

# BINGHAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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## Commercial Haulers:

Bingham County has not raised the solid waste fees on Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) since 2000. In the last 13 years, the 10 year contract with Idaho Waste Systems has expired. We have a five year contract with Bannock County to accept the waste from Bingham County. Even though the landfill is closer, fuel is much higher than it was in 2000 and total costs have increased over time.

We will be raising the MSW rate from \$35 to \$40 per ton for commercial haulers, so commercial haulers will be paying the same rate as the residents have for the last 13 years.

We have not been collecting a fee for tires and refrigeration units, and the County's expenses to dispose of these items are rising. Therefore, you will notice a fee being charged for tires and refrigeration units.

There are a few other changes that are noted on the enclosed sheet. The charges that have been changed are blue numbers. Another change is the charge for grass/leaves, and tree branches.


We realize all the fees come from the residents in one form or another, and we have done all we can to avoid raising the rates. We also realize that to provide the basic landfill services that a portion of the fee collection needs to be on the tax roll. The fee per household and business collected with the property tax will be increased 12% from \$44 to \$50 per year. This fee has not been increased for several years.


The new charges will take effect October 1, 2013. This advanced notice will give you the opportunity while you are preparing your budget to plan for the increased disposal expense. This also allows you to make adjustments in the fees charged to your customers. Because these prices will change later this year, we will not be updating our website at this time.

If you have any questions, give us a call at 782-3013 or our Solid Waste office a call at 782-3867. David Babbitt can also be reached at 782-3170.

Sincerely,

  
A. Ladd Carter, Chairman

  
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## Bingham County Solid Waste Charges Comparing all sites

|  |                      | Central Transfer Station | Aberdeen Landfill/Transfer Station | Rattlesnake Landfill/Transfer Station |
|--|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Household Waste - Residential  | per ton              | \$40.00                  | \$80.00                            | \$80.00                               |
| Household Waste - Commercial   | per ton              | \$40.00                  | \$80.00                            | \$80.00                               |
| Construction and Demolition Solid Waste - Residential<br>first 500 lbs of each load is free. | per ton              | \$25.00                  | \$5.00                             | \$5.00                                |
| Construction and Demolition Solid Waste - Commercial   | per ton              | \$25.00                  | \$5.00                             | \$5.00                                |
| Grass Clippings - leaves, pine needles, pine cones, flowers                                  | per ton              | \$10.00                  | No Charge                          | No Charge                             |
| Inert/Fill Material  | per ton              | \$5.00                   | -\$5.00                            | \$5.00                                |
| Dirt - (Clean)   | per ton              | \$0.00                   | No Charge                          | No Charge                             |
| Dead Animals   |                      |                          |                                    | \$15 ton                              |
| White Goods - appliances, water heaters  |                      | No Charge                | No Charge                          | No Charge                             |
| Batteries  |                      | No Charge                | No Charge                          | No Charge                             |
| Refrigeration units (freezers, fridges, Large AC units. Etc.)                                |                      | \$20.00                  | \$20.00                            | \$20.00                               |
| AC Units - larger window size  |                      | \$10.00                  | \$10.00                            | \$10.00                               |
| AC Units - size of a small suitcase/carryon  |                      | \$5.00                   | \$5.00                             | \$5.00                                |
| Tires -  | passenger ea         | \$1.25                   | \$1.25                             | \$1.25                                |
|  | pickup ea            | \$1.25                   | \$1.25                             | \$1.25                                |
|  | Truck/Semi ea        | \$5.00                   | \$5.00                             | \$5.00                                |
|  | large volume per ton | \$100.00                 | \$100.00                           | \$100.00                              |
| Rims with Tires  | passenger ea         | \$2.25                   | \$2.25                             | \$2.25                                |
|  | pickup ea            | \$3.75                   | \$3.75                             | \$3.75                                |
|  | Truck/Semi ea        | \$12.50                  | \$12.50                            | \$12.50                               |
| Oil & Anti-Freeze  | per ton              | \$40.00                  | \$40.00                            | \$40.00                               |
| Paint (opened and dried)   | per ton              | \$40.00                  | \$40.00                            | \$40.00                               |
| Burn Barrels   | per ton              | \$60.00                  | Not Accepted                       | Not Accepted                          |
| Tree Branches (< 8" diameter) - Pallets  |                      | \$10.00                  | \$10.00                            | \$10.00                               |
| Tree Branches (> 8" diameter)  | per ton              | \$10.00                  | \$10.00                            | \$10.00                               |

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| Solid Waste Fee collected with the property taxes | 50.00 |
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| per lb   | per 100 lb | per ton |
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| \$0.0025 | \$0.2500   | \$5.00  |
| \$0.0175 | \$1.7500   | \$35.00 |
| \$0.02   | \$2.00     | \$40.00 |
| \$0.04   | \$4.00     | \$80.00 |

Minimum Fee is \$0.50 increasing in \$0.25 increments  
We reserve the right to refuse service to anyone.