

March 24, 2020

One question in our January survey was "Would you consider a single trash service provider to achieve lower fees, reduce truck traffic/noise and additional services such as composting?" Forty (40) out of forty-one (41) homeowners answered "YES" to this question. We contacted four waste contractors and received proposals from Mountain Waste & Recycling (MWR) and Valley Waste Solutions (VWS). The Board of Directors is recommending MWR as the preferred waste collector. Although MWR's pricing is slightly higher than VWS, our recommendation is based on the following:

- Currently service over 50% of homes in Elk Run SFOA
- Management team with over 20 years of experience
- Large fleet of trucks
- A la cart service menu
- Online payment and automatic payment convenience
- Pick-up schedule published online
- Deliver recycling to facility in Denver https://alpinewaste.com/altogether-recycling/
- Each homeowner is billed directly on a quarterly basis
- Roll off dumpsters available for Spring or Fall clean-up

We are not requiring you to change waste collection contractors. However, we strongly urge you consider the benefits of reduced truck traffic and noise in our community.

If you are currently an MWR customer, you will need to contact their office to confirm that you are a member of the Elk Run SFOA in order to receive the new pricing. If you want to change from your current waste contractor to MWR, you will need to call both companies. The contact number for MWR is (970) 963-3435 and the email contact is: peggy.hanson@mountainwaste.com.

MRW Quarterly Pricing for Elk Run SFOA (4/1/2020 – 1/1/2020)

96 gallon TRASH container serviced once a week	\$78.00
Two 18 gallon RECYCLING containers serviced once a week	\$24.00
Total	\$102.00
64 gallon TRASH container serviced once a week	\$66.00
Two 18 gallon RECYCLING containers serviced once a week	\$24.00
Total	\$90.00
If requested, a 96 gallon RECYCLING container serviced once a week If requested, a 6 gallon COMPOST container serviced once a week	\$96.00 \$54.00

MWR will supply the standard 96 or 64 gallon trash and 2-18 gallon recycling containers at each location. MWR does not supply bear-resistant containers but will service them. TRASH and RECYLCLING is picked up every Monday and COMPOST every Tuesday.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter and if you have questions please contact us.