

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Environmental Resources

BOARD AGENDA # *B-10

Urgent

Routine

AGENDA DATE May 21, 2013

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

(Information Attached)

SUBJECT:

Approval to Set a Public Hearing on June 18, 2013, at 6:35 p.m., to Consider Adjustments to the Stanislaus County Franchise Maximum Rates for Solid Waste Collection Services

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Set a Public Hearing on June 18, 2013, at 6:35 p.m. to consider adjustments to the Stanislaus County franchise maximum rates for solid waste collection services.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Upon approval, increases to the solid waste collection service charges in the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County (Franchise Areas 1, 2, 3, and 4) will be effective July 1, 2013. Maximum rates for solid waste collection services in all Franchise Areas are proposed to increase for residential, commercial and drop box rates as follows: Bertolotti Disposal - Franchise Area 1: 1.54%; Gilton Solid Waste Management
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BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2013-253

On motion of Supervisor Withrow, Seconded by Supervisor O'Brien
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Withrow, Monteith and Chairman Chiesa

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: De Martini

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) Approved as recommended

2) Denied

3) Approved as amended

4) Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST:

Elizabeth A. King
ELIZABETH A. KING, Assistant Clerk

File No.

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FISCAL IMPACT (Continued):

- Franchise Area 2: 5.00%; Turlock Scavenger - Franchise Area 3: 6.64%; and Turlock Scavenger – Franchise Area 4: 0.19%. This increase in rates will result in approximately \$47,000 in additional revenue to the Department of Environmental Resources to oversee the franchise haulers and to implement the rate-setting process during Budget Year 2013-2014.

DISCUSSION:

The unincorporated portions of Stanislaus County are divided into four separate franchise refuse hauling areas (Franchise Areas), each of which contain a mix of residential, commercial, and drop box customers. These four Franchise Areas contain the following residential communities: Area 1 - Salida, Keyes, Crows Landing, Grayson, and Westley; Area 2: Knights Ferry and Valley Home; Area 3: Denair, Empire, Hickman, and La Grange; and Area 4: the unincorporated areas are primarily pockets within the City of Turlock (Attachment B). In exchange for a franchise fee, the hauler receives the exclusive right to the residential and commercial accounts within their respective area, while Stanislaus County retains the ability to regulate the haulers and set the maximum rates that can be charged. In addition, the Board of Supervisors also sets the franchise maximum haul rates for drop box customers.

In 2008, the Department of Environmental Resources (Department) staff worked with the consulting firm of Hilton, Farnkopf & Hobson (HF&H), LLC, and the franchise refuse collection companies to develop a new Rate Adjustment Process to determine solid waste collection rates (Base Rates). Costs related to curbside recycling and the bulky item program are included in the residential Base Rates.

On November 4, 2008, the Board adopted a new Refuse Rate Adjustment Process and approved the Base Rates, which set the maximum franchise rates for solid waste collection services in the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County beginning July 1, 2009. In addition, the Board approved a new methodology for the annual adjustment of these Base Rates. For four consecutive years, beginning with July 1, 2009, the Base Rates may be increased or decreased according to the appropriate consumer price index. Every fifth year, a detailed cost of service study will be repeated to determine new Base Rates, followed by another four years of index-based adjustments.

On June 30, 2009, the Board approved the first index-based adjustments in setting the maximum franchise rates for solid waste collection services for Fiscal Year 2009-2010. On August 11, 2009, the Board approved the award of Franchise Refuse Collection Area 3 to Turlock Scavenger Company, effective November 1, 2009. This award was the result of a competitive procurement that began in November 2008 for the Franchise Area formerly served by Waste Management. The respondents to the February 2009 Request for Proposals (RFP), were asked to bid total compensation requirements for the initial 31.8 months of the contract period. This excluded Turlock Scavenger Franchise Area 3 from the annual index based adjustments until year four of the

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contract. The Board approved the Turlock Scavenger Franchise Area 3 maximum rates for refuse collection on October 27, 2009, for the 31.8 month fixed rate contract period, following a public hearing.

In June for the next three consecutive years, or 2010, 2011, and 2012, the Board approved an index-based adjustment which included Franchise Area 3 in 2012. Going into the fifth year of the Refuse Rate Adjustment Process, new Base Rates are calculated. Rates are calculated after a detailed cost of service study is completed. The detailed review examines and determines the actual cost to provide service and uses these costs to set a new Base Rate. The examination process includes comparing reported expenses to those that are allowed and/or disallowed. Once the allowable costs are identified, they are compared to prior year costs and to industry averages for reasonableness. Industry averages include things such as the number of accounts per route, the labor hours per route, the gallons of fuel per operating hour, etc. The new Base Rates for the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County, if approved, will become effective on July 1, 2013.

