

PEND OREILLE COUNTY  
NEWPORT, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-36

RE: Solid Waste Disposal Rates

WHEREAS, it is necessary to adjust the rates at the Pend Oreille County Solid Waste Transfer Facilities to meet administrative, maintenance and operational costs; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to provide capital for waste transport and disposal, and to provide for landfill closure costs; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to provide recycling and household hazardous waste management and disposal, and provide for the in-house operation of the transfer stations, and

WHEREAS, annual rate adjustments are based on the water, sewer and trash price index or on the consumer price index; and

WHEREAS, any rate adjustments must occur by resolution 90 days prior to implementation; and

WHEREAS, every three years from the effective date of this resolution, the Solid Waste Fund will conduct a rate study and adjust rates as necessary to avoid significant increases, and

WHEREAS, disposal rates have not been adjusted since March 1, 2014, and

WHEREAS, the establishment of solid waste disposal rates by this Resolution rescinds in their entirety RESOLUTIONS 2008-13, 2010-34, 2011-43 and 2013-36.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following rates are adopted as Pend Oreille County's Solid Waste Disposal Rates, effective February 1, 2016.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the applicable Washington State solid waste tax (presently at 3.6%) shall be added to the following rates:

SOUTH COUNTY TRANSFER STATION

Solid Waste	\$137.00 per ton plus tax
Minimum Garbage Charge (0 to 140 pounds)	\$9.65 + \$.35 tax = \$10.00

USK TRANSFER STATION

Solid Waste	\$19.30 per cubic yard plus tax
Minimum Garbage Charge (1, 2 or 3 garbage cans)	\$9.65 + \$.35 tax = \$10.00

NORTH COUNTY TRANSFER STATION

Solid Waste \$137.00 per ton plus tax  
Minimum Garbage Charge (0 to 140 pounds) \$9.65 + \$.35 tax = \$10.00

ALL TRANSFER STATIONS

Tires: 1 or 2 \$137.00 per ton plus tax  
Tires: 3 or more \$25.00 each plus tax  
Refrigerant Based Appliances \$28.96 each plus tax

UNPAID DRIVE OFF COLLECTION FEE \$50.00 per incident plus minimum garbage charge

- Recycling Drop Off: No Charge  
Scrap metal, newsprint, white office paper, junk mail, white envelopes, corrugated cardboard, radiators, aluminum cans, plastic bags, tin cans, wire, lead acid auto batteries and electrical cords
- E-cycle Drop Off: No Charge  
Computers, E-readers, monitors, laptops, TV's
- Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off: No Charge  
Maximum – 5 gallons per visit from households only (no business or farm hazardous wastes accepted)

ADOPTED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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APPROVED AS TO FORM: Dolly Hunt, Prosecuting Attorney [Signature]