

**ORDINANCE NO. 2017-27**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF VENICE, SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 54, SOLID WASTE; ARTICLE V, RATES AND CHARGES; BILLING PROCEDURE, SECTION 54-161, FEE SCHEDULE; DEPOSITS; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, solid waste and recycling rates have remained unchanged for ten years; and

**WHEREAS**, FY 2017 expenses related to the solid waste and recycling operation have continued to rise resulting in a decrease in the available fund balance which was projected to fall below the required minimum balance; and

**WHEREAS**, the Solid Waste and Recycling Stakeholder’s Work Group recommended the city raise residential solid waste and recycling rates by 5% and roll-off rates by 50% for FY 2018 to keep the fund balance above the required minimum balance.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA**, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The above whereas clauses are ratified and confirmed as true and correct.

**SECTION 2.** Chapter 54, Solid Waste, Article V, Rates and Charges; Billing Procedure, Section 54-161 Fee Schedule; Deposits, is amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 54-161. Fee schedule; deposits.**

(a) *Basic service.* The fees for basic service for the collection and disposal of solid waste placed for collection in containers accessible to city collection equipment shall be as follows:

	<i>Charge per Month</i>
	<b>FY17</b>
(1) Residential customers. Each residential living unit using container service shall pay fees as follows: Unlimited containers, not to exceed 40 pounds per container, picked up twice a week.	<del>\$10.04</del> <u>\$10.54</u>
(2) Commercial customers. For hotels, motels, restaurants, schools, churches and other businesses and institutions using container service not to exceed 40 pound per container, the fee shall be as follows:	
a. One or two containers, picked up twice a week	<del>\$10.04</del> <u>\$10.54</u>
b. Tag for each extra container	<del>\$1.37</del> <u>\$1.44</u>

(b) *Recycling*. Recycling fees are as follows:

*Charge per Month*

~~FY 17~~

- (1) Residential customers. Each residential living unit using container service shall pay fees as follows:
- a. *Single-family residences*: Two containers, 14 gallons each, picked up once a week ~~\$7.64~~ \$8.02
  - b. Multifamily living units, apartments and manufactured homes: Each multifamily living unit will be provided one of the following:
    - 1. Two red boxes per each living unit, picked up once a week ~~\$7.64~~ \$8.02
    - 2. 94-gallon containers as necessary per establishment, picked up once a week ~~\$7.64~~ \$8.02
- (2) Commercial customers. Each commercial business will be provided with the opportunity to utilize city service for recycling. Such service will be provided at the customer's request for the following fees:
- a. Two containers, 14 gallons each, picked up once a week ~~\$7.64~~ \$8.02
  - b. 94-gallon containers, collected once a week:
    - First container \$29.42
    - All additional containers (each) \$19.62
  - c. Two, 32-gallon cans, bags or bundles of yard waste collected once a week ~~\$7.64~~ \$8.02

(c) *Dumpsters*. For multifamily dwellings, hotels, motels, restaurants, schools, churches and other businesses and institutions using dumpsters, the fee shall be based upon the size of the dumpster and the frequency of collection as follows:

MONTHLY FEE FOR ONE COLLECTION PER WEEK

Compacted Materials, Dumpster Privately Owned

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	<del>FY 17</del>	<del>FY 17</del>
1	\$237.34	\$251.96
1 ½	271.26	287.95
2	311.96	331.13
3	379.76	403.12
4	440.79	467.90
6	589.97	626.28
8	N/A	N/A

Noncompacted Materials, Dumpster Leased From City

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$73.12	\$76.78
1 ½	N/A	N/A
2	95.45	100.25
3	115.79	121.63
4	134.40	141.16
6	180.14	189.21
8	233.60	245.70

MONTHLY FEE FOR TWO COLLECTIONS PER WEEK

Compacted Materials, Dumpster Privately Owned

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$474.68	\$503.92
1 ½	542.51	575.88
2	623.89	662.28
3	759.51	806.25
4	881.58	935.82
6	1179.95	1252.57
8	N/A	N/A

Noncompacted Materials, Dumpster Leased From City

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$132.45	\$139.76
1 ½	N/A	N/A
2	173.42	183.04
3	210.74	222.43
4	244.59	258.15
6	327.64	345.79
8	430.16	454.36

MONTHLY FEE FOR THREE COLLECTIONS PER WEEK  
 Compacted Materials, Dumpster Privately Owned

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$712.05	\$755.85
1 ½	813.75	863.84
2	935.82	993.41
3	1139.25	1209.37
4	1322.35	1403.75
6	1769.92	1878.85
8	N/A	N/A

Noncompacted Materials, Dumpster Leased From City

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$191.79	\$202.73
1 ½	N/A	N/A
2	251.43	265.82
3	305.70	323.21
4	354.80	375.12
6	475.13	502.34
8	626.72	663.01

MONTHLY FEE FOR FOUR COLLECTIONS PER WEEK  
 Compacted Materials, Dumpster Privately Owned

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$949.39	\$1007.81
1 ½	1085.01	1151.79
2	1247.76	1324.55
3	1519.01	1612.49
4	1763.14	1871.65
6	2359.90	2505.11
8	N/A	N/A

