

ORDINANCE NO. 1151 (2024)

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING RURAL ZONE FEES AND UPDATING FEES FOR TIRES,  
MATTRESSES, FURNITURE AND APPLIANCES

Whereas, the City of Craig provides residential and commercial refuse collection services and has previously established fee schedules for such services; and

Whereas Moffat County, which operates the landfill used by the City of Craig refuse operation, has raised the landfill rates for all users of the landfill, including the City refuse; and

Whereas the City must adopt rate increases to absorb these expenses; and

Whereas, the City of Craig has been providing Refuse Collection Services outside of the City; and

Whereas, the City must adopt rates to absorb these expenses.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO:

Section 1. Section 8.04.250 of the Craig Municipal Code entitled “Refuse Collection Fee” shall be amended to state to follows:

**8.04.250 Refuse Collection Fee.**

The following fees shall be charged by the City monthly for refuse collection service and are payable on or before the first day of the following month:

- A. Residential Household Rate for a 96 gallon can. The monthly fee for each household shall be eleven dollars (\$11.00) for collections. Landfill costs for disposal of refuse shall be eleven dollars and fifty cents \$11.50 per household monthly. Any extra pick-up for residential customers using a side load truck shall cost five dollars (\$5.00) per pick-up. Any extra pick-up for residential customers using a rear load truck shall start at a cost of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per pick-up with final cost and pick-up being at the discretion of the Solid Waste Department. Any passenger tires left for pick-up will be charged a disposal fee of six dollars (\$6.00) for each tire. The residential rate schedule shall become effective on July 1, 2024.
- B. Rural Zone Fees. These fees are determined by the customer’s location from the geographical center of the City of Craig and each Zone forms a concentric band around the City of Craig. Thereof Craig Rural Zone Bands established within the Solid Waste service area: ZONE 1 encompasses the Craig city limits and adjacent areas that are approximately 3 miles from the geographical center of the City of Craig and has no associated Rural Zone Fee; ZONE 2 includes a service area band that is approximately 3 to 10 miles from the geographical center of the City of Craig with a Rural Zone Fee of \$5.00/month; ZONE 3 includes a service area band that is approximately 10 to 15 miles from the geographical center of the City of Craig with a Rural Zone Fee of \$10.00/month; and ZONE 4 includes a service area band that is approximately 15 to 30 miles from the geographical center of the City of Craig with a Rural Zone Fee of \$15.00/month. The Rural Zone Fees shall become effective on July 1, 2024.

C. The monthly fees shall be based upon the attached table, entitled “Dumpster Rates with Landfill Fees Included, Effective January 1, 2021.” The fee for collection of mattresses, furniture and household appliances shall be fifteen dollars (\$15.00) each, except that for any appliance containing refrigerant which has not been properly removed by an EPA-approved technician as evidenced by a properly affixed sticker, the fee shall be ninety dollars \$90.00.

1. Extra pickups for dumpsters shall be ten dollars (\$10.00) for a three hundred (300) gallon can or two-yard dumpster, twelve dollars (\$12.00) for a three-yard dumpster, fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for a four-yard dumpster, twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for a six-yard dumpster, and thirty dollars (\$30.00) for an eight-yard dumpster.
2. Cartons, boxes, crates, and other refuse which cannot be conveniently deposited in the containers herein provided for or which cannot be treated and handled as other garbage and refuse with the available equipment shall be subject to a special charge to be determined and assessed according to the particular circumstances.
3. Rates for rubbish and garbage collection under a manual collection system shall be converted to comparable household rates. The fee schedule as listed in this section shall become effective on January 1, 2021. Nothing in this Ordinance shall prohibit the City from collecting refuse and garbage from customers outside the city limits of the City of Craig.
4. Temporary construction dumpsters and roll-offs may be provided for normal construction debris at the rate of forty-five dollars (\$45.00) per pick-up for a two-yard; fifty dollars (\$50.00) per pick-up for a three-yard dumpster; fifty-five dollars (\$55.00) for four-yard; sixty-five dollars (\$65.00) per pick-up for a six-yard dumpsters, one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for shingles (four-yard dumpsters only), three hundred fifty-five dollars (\$355.00) for a 20 yard roll-off, three hundred ninety dollars (\$390.00) for a (bear proof) 20 yard roll-off, four hundred forty-five dollars (\$445.00) for a 30 yard roll-off, and five hundred seventy dollars (\$570.00) for a 40 yard roll-off. There will be an additional charge for landfill fees of \$50.00 per ton for roll-offs and a \$.03 per pound for construction dumpsters in excess of the mentioned weight limits. A mileage charge for delivery and pickup to outside urban development boundaries will be established by the Department. For unusual construction debris, the rates may be determined by the City according to weight.

Section 2. If any subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The City Council deems it appropriate to publish the title of this ordinance, together with a summary of the ordinance and with a statement that the text is available for public inspection and acquisition in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days after passage and upon publication of such ordinance after passage.

Section 5. This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the City's authority to act under its police power to protect and preserve the general welfare of the City and its citizens.

READ, APPROVED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED ON FIRST READING THIS \_\_\_\_\_  
DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2024, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG,  
COLORADO.

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Chris Nichols, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Gina Duran, Deputy City Clerk

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON SECOND READING THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF  
\_\_\_\_\_, 2024, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG,  
COLORADO.

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Chris Nichols, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Liz White, City Clerk