

ORDINANCE NO. 772

ADOPTING UTILITIES RATES FOR MUNICIPAL GARBAGE, WATER AND WASTEWATER SERVICES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG, ALASKA:

Section 1. Classification. This is a non-code ordinance.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance becomes effective July 1, 2024.

Section 4. Repeal. This ordinance repeals all previous municipal water, wastewater, and garbage collection services rate-setting ordinances.

Section 5. Action. (a) Schedule "A" Garbage Rates, Schedule "B" Wastewater Service Rates; and Schedule "C" Water Rates, are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference in Craig Municipal Code Sections 8.04.040, 15.16.010 and 15.48.010.

APPROVED May 16, 2024

Kasey Smith  
MAYOR KASEY SMITH

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MARY SALAZAR, CITY CLERK



SCHEDULE "A" GARBAGE RATES

Pick Up Schedule

<b>Inside City Limits Weekly Service</b>	Monthly Cost
48 Gallon	\$38.72
64 Gallon	\$45.89
95 Gallon	\$60.80
300 Gallon Dumpster	\$151.58
4CY Dumpster	\$375.51

<b>Outside City Limits Weekly Service</b>	Monthly Cost
48 Gallon	\$58.08
64 Gallon	\$64.25
95 Gallon	\$76.00
300 Gallon Dumpster	\$171.29

Garbage rates are calculated on a "per can, per pickup" basis. Prices shown above are for 1 can/dumpster per week. Customers who have multiple cans, or who regularly have multiple pickups per week will be charged based on the number of cans/dumpsters x the number of pickups per week. For example, a customer that has two 48 gallon cans would be charged 2 x \$36.53 per month. A customer that has 2 48 gallon cans picked up twice a week would be charged 2 (number of cans) x 2 (number of pickups per week) x \$36.53 (monthly rate).

Missed pickups at no fault of the property owner that are picked up on the next garbage day will not result in additional fees. Missed pickups resulting from putting out carts late or other factors related to the property owner may be charged as extra pickups.

Extra Pick Up Schedule

	<b>Inside City Limits</b>	<b>Outside City Limits</b>
48 Gallon	\$14.52	\$29.04
64 Gallon	\$17.21	\$32.12
300 Gallon Dumpster	\$56.84	\$85.65
4CY Dumpster	\$140.82	--

Extra pickups will be charged for unscheduled, additional pickups of existing services or may be used for short term, temporary services (i.e. ordering a 300 gal cart for a two week period). Extra pickups may be charged for missed pickups due to property owner errors (i.e. late putting garbage out, etc.).

III. NOTES

(1) The minimum sanitation charge for residential, commercial, and industrial customers shall be the rate for one pick-up per week. All locations in the City of Craig that receive water and sewer services will be charged garbage pickup fees at least at the minimum charge.

- (2) Garbage service outside municipal boundaries will be provided at the discretion of the Director of Public Works.
- (3) Duplex dwelling units will be serviced with a minimum of 64 Gal Can. Multiple family dwelling units of three units or more, and mobile home parks, will be serviced with dumpsters. Multiple family dwelling units may be serviced with multiple 95 gallon carts at the public works director's discretion.
- (4) The City of Craig will provide residential garbage pick-up services free of charge, one 48 Gal. can per week, to residents who are 65 or older. This exemption applies only to the address at which the customer resides and will only apply if the exempt resident is billed directly.
- (5) Arrangements may be made for regular pick-up of garbage in cartons, boxes, bales, or other non-standard units at a rate of \$58.30 per cubic yard subject to the approval of the City.

**SCHEDULE "B" SEWER RATES**

I. UNMETERED SERVICE

One equivalent dwelling unit (EDU) shall be \$70.38.

Processing, industrial, cold storage, and electrical generation plant rates shall be set by individual agreement approved by the City Council and shall be structured to follow the \$66.40 per EDU for wastes discharged into the sewerage system.

II. METERED SERVICE

Customer Type	Billing & Collecting	Meter & Services	Total Meter Charges	Rate per 1,000 gallons	Debt	Total Base Rate
General	\$7.29	\$7.98	\$15.27	\$6.26	\$2.85	<b>\$24.38</b>
Mobile Home Parks	\$51.10	\$378.93	\$430.03	\$6.59	\$2.85	<b>\$439.65</b>

**SCHEDULE "C" WATER RATES**

**I. UNMETERED SERVICE**

Section A.

<b>USER TYPE</b>	<b>MONTHLY RATE</b>
Single family residence	\$56.90

Section B.

As referenced in Section 15.40.080 of the Craig Municipal Code, the city does not charge for standby water service on fire protection systems, metered or unmetered.

**II. METERED SERVICE**

Effective January 1, 1994, all commercial users and mobile home parks as defined in Title 18, Craig Land Development Code will be required to install metered water service. Exceptions to this provision will be on a case-by-case basis.

Section A

**Within City Limits Rate:**

Except as provided below in Section B, the monthly rates per meter are shown in the table below.

Meter Size	Billing & Collecting	Meter & Services	Total Meter Charges	Rate per 1,000 gallons	Debt	Total Base Rate
¾"	\$3.04	\$6.69	\$9.73	\$4.38	\$0.50	\$14.61
1"	\$3.04	\$12.04	\$15.08	\$4.38	\$0.50	\$19.96
2"	\$3.04	\$14.06	\$17.10	\$4.38	\$0.50	\$21.98
3"	\$3.04	\$18.74	\$21.78	\$4.38	\$0.50	\$26.66
4"	\$3.04	\$26.78	\$29.82	\$4.38	\$0.50	\$34.70
6"	\$3.04	\$32.81	\$35.85	\$4.38	\$0.50	\$40.73

**Outside City Limits Rate:**

Meter Size	Billing & Collecting	Meter & Services	Total Meter Charges	Rate per 1,000 gallons	Debt	Total Base Rate
¾"	\$3.68	\$13.11	\$16.79	\$14.01	\$0.50	\$31.30
1"	\$3.68	\$23.61	\$27.28	\$14.01	\$0.50	\$41.80
2"	\$3.68	\$27.54	\$31.22	\$14.01	\$0.50	\$45.73
3"	\$3.68	\$36.72	\$40.40	\$14.01	\$0.50	\$54.91
4"	\$3.68	\$52.46	\$56.14	\$14.01	\$0.50	\$70.65
6"	\$3.68	\$64.26	\$67.94	\$14.01	\$0.50	\$82.45

Section B.

Seafood processing plants that exceed one million (1,000,000) gallons monthly will be charged \$4.38 per thousand for the first one million gallons and \$4.22 per 1000 gallons for the gallons over one million.

Where monthly water usage does not exceed one million gallons, the rate established in Section A of "II METERED SERVICE" shall apply.