Noncompacted Materials, Dumpster Leased From City

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	<del>FY 17</del>	<del>FY 17</del>
1	\$251.12	\$265.73
1 ½	N/A	N/A
2	329.41	348.60
3	400.62	423.99
4	464.98	492.09
6	622.63	658.94
8	823.28	871.67

MONTHLY FEE FOR FIVE COLLECTIONS PER WEEK

Compacted Materials, Dumpster Privately Owned

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	<del>FY 17</del>	<del>FY 17</del>
1	\$1186.73	\$1259.77
1 ½	1356.26	1439.72
2	1559.71	1655.68
3	1898.78	2015.60
4	2203.93	2339.55
6	2949.87	3131.42
8	N/A	N/A

Noncompacted Materials, Dumpster Leased From City

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	<del>FY 17</del>	<del>FY 17</del>
1	\$310.46	\$328.73
1 ½	N/A	N/A
2	407.40	431.40
3	495.56	524.77
4	575.19	609.08
6	770.11	815.49
8	1019.84	1080.32

MONTHLY FEE FOR SIX COLLECTIONS PER WEEK  
Compacted Materials, Dumpster Privately Owned

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$1424.07	\$1511.73
1 ½	1627.52	1727.67
2	1871.65	1986.83
3	2278.52	2418.74
4	2644.72	2807.47
6	3539.87	3757.68
8	N/A	N/A

Noncompacted Materials, Dumpster Leased From City

Dumpster Size (cubic yards)	Standard Service	Pull-Out Service
	FY 17	FY 17
1	\$369.79	\$391.71
1 ½	N/A	N/A
2	485.37	514.19
3	590.50	625.55
4	685.38	726.05
6	917.60	972.07
8	1216.40	1288.98

(d) *Roll-off service.* Fees for roll-off service are as follows:

Roll-off Container Size (cubic yards)	Daily Rent	Pull Charge ( <u>per pull, with minimum charge of \$157.50 per month</u> )	Tipping Fee (Applies to all sizes)
<u>10, 20, 30, 40</u>	<del>2.63</del>	<del>\$84.00 Long-term Customers \$105.00 Short-term Customers \$157.50</del>	Actual scale fee for tonnage (landfill or recycled)
20	<del>2.63</del>	<del>\$84.00 Long-term Customers \$105.00 Short-term Customers</del>	
30	<del>2.63</del>	<del>\$84.00 Long-term Customers \$105.00 Short-term Customers</del>	
40	<del>2.63</del>	<del>\$84.00 Long-term Customers \$105.00 Short-term Customers</del>	
Compacted	<del>2.63</del>	<del>\$157.50-\$236.25</del>	

(e) *Special household collection (scheduled on-call service).*

- (1) One cubic yard or less \$21.00
- (2) Each additional cubic yard 21.00

(f) *Bundled corrugated cardboard collection.* The charge for bundled corrugated cardboard collection, for up to one cubic yard collected once per week, shall be \$29.42 in FY 17. Bundles shall not exceed four feet in length by three feet in height by one foot in depth.

(g) *Other charges.*

(1) *Overloading dumpsters.* Customers filling dumpsters in excess of normal capacity will be charged for such excess at the rate of \$15.75 per cubic yard or portion thereof. The director may require a customer to increase the rate of service or size of the dumpster if the customer repeatedly fills a dumpster in excess of its capacity.

(2) *Dumpster transport and rental fees.* A fee of \$50.00 will be charged for transporting a dumpster to and from the repair shop and for the return and use of a rental dumpster for one week.

(3) *Bulk trash and special collections.* The director shall have the authority to determine charges for these services based on the cost of providing the service.

(h) *Tenant dumpster deposits.* Before rendering service to a tenant customer, the city shall require a deposit of three times the monthly fee for all sizes to secure the payment of the account, or in such larger amount as the finance director determines is necessary to provide adequate security considering the particular circumstances of each case. Such deposits may be held by the city until final settlement of the customer's account. The city may require an additional deposit for a customer if the customer fails to maintain a satisfactory payment record.

SECTION 3. All Ordinances or Resolutions or parts thereof in conflict therewith are superseded to the extent of any such conflict.

SECTION 4. Severability. If for any reason a provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person, group of persons, or circumstances is held invalid, the invalidity shall not effect other provisions or applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of the Ordinance are severable.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect October 1, 2017.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA, THIS 26TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2017.**

First Reading: August 22, 2017

Final Reading: September 26, 2017

Adoption: September 26, 2017

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John Holic, Mayor

Attest:

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Lori Stelzer, CMC, City Clerk

I, Lori Stelzer, CMC, City Clerk of the City of Venice, Florida, a municipal corporation in Sarasota County, Florida, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and complete, true and correct copy of an Ordinance duly adopted by the Venice City Council, a meeting thereof duly convened and held on the 26th day of September, 2017, a quorum being present.

**WITNESS** my hand and the official seal of said City this 26th day of September 2017.

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Lori Stelzer, CMC, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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City Attorney