

# RESOLUTION No. 22-227

#### OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION TO CONTINUE TEMPORARY REDUCTION OF THE WESTERN NEVADA COUNTY SOLID WASTE PARCEL CHARGES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022/23 AT A 25% REDUCTION RATHER THAN THE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED 50% REDUCTION, APPROVE DRAFT LETTERS TO THE CITIES OF GRASS VALLEY AND NEVADA CITY REGARDING SOLID WASTE PARCEL CHARGES AND AUTHORIZE THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NEVADA COUNTY TO EXECUTE THE LETTERS

WHEREAS, in 2012 the County of Nevada entered into a franchise agreement with Waste Management; and

WHEREAS, the County of Nevada defeasanced the 2002 Solid Waste Certificates of Participation; and

WHEREAS, both the aforementioned actions reduced the current annual expenses to operate the Western Nevada County Solid Waste System; and

WHEREAS, Section G-IV 8.16 of Chapter IV, Article 8 of the Nevada County Government Code and Article XIIIC of the California Constitution allow the Board of Supervisors to temporarily reduce the parcel charges to an amount consistent with the current need to operate the Solid Waste System; and

WHEREAS, in May 2012, the Board approved Resolution 12-191 temporarily reducing parcel charges; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors approved Resolution 20-170 to continue the temporary reduction through June 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Staff recommends maintaining the Western Solid Waste Parcel Charge to provide adequate revenue for projected operational and capital costs, and to cover post closure financial assurance obligations, with a temporary reduction of the established rate by 25% for residential properties and 50% for commercial customers for an additional year; and

WHEREAS, to impose fees under the authority contained in Section 25830 of the Government Code, the Cities of Grass Valley and Nevada City must consent to the imposition of the parcel charges within their jurisdiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors that:

1. The annual residential Western Solid Waste Parcel Charge will be temporarily reduced by 25% of the established rate as follows:

Single Family Residential Multi-Family Residential Mobile Home Space (In mobile home parks) Established Rate \$59.40 per year \$46.28 per unit/year \$41.44 per unit/year Proposed Rate \$44.54 per year \$34.70 per unit/year \$31.08 per unit/year

2. The annual non-residential Western Solid Waste Parcel Charges will be temporarily reduced by 50% of the established rate as follows:

Non-residential parcels:

Established Rate \$54.38 per ton

Proposed Rate \$27.18 per ton

- 3. The Chair of the Board of Supervisors is authorized to execute the attached letters to the Cities of Grass Valley and Nevada City of the County's intent to impose parcel charges and requesting their concurrence as required by Government Code Section 25830.
- 4. This Resolution shall be effective from and after the date of its adoption and shall automatically expire as of June 30, 2023.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the 24th day of May, 2022, by the following vote of said Board:

Ayes:

Supervisors Heidi Hall, Edward Scofield, Dan Miller, Susan

K. Hoek and Hardy Bullock.

Noes:

None.

Absent:

None.

Abstain: None.

ATTEST:

JULIE PATTERSON HUNTER Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Susan K. Hoek, Chair

5/24/2022 cc:

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May 24, 2022

Honorable Mayor Ben Aguilar And Council Members City of Grass Valley 125 East Main Street Grass Valley, CA 95945

**SUBJECT:** Fees for Solid Waste

Dear Mayor and Council Members:

In 2012, Nevada County, Grass Valley, and Nevada City approved a temporary reduction in solid waste parcel charges. The reduction reflected decreases in our annual operating expenses and the ability of our current reserve fund to address potential post-closure liabilities. On behalf of the Nevada County Board of Supervisors, I am requesting your concurrence again to the implementation of solid waste parcel charges within your jurisdiction. This action is taken pursuant to State of California, Government Code Section 25830.

In order to facilitate the County's actions in levying and collecting parcel charges and to minimize the expenses involved in billing, the County would like to impose the existing fees under the authority contained in Government Code Section 25830. Accordingly, on behalf of the Board of Supervisors, I hereby request that your Council concur with the imposition of parcel charges in the City for the 2022/23 Fiscal Year as provided in Section 25830. These rates reflect the continuation of a temporary reduction in charges, by 25% for residential properties and 50% for commercial customers for an additional year.

The proposed parcel charges for Western Nevada County are as follows:

Single Family Residence	\$44.54 per year
Multi-Family Units	\$34.70 per year
Mobile Home Park Units	\$31.08 per year
Non-residential	\$27.18 per ton

I appreciate your consideration in this matter and anticipate your Council's acceptance of the current rates. Please respond to our office by June 10, 2022.

950 Maidu Avenue, Suite 200, PO Box 599002, Nevada City CA 95959-7902 phone: 530.265.1480 | fax: 530.265.9836 | toll free: 888.785.1480 | email: <u>bdofsupervisors@co.nevada.ca.us</u> website: <a href="http://www.mynevadacounty.com/nc/bos">http://www.mynevadacounty.com/nc/bos</a>

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Sincerely,

Honorable Sue Hoek

Chair, Board of Supervisors

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