New Base Rates

On September 25, 2012, the Department sent out a Request for Proposal (RFP) to three consulting firms to provide expert solid waste professional services for refuse rate adjustments in the four unincorporated franchise areas. HF&H consultants was again awarded the contract and entered into a professional service agreement on November 29, 2012.

Over the past several months, Department staff and HF&H consultants have reviewed the three Franchise companies' rate applications and financial statements. Department staff and HF&H consultants conducted meetings with all three Franchise collection companies to clarify, review, and request additional information not submitted in their application and financial statements.

HF&H consultants evaluated the information gathered from the meetings along with supplemental information provided by the franchise collection companies and submitted their findings and recommendations to the Department. Based on this information, in conjunction with the parameters in the Refuse Rate Adjustment Process, the Department has established the new Base Rates for the four franchise areas.

The Rate Adjustment Process limits an increase in compensation to 5% unless the Franchise Company can demonstrate a loss from projected operations. If such a loss is verified, the Base Rates will be adjusted per Rate Adjustment Process to allow the contractor a reasonable profit.

In the review of Turlock Scavenger Area 3, a loss from projected operations was substantiated. Given this, HF&H consultants calculated that an additional 1.64% was necessary to allow for a reasonable profit for Area 3. This brings the recommended increase for Area 3 to 6.64%. An additional increase of this nature is allowed in the

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Rate Adjustment Process. The review of Gilton Solid Waste Management Area 2 revealed a need for the maximum rate increase of 5%. Gilton's review did not reveal a loss from projected operations and, therefore, did not require additional compensation above the 5% limit. Bertolotti Disposal Area 1 review noted only a moderate increase in their cost of operations, therefore, a rate increase of 1.54% is recommended. Turlock Scavenger Area 4 review revealed a small increase in costs which necessitates a 0.19% increase. The new proposed Base Rates, which sets the maximum franchise service rates, are presented in Attachment A.

POLICY ISSUE:

The setting of a public hearing by the Board of Supervisors is required prior to adjusting the maximum rates for solid waste collection services. This action is consistent with the Board's priorities of A Safe Community, A Healthy Community, and A Well Planned Infrastructure System. Providing adequate funding for solid waste collection services is critical to supporting the Department's mission to promote a safe and healthy environment and improve the quality of life in Stanislaus County.

STAFFING IMPACTS:

The annual rate adjustment evaluations are handled through existing Department staff.

CONTACT PERSON:

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**PROPOSED MAXIMUM RESIDENTIAL BASE RATES INCLUDING CURBSIDE
RECYCLING AND BULKY ITEM PROGRAM**

BERTOLOTTI DISPOSAL - FRANCHISE AREA #1

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 can	\$16.21	\$16.46	1.54%
2 cans	\$23.62	\$23.98	1.54%
Add'l. can	\$11.81	\$11.99	1.54%
60 gal. cart	\$16.21	\$16.46	1.54%
90 gal. cart	\$23.62	\$23.98	1.54%
Add'l. cart	\$14.41	\$14.63	1.54%

GILTON SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT - FRANCHISE AREA #2

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 can	\$11.17	\$11.73	5.00%
2 cans	\$19.32	\$20.29	5.00%
Add'l. can	\$9.66	\$10.14	5.00%
30 gal. cart	\$13.44	\$14.11	5.00%
60 gal. cart	\$15.07	\$15.82	5.00%
90 gal. cart	\$19.32	\$20.29	5.00%
Add'l. cart	\$11.78	\$12.37	5.00%

TURLOCK SCAVENGER - FRANCHISE AREA #3

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 can	\$13.63	\$14.54	6.64%
2 cans	\$20.98	\$22.37	6.64%
Add'l. can	\$9.69	\$10.33	6.64%
60 gal. cart	\$13.63	\$14.54	6.64%
90 gal. cart	\$20.98	\$22.37	6.64%
Add'l. cart	\$13.63	\$14.54	6.64%

TURLOCK SCAVENGER - FRANCHISE AREA #4

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 can	\$15.60	\$15.63	0.19%
2 cans	\$22.32	\$22.36	0.19%
Add'l. can	\$11.16	\$11.18	0.19%
60 gal. cart	\$15.60	\$15.63	0.19%
90 gal. cart	\$22.32	\$22.36	0.19%
Add'l. cart	\$13.61	\$13.64	0.19%

