

Fee will Support Needed Services

You have likely heard that beginning in January, a new solid waste collection fee will be included in your combined services statement. The statement also includes charges for water, sanitary sewer collection, and storm water management. You might want to know what that \$10 fee helps to support.

Public Works Waste Management offers many waste collection, recycling and disposal options. Our services meet or exceed regulatory compliance. They are environmentally responsible, reliable and cost effective. As public stewards, we value the opportunity to provide municipal services that keep Virginia Beach clean and beautiful.

We provide multiple City services for the benefit of Virginia Beach residents. We service one-fourth of the city and approximately 30,000 residents each collection day.

Municipal solid waste and yard debris collection, yard debris containers, bulk items/special collections and recycling are all reliable services needed and valued by the community. Did you know that bulky item collection service for normal household items discards is provided free of charge for residents who receive City waste collection service?

For those who need to dispose of larger amounts of yard debris, we rent roll-off containers on a first-come, first-served basis. We even provide services at the City Landfill for disposal of household hazardous waste, household goods and more.

We also offer curbside residential recycling. We work with a contractor to collect the recyclables of those who receive City waste collection service. We also have drop off sites for recyclables at the City Landfill, First Landing State Park, Princess Anne High School, and the Municipal Center for your convenience. We educate community groups about reducing, reusing and recycling because recycling is not only environmentally sound, it's fiscally prudent.

We will continue to provide the same quality, dependable service that residents have always received and relied on. The solid waste collection fee will help to offset the rising costs of waste collection..