

**ORDINANCE NO. 399N**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF GARFIELD, WASHINGTON, amending Ordinance Nos. 324N and 334N and 364N and 390N, and Garfield Municipal Code §12.10.070, thereby setting an initial roller cart fee and a replacement roller cart fee.

THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GARFIELD does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Garfield Municipal Code §24.02.070 and those portions of Ordinance Nos. 324N and 334N and 364N and 390N are codified as part of Garfield Municipal Code §12.10.070 are hereby amended to read as follows:

**“12.10.070 – Collection and disposal services—rates. A. Except as may hereafter be fixed by resolution of the town council, the owner or occupant of each occupied residence within the Town of Garfield, together with each commercial or business establishment therein where garbage is created or accumulated, shall pay the following, respective monthly charge for garbage collection and disposal service:**

- a) Residential.....\$24.00
- b) Non-dumpster Commercial .....\$37.00
- c) Residential dumpster..... \$35.00
- d) Light Commercial dumpster.....\$57.00 per dumpster,  
plus \$6.00 per account.
- e) Heavy Commercial dumpster.....\$82.00 per dumpster,  
plus \$6.00 per account.
- f) Rental dumpster.....\$37.00 per dumpster pick-  
up
- g) Demolition and construction  
debris, extraordinary items.....double the dump rate  
charged at the Whitman  
County landfill (per pound).
- h) Apartment, hotel, or  
other multi-residential  
structures.....\$24.00 per residential  
unit; provided, if there are  
more than 3 such units in a  
single structure, the owner  
may elect to provide a  
dumpster and be charged  
at the commercial  
dumpster rate.
- i) Trailer courts.....\$24.00 per trailer or  
mobile home.

- j) All residences, apartments, hotels, multi-residential structures, trailers or mobile homes shall be allowed a maximum of one roller cart per residential unit. Any additional roller cart shall cost \$6.00 each per week per use.
- k) Roller carts (initial).....\$15.00 for the initial one roller cart provided by the town to be billed over a 3-month period, at \$5.00 a month; (additional).....at actual cost to the town to be paid in advance of receipt of the additional cart, to be refunded if no longer needed and returned undamaged.
- l) Roller carts (replacement).....at actual cost to the town for any damaged roller cart that has to be replaced by the town to be paid in advance of receipt of the additional or replacement cart.

**B. Beginning January 1, 2011, the rates fixed in Subsection A, above, shall increase 6% each biennium. For the purposes of computing the biannual increases, each biannual increase shall be based upon the respective rates fixed in Subsection A, above, plus any biannual increases applied on and after January 1, 2011 (e.g., the increase for each rate for the biennium beginning on January 1, 2013, shall be equal to 6% increase applied for the biennium beginning January 1, 2011).**

**C. Any increase to which municipal water service is being provided at a given time shall be considered to be an “occupied residence” for the purpose of this Section. Also, for the purposes of this Section, the term “Light Commercial” dumpster shall mean a dumpster which contains an average of 150 lbs. of refuse per week, and “Heavy Commercial” shall mean a dumpster containing an average of more than 150 lbs per week. Such averages shall be determined by the Town on a periodic basis.**

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after it or a summary thereof, is published in the official newspaper of the Town of Garfield as required by law.

PASSED by the Town Council of the Town of Garfield at its regular meeting on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2011.

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Jarrod Pfaff, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Annie Pillers, Clerk-Treasurer

Approved as to form:

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Stephen Bishop, Attorney

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_  
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