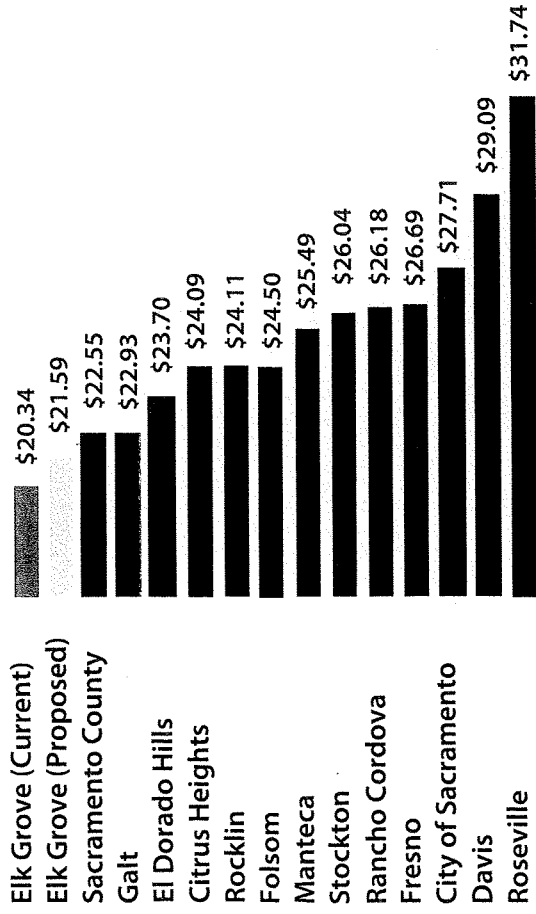


Rate Comparison

The charts below show how solid waste rates for the City of Elk Grove compare to other solid waste rates in the region. This analysis compares the rate charged for one 64-gallon trash container serviced weekly, two greenwaste containers serviced every other week and two recycling containers serviced every other week to rates charged for the same service in other jurisdictions.

Summary of Proposed Residential Basic Monthly Service Fee Charges Effective July 1, 2009

(cost per month for a 64-gallon trash container)



Locality	Trash 1 64-Gal	Recycle 2 96-Gal	GrnWaste 2 96-Gal	Total
Elk Grove (Proposed)	\$21.59	Included	Included	\$21.59
Sacramento County	\$22.55 ¹	Included	Included	\$22.55
Galt	\$22.93	Included	Included	\$22.93
El Dorado Hills	\$23.70	Included	Included	\$23.70
Citrus Heights	\$20.53	Included	\$3.56 ⁵	\$24.09
Rocklin	\$24.11	n/a ²	Included ³	\$24.11
Folsom	\$22.50	\$1.00 ⁴	\$1.00 ⁴	\$24.50
Manteca	\$25.49	Included	Included	\$25.49
Stockton	\$26.04	Included	Included	\$26.04
Rancho Cordova	\$22.87	Included	\$3.31 ⁵	\$26.18
Fresno	\$19.12 ⁶	\$3.72 ⁷	\$3.85 ⁷	\$26.69
City of Sacramento	\$15.14 ⁸	\$4.09	\$8.48 ⁹	\$27.71
Davis	\$29.09 ¹⁰	Included	Loose in Street	\$29.09
Roseville	\$21.41	n/a ²	\$10.33 ¹¹	\$31.74

1 Rate effective 7/1/2009. Includes .25 for removal of illegal dumping and .30 for HHWCF operating costs.

2 Recycling co-mingled with trash.

3 Weekly pick-up of recycle and green waste carts as opposed to bi-weekly.

4 First recycle and green waste cart is free. A second of either is \$1.00 each.

5 May have one extra recycle or greenwaste cart free of charge, for a total of four carts (includes trash). A fifth cart is charged per the above.

6 Above rate effective September 1, 2009. Offers 96-gallon cart size only.

7 Rate is for one cart. 96-gallon cart serviced weekly compared to (2) 96-gallon carts serviced bi-weekly.

8 Rate increase July 1, 2009. Final rate still to be determined.

9 Includes \$1.34 required street sweeping fee. 96-gallon cart serviced weekly compared to (2) 96-gallon carts serviced bi-weekly.

10 Every home charged the same regardless of cart size. Above rate effective July 1, 2009.

11 Second green waste cart is \$10.71. Cart emptied biweekly.

In Elk Grove, you are entitled to a total of five carts for the same base rate, as compared to other jurisdictions that require that the resident pay an additional fee for extra carts. For the service received, Elk Grove's rate is one of the lowest in the region.

