



Proposed Additional Residential Waste Services

The proposed service would be \$6.15/month added to the current rate. If approved, residents would be able to put their yard debris and recycling cart out every week. Residents would be able to dispose of all food scraps, including bones, dairy, citrus and other food scraps that cannot be put in home compost piles.

| RESIDENTIAL SERVICE RATES: | | |
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| Residential Roll Cart | Current Monthly Rate | With Enhanced Weekly Service |
| 20g | \$16.20 | \$22.35 |
| 35g | \$23.35 | \$29.50 |
| 65g | \$29.15 | \$35.30 |
| 90g | \$36.20 | \$42.35 |

Republic Services Describes Key Benefits:

Convenience: Weekly pickups eliminate the need to remember recycling and yard debris schedules, making collection easier for your residents.

Potential cost savings: We know from the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality's most recent report that 30-40% of all waste in the landfill could have gone in a yard debris or recycling cart. Weekly yard waste and recycling service gives residents the opportunity to downsize to a smaller trash cart, leading to potential monthly savings that offset the cost of the enhanced service.

A place to put leaves: Fall leaves are as beautiful as they can be messy. Weekly yard debris service makes it easier for residents to keep their yards clean, and keeps leaves out of streets and storm drains.

Increased recycling and organic disposal improve sustainability: Cities with weekly organics and recycling programs send less waste to the landfill. We know that Monroe residents want to dispose of their waste in an environmentally sustainable way.