

# *Solid Waste & Recycling*

## **Three Program Considerations from Republic Services**



*City of Tualatin*



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# PROGRAM CONSIDERATIONS

- **RATE INCREASE**
- **RESIDENTIAL ORGANICS**
- **RECYCLE +**

# 1. RATE INCREASE

Republic is requesting a 7.8% aggregate increase across all services

- Effective January 1, 2023

Applicable to all customers:

- Residential
- Commercial
- Industrial



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# 1. RATE INCREASE

## Options

- Return with a resolution adopting the proposed rate increase
- Return with more information or a different fee proposal
- Decline rate increase



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# 2. RESIDENTIAL ORGANICS

## Curbside Composting

- Placing food waste in the yard debris bin for weekly pickup
- Available for residential customers who receive an individualized bill

## Cost:

- Additional 70 cents/month per customer
- Additional \$1.00/month if adding countertop containers
- All customers eligible to participate pay for the service



# 2. RESIDENTIAL ORGANICS

## Options

- Return with a resolution adopting the program and associated fees
- Return with more information
- Decline program adoption at this time



# 3. RECYCLE +

## Curbside Expanded Recycling Program

- Hard to recycle items (ex: stretchy plastic film/bags, clear #1 plastic, textiles, batteries, some florescent lightbulbs)

## Cost:

- Monthly Base Fee - \$2.50
  - Each Pickup - \$9.25 - \$12.02
- Only participating customers pay fees



# 3. RECYCLE +

## Options

- Return with a resolution adopting the program and associated fees
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- Decline program adoption at this time