PROPOSED MAXIMUM COMMERCIAL BIN RATES

BERTOLOTTI DISPOSAL - FRANCHISE AREA #1

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 yd., 1 X week	\$ 58.21	\$ 59.11	1.54%
1 yd., 2 X week	\$ 116.41	\$ 118.20	1.54%
1 yd., 3 X week	\$ 174.63	\$ 177.32	1.54%
1 yd., 4 X week	\$ 232.83	\$ 236.42	1.54%
1 yd., 5 X week	\$ 291.04	\$ 295.52	1.54%
1 yd., 6 X week	\$ 349.24	\$ 354.62	1.54%
1 yd., 7 X week	\$ 407.46	\$ 413.73	1.54%
1.5 yd., 1 X week	\$ 73.48	\$ 74.61	1.54%
1.5 yd., 2 X week	\$ 146.96	\$ 149.22	1.54%
1.5 yd., 3 X week	\$ 220.44	\$ 223.83	1.54%
1.5 yd., 4 X week	\$ 293.89	\$ 298.42	1.54%
1.5 yd., 5 X week	\$ 367.38	\$ 373.04	1.54%
1.5 yd., 6 X week	\$ 440.86	\$ 447.65	1.54%
1.5 yd., 7 X week	\$ 514.35	\$ 522.27	1.54%
2 yd., 1 X week	\$ 85.83	\$ 87.15	1.54%
2 yd., 2 X week	\$ 171.65	\$ 174.29	1.54%
2 yd., 3 X week	\$ 257.47	\$ 261.44	1.54%
2 yd., 4 X week	\$ 343.28	\$ 348.57	1.54%
2 yd., 5 X week	\$ 429.11	\$ 435.72	1.54%
2 yd., 6 X week	\$ 514.94	\$ 522.87	1.54%
2 yd., 7 X week	\$ 600.74	\$ 609.99	1.54%
3 yd., 1 X week	\$ 100.81	\$ 102.36	1.54%
3 yd., 2 X week	\$ 201.63	\$ 204.74	1.54%
3 yd., 3 X week	\$ 302.42	\$ 307.08	1.54%
3 yd., 4 X week	\$ 403.24	\$ 409.45	1.54%
3 yd., 5 X week	\$ 504.05	\$ 511.81	1.54%
3 yd., 6 X week	\$ 604.86	\$ 614.17	1.54%
3 yd., 7 X week	\$ 705.68	\$ 716.55	1.54%
4 yd., 1 X week	\$ 124.98	\$ 126.90	1.54%
4 yd., 2 X week	\$ 249.94	\$ 253.79	1.54%
4 yd., 3 X week	\$ 374.91	\$ 380.68	1.54%
4 yd., 4 X week	\$ 499.88	\$ 507.58	1.54%
4 yd., 5 X week	\$ 624.86	\$ 634.48	1.54%
4 yd., 6 X week	\$ 749.82	\$ 761.37	1.54%
4 yd., 7 X week	\$ 874.81	\$ 888.28	1.54%
6 yd., 1 X week	\$ 173.29	\$ 175.96	1.54%
6 yd., 2 X week	\$ 346.58	\$ 351.92	1.54%
6 yd., 3 X week	\$ 519.87	\$ 527.88	1.54%
6 yd., 4 X week	\$ 693.16	\$ 703.83	1.54%
6 yd., 5 X week	\$ 866.45	\$ 879.79	1.54%
6 yd., 6 X week	\$ 1,039.74	\$ 1,055.75	1.54%
6 yd., 7 X week	\$ 1,213.03	\$ 1,231.71	1.54%

PROPOSED MAXIMUM COMMERCIAL BIN RATES

GILTON SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT - FRANCHISE AREA #2

