

March 18, 2014

Dear Mobile Home Resident,

Outlined in the table below are proposed garbage and recycling rate increases for the City of San José. The City issued a formal notice of the specific rate increases to the property owner on March 17, 2014 which can be found at www.sanjoseca.gov/ratenotices.

The San José City Council will hold a public hearing and vote to set the exact rates for fiscal year 2014 – 2015 on:

Tuesday May 13, 2014 at 1:30 p.m.
San José City Hall Council Chambers
200 East Santa Clara Street
San José, CA 95113

City of San José - Proposed Utility Rate Increases

Rates for fiscal year 2014-2015 will be effective July 1, 2014

<i>Utility</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Proposed Increase</i>	<i>Fiscal Years Affected</i>
Garbage and Recycling Services	collection of garbage, recycling, yard trimmings, motor oil and oil filter recycling, neighborhood clean-ups, household hazardous waste and composting programs	up to 5% for each year	2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017 (Rates have not increased since 2011.)
<i>Reasons for Increase: Covers rising costs of fuel and truck replacement and maintenance.</i>			
<i>Rate Additions: A Service Type Change fee in the amount of \$100.00 for up to four units and \$27.00 for each additional unit is proposed for processing requests to change between single- and multi-family services.</i>			
<i>Additional Rate Information: The 20-gallon cart, multi-family shared garbage cart, and Hardship due to Probate and Illness programs will be discontinued effective January 1, 2015. Low Income Rate Assistance and Medical Exemption Rate Reduction Assistance is subject to elimination in fiscal year 2015-2016 due to loss of funding.</i>			

For more information about the proposed rate increases:

- City of San José Customer Contact Center at (408) 535-3500
- www.sanjoseca.gov/ratenotices

Thank you,
City of San José - Environmental Services

La Ciudad de San José ha propuesto un aumento en las tarifas para los servicios de basura y reciclaje. Para obtener una copia del aviso formal enviado a los dueños de propiedades en español, visite www.sanjoseca.gov/ratenotices o llame al (408) 535-3500.

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