

Discussion of the Proposed
2017-2027 Comprehensive Garbage,
Recyclables and Compostables
Collection Contract
with
Recology Cleanscapes

April 18, 2016



Presentation Overview

- Selection Process Background
- Vendor Evaluation
- Service Enhancements
- Rates
- Next Steps



Background

2015 Jun 1	Oct 1	2016 Jan	Feb 16	Feb 23	Mar-Apr	2017 March 1
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Council approved
RFP process &
service
enhancements

Vendor
Submissions

Council & King
County discuss
70% recycling goal

Vendor
Selected

Negotiated draft
Contract for
Council approval

New Contract
Starts

RFP Published

Best and Final
Rates Due



Evaluation Process

- To conduct the evaluation a team of four staff was selected
- Scoring was based 80% on rates and 20% on qualitative factors

Qualitative Factors

- Information sources included:
 - Proposal: customer service, contract implementation, operations
 - Tours of each recycling facility
 - Interviews
 - References

Rates

(Best and Final)

Republic Services	\$660,029
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Waste Management	\$655,014
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Recology CleanScapes	\$510,984
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Total Points

Recology Cleanscapes	99.00
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Republic Services	74.75
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Waste Management	74.25
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Residential Service Enhancements

- Embedded compostables collection for all single-family customers, which supports the County's goal of 70% countywide recycling rate
- Additional storm debris collection to customers at no additional cost
- Minimum level of service for under \$10 for once per month garbage collection that provides a full suite of collection services



Commercial / Multifamily Service Enhancements

- Unlimited recycling
- Improved service: locks, no roll-out fees for container customers
- Rate reductions for most customers across many commercial container categories

Citywide Service Enhancements



- A Storefront where residents can pay bills in cash and recycle hard-to-recycle items
- A fleet of natural gas trucks that support sustainability
- 10-year contract to reduce rates

Citywide Services (con't)

- Mandatory Collection
 - Keep rates lower with larger customer base
 - Manage waste to conserve landfill space
 - Help achieve the County's and City's 70% recycling goal

Rates

Minimum Service

Current Contract

- 32-gallon cart \$5.93
monthly garbage collection,
every-other week recycling

2017 Contract

- 32-gallon cart \$9.56
monthly garbage collection,
every-other week recycling,
weekly compostables



Rates

Most Common Service

Current Contract

- 32-gallon cart \$28.07
weekly garbage collection,
every-other week recycling
and \$10.40 compostables
subscription

2017 Contract

- 32-gallon cart \$23.52
weekly garbage collection,
every-other week recycling,
weekly compostables



Rates (con't)

Current Contract

- 32-gallon cart \$17.67
weekly garbage collection,
every-other week recycling

2017 Contract

- 32-gallon cart \$23.52
weekly garbage collection,
every-other week recycling
and weekly compostables

Residents can keep rates low by recycling their food waste and decreasing the size of their garbage cart



Next Steps

- Approval of Contract
- Contract implementation
 - Collaborative City and Recology outreach to subscribers and non-subscribers
 - On-going for term of the contract

Next Steps (con't)

- Municipal code update for mandatory collection
 - Council discussion in June and adoption in July
 - Progressive and on-going enforcement

Questions?