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 yd., 1 X week	\$ 64.49	\$ 67.71	5.00%
1 yd., 2 X week	\$ 129.00	\$ 135.45	5.00%
1 yd., 3 X week	\$ 193.49	\$ 203.16	5.00%
1 yd., 4 X week	\$ 257.99	\$ 270.89	5.00%
1 yd., 5 X week	\$ 322.48	\$ 338.60	5.00%
1 yd., 6 X week	\$ 386.97	\$ 406.32	5.00%
1 yd., 7 X week	\$ 451.47	\$ 474.04	5.00%
1.5 yd., 1 X week	\$ 73.19	\$ 76.85	5.00%
1.5 yd., 2 X week	\$ 146.40	\$ 153.72	5.00%
1.5 yd., 3 X week	\$ 219.59	\$ 230.57	5.00%
1.5 yd., 4 X week	\$ 292.76	\$ 307.40	5.00%
1.5 yd., 5 X week	\$ 365.97	\$ 384.27	5.00%
1.5 yd., 6 X week	\$ 439.16	\$ 461.12	5.00%
1.5 yd., 7 X week	\$ 512.36	\$ 537.98	5.00%
2 yd., 1 X week	\$ 80.08	\$ 84.08	5.00%
2 yd., 2 X week	\$ 160.17	\$ 168.18	5.00%
2 yd., 3 X week	\$ 240.25	\$ 252.26	5.00%
2 yd., 4 X week	\$ 320.33	\$ 336.35	5.00%
2 yd., 5 X week	\$ 400.44	\$ 420.46	5.00%
2 yd., 6 X week	\$ 480.51	\$ 504.54	5.00%
2 yd., 7 X week	\$ 560.59	\$ 588.62	5.00%
3 yd., 1 X week	\$ 84.19	\$ 88.40	5.00%
3 yd., 2 X week	\$ 168.36	\$ 176.78	5.00%
3 yd., 3 X week	\$ 252.56	\$ 265.19	5.00%
3 yd., 4 X week	\$ 336.75	\$ 353.59	5.00%
3 yd., 5 X week	\$ 420.94	\$ 441.99	5.00%
3 yd., 6 X week	\$ 505.11	\$ 530.37	5.00%
3 yd., 7 X week	\$ 589.32	\$ 618.79	5.00%
4 yd., 1 X week	\$ 93.02	\$ 97.67	5.00%
4 yd., 2 X week	\$ 186.01	\$ 195.31	5.00%
4 yd., 3 X week	\$ 279.04	\$ 292.99	5.00%
4 yd., 4 X week	\$ 372.07	\$ 390.67	5.00%
4 yd., 5 X week	\$ 465.06	\$ 488.31	5.00%
4 yd., 6 X week	\$ 558.08	\$ 585.98	5.00%
4 yd., 7 X week	\$ 651.10	\$ 683.66	5.00%
6 yd., 1 X week	\$ 112.47	\$ 118.09	5.00%
6 yd., 2 X week	\$ 224.89	\$ 236.13	5.00%
6 yd., 3 X week	\$ 337.36	\$ 354.23	5.00%
6 yd., 4 X week	\$ 449.81	\$ 472.30	5.00%
6 yd., 5 X week	\$ 562.26	\$ 590.37	5.00%
6 yd., 6 X week	\$ 674.70	\$ 708.44	5.00%
6 yd., 7 X week	\$ 787.17	\$ 826.53	5.00%

PROPOSED MAXIMUM COMMERCIAL BIN RATES

TURLOCK SCAVENGER - FRANCHISE AREA #3

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 yd., 1 X week	\$ 51.88	\$ 55.32	6.64%
1 yd., 2 X week	\$ 103.75	\$ 110.64	6.64%
1 yd., 3 X week	\$ 155.61	\$ 165.94	6.64%
1 yd., 4 X week	\$ 207.47	\$ 221.25	6.64%
1 yd., 5 X week	\$ 259.35	\$ 276.57	6.64%
1 yd., 6 X week	\$ 311.23	\$ 331.90	6.64%
1 yd., 7 X week	\$ 363.10	\$ 387.21	6.64%
1.5 yd., 1 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
1.5 yd., 2 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
1.5 yd., 3 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
1.5 yd., 4 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
1.5 yd., 5 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
1.5 yd., 6 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
1.5 yd., 7 X week	\$ -	\$ -	6.64%
2 yd., 1 X week	\$ 66.51	\$ 70.93	6.64%
2 yd., 2 X week	\$ 132.97	\$ 141.80	6.64%
2 yd., 3 X week	\$ 199.47	\$ 212.71	6.64%
2 yd., 4 X week	\$ 265.96	\$ 283.62	6.64%
2 yd., 5 X week	\$ 332.46	\$ 354.54	6.64%
2 yd., 6 X week	\$ 398.95	\$ 425.44	6.64%
2 yd., 7 X week	\$ 465.43	\$ 496.33	6.64%
3 yd., 1 X week	\$ 74.91	\$ 79.88	6.64%
3 yd., 2 X week	\$ 149.77	\$ 159.71	6.64%
3 yd., 3 X week	\$ 224.67	\$ 239.59	6.64%
3 yd., 4 X week	\$ 299.55	\$ 319.44	6.64%
3 yd., 5 X week	\$ 374.48	\$ 399.35	6.64%
3 yd., 6 X week	\$ 449.35	\$ 479.19	6.64%
3 yd., 7 X week	\$ 524.25	\$ 559.06	6.64%
4 yd., 1 X week	\$ 82.26	\$ 87.72	6.64%
4 yd., 2 X week	\$ 164.53	\$ 175.45	6.64%
4 yd., 3 X week	\$ 246.77	\$ 263.16	6.64%
4 yd., 4 X week	\$ 328.77	\$ 350.60	6.64%
4 yd., 5 X week	\$ 411.29	\$ 438.60	6.64%
4 yd., 6 X week	\$ 493.55	\$ 526.32	6.64%
4 yd., 7 X week	\$ 575.80	\$ 614.03	6.64%
6 yd., 1 X week	\$ 88.70	\$ 94.59	6.64%
6 yd., 2 X week	\$ 177.40	\$ 189.18	6.64%
6 yd., 3 X week	\$ 266.10	\$ 283.77	6.64%
6 yd., 4 X week	\$ 354.77	\$ 378.33	6.64%
6 yd., 5 X week	\$ 443.48	\$ 472.93	6.64%
6 yd., 6 X week	\$ 532.17	\$ 567.51	6.64%
6 yd., 7 X week	\$ 620.88	\$ 662.11	6.64%

