may be charged.

**SECTION 2. Service Fees:** From and after the effective date hereof the charges to be collected for service fees associated with providing refuse services are as follows:

<b>Service Fees</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>Rate</b> (Effective 02-01-19)
Delinquent Fee (failure to pay)		50.00
Return Check Fee		30.00

**SECTION 3. Repeal of conflicting ordinances:** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in force when the provisions of this ordinance become effective, which are inconsistent or in conflict with the terms or provisions contained in this ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of any such conflict. This Ordinance amends those refuse rates previously established by Ordinance Nos. 1089, 1121, 1257, 1307, 1370, 1434, 1476, 1535, 1586, 1654, 1701, and 1728.

**SECTION 4. Severability Clause:** If any clause, phrase, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be void or unconstitutional for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect any other provisions of the ordinance and such clause, phrase, sentence, paragraph or section is hereby declared severable.

**SECTION 5. Saving Clause:** This Ordinance shall be cumulative of all other ordinances of the Town and shall not repeal any of the provisions of those ordinances except in those instances where the provisions of those ordinances are in direct conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance. This Ordinance amends those refuse rates previously established by Ordinance No. 1089, 1121, 1257, 1307, 1370, 1434, and 1476, 1535, 1586, 1654, 1701, and 1728.

**SECTION 6. Providing for Publication:** Providing for the publication of this ordinance and effective date hereof. The newspaper having general circulation in the Town shall be effective immediately upon its passage and publication.

**SECTION 7. Effective date:** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately following its adoption and publication in accordance with and provided by law and the Town Charter.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the Town Council of the Town of Little Elm, Texas, on the 16th day of January 2024.

**TOWN OF LITTLE ELM, TEXAS**

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Curtis J. Cornelious, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Caitlan Biggs, Town Secretary