

RESOLUTIONS OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA

RESOLUTION NO. 20339

A RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO SET FEES CHARGED FOR DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE AT THE CITY OF HELENA TRANSFER STATION AND REPEAL RESOLUTION NO. 20275

WHEREAS, the City of Helena operates the "Transfer Station" to provide sanitary disposal of garbage and refuse, collection of recyclable materials, and diversion of usable material; and

WHEREAS, the City needs to recover the costs of doing business at the Transfer Station, as well as the tipping fee charged by the County for use of the landfill; and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized to establish such fees as may be necessary to operate its facilities to insure a positive cash flow; and

WHEREAS, it appears to be in the best interests of the City of Helena and the inhabitants thereof that Resolution No. 20275 be repealed and an annual resolution setting fees be enacted.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA:

Section 1. That it is the intention of the Helena City Commission to adopt the following transfer station tipping fees:

A. These tipping fees apply to all Transfer Station customers:

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Minimum transaction/tipping fee (Permit): \$0.60/20 lbs.

Minimum transaction/tipping fee (Non-Permit): \$6.00/200 lbs.

Permit holders that exceed the yearly allowance will be cash customers.

The total Tipping Fee is calculated below:

Transfer Station Tipping Fee	\$30.75
Landfill Tipping Fee	\$28.00
Total Tipping Fee	<u>\$58.75/Ton</u>

The total tipping fee is applied to all garbage, refuse, recyclable materials, and diverted materials at the transfer station. The cost of clean loads of recycled materials are charged to either the City of Helena Residential Fund, other participating districts, or other governmental entities that have a transfer station agreement with the City of Helena, but is not counted as tonnage against permits.

B. Any additional charges or tipping fees can be paid by using any residential permit credit granted by the City of Helena, Scratchgravel, or other participating districts, as shown below:

Appliances with refrigerants: \$0.00 each
(plus tipping fee)

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Tires:

Passenger and light truck (up to 20" inside diameter)	\$0.00 each (plus tipping fee)
Passenger and light truck on rim (up to 20" inside diameter)	\$0.00 each (plus tipping fee)
*Oversized tires (over 20" inside diameter, but less than 25")	\$0.00 each (plus tipping fee)
*Tires with larger than 25" inside diameter, not to exceed 48" outside diameter	\$0.00 each (plus tipping fee)

Electronic Waste:

All E-waste	\$0.00 each (plus tipping fee)
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Household Hazardous Waste:

At least one Household Hazardous Waste collection event will be provided at no charge to small-quantity generator permit holders.

C. The following additional charges apply to all commercial customers or any residential customers that exceed the yearly permit credit:

Appliances with refrigerants: (No limit)	\$15.00 each (plus tipping fee)
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Tires:

(No limit)

Passenger and light truck (up to 20" inside diameter)	\$5.00 each (plus tipping fee)
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interested parties may appear and express their opinions of approval or disapproval.

PASSED AND EFFECTIVE BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA, THIS 22nd DAY OF MAY, 2017.

/S/ JAMES E. SMITH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/S/ DEBBIE HAVENS
CLERK OF THE COMMISSION