

**Sec. 13-169.1. Same—Residential.**

(a) A charge for the services of collection and disposal of garbage, trash, and other solid waste including yard waste, in Columbus, Georgia for any residential property shall be as follows:

- (1) A rate of ~~\$18.00~~ \$21.00 per month for a full cost collection service at the curb or on city right-of-way.
- (2) An offset of 25 percent per month, rounded to the nearest dime, for a low-income household collection service at the curb or on the city right-of-way.

A low income household is one which receives food stamps, aid to families with dependent children or has a total yearly income below the poverty income line guidelines for family units in the United States set by the United States Department of Health and Human Services, or its successor, said guidelines now being set forth presently in the Federal Register, Vol. 8889, No. 1211, January 1917, 2023-2024 (Document no. 2023-008852024-00796), pp. 3424-34252961-2963 as follows:

Size of family unit	Poverty
1	<del>\$14,580</del> <u>\$15,060</u>
2	<del>\$19,720</del> <u>\$20,440</u>
3	<del>\$24,860</del> <u>\$25,820</u>
4	<del>\$30,000</del> <u>\$ 31,200</u>
5	<del>\$35,140</del> <u>\$36,580</u>
6	<del>\$40,280</del> <u>\$41,960</u>
7	<del>\$45,420</del> <u>\$47,340</u>
8	<del>\$50,560</del> <u>\$52,720</u>
For each additional person, add	<del>\$5,140</del> <u>\$5,380</u>

"Such guidelines will be adjusted annually according to the Federal Register."