PROPOSED MAXIMUM COMMERCIAL BIN RATES

TURLOCK SCAVENGER - FRANCHISE AREA #4

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
1 yd., 1 X week	\$ 58.82	\$ 58.93	0.19%
1 yd., 2 X week	\$ 117.65	\$ 117.87	0.19%
1 yd., 3 X week	\$ 176.46	\$ 176.80	0.19%
1 yd., 4 X week	\$ 235.27	\$ 235.72	0.19%
1 yd., 5 X week	\$ 294.10	\$ 294.66	0.19%
1 yd., 6 X week	\$ 352.92	\$ 353.59	0.19%
1 yd., 7 X week	\$ 411.73	\$ 412.51	0.19%
1.5 yd., 1 X week	\$ 76.95	\$ 77.10	0.19%
1.5 yd., 2 X week	\$ 153.89	\$ 154.18	0.19%
1.5 yd., 3 X week	\$ 230.87	\$ 231.31	0.19%
1.5 yd., 4 X week	\$ 307.82	\$ 308.40	0.19%
1.5 yd., 5 X week	\$ 384.76	\$ 385.49	0.19%
1.5 yd., 6 X week	\$ 461.71	\$ 462.59	0.19%
1.5 yd., 7 X week	\$ 538.67	\$ 539.69	0.19%
2 yd., 1 X week	\$ 78.88	\$ 79.03	0.19%
2 yd., 2 X week	\$ 157.72	\$ 158.02	0.19%
2 yd., 3 X week	\$ 236.61	\$ 237.06	0.19%
2 yd., 4 X week	\$ 315.46	\$ 316.06	0.19%
2 yd., 5 X week	\$ 394.34	\$ 395.09	0.19%
2 yd., 6 X week	\$ 473.19	\$ 474.09	0.19%
2 yd., 7 X week	\$ 552.07	\$ 553.12	0.19%
3 yd., 1 X week	\$ 83.66	\$ 83.82	0.19%
3 yd., 2 X week	\$ 167.31	\$ 167.63	0.19%
3 yd., 3 X week	\$ 250.97	\$ 251.45	0.19%
3 yd., 4 X week	\$ 334.61	\$ 335.25	0.19%
3 yd., 5 X week	\$ 418.27	\$ 419.06	0.19%
3 yd., 6 X week	\$ 501.92	\$ 502.87	0.19%
3 yd., 7 X week	\$ 585.57	\$ 586.68	0.19%
4 yd., 1 X week	\$ 101.03	\$ 101.22	0.19%
4 yd., 2 X week	\$ 202.04	\$ 202.42	0.19%
4 yd., 3 X week	\$ 303.07	\$ 303.65	0.19%
4 yd., 4 X week	\$ 404.10	\$ 404.87	0.19%
4 yd., 5 X week	\$ 505.14	\$ 506.10	0.19%
4 yd., 6 X week	\$ 606.16	\$ 607.31	0.19%
4 yd., 7 X week	\$ 707.19	\$ 708.53	0.19%
6 yd., 1 X week	\$ 129.82	\$ 130.07	0.19%
6 yd., 2 X week	\$ 259.64	\$ 260.13	0.19%
6 yd., 3 X week	\$ 389.46	\$ 390.20	0.19%
6 yd., 4 X week	\$ 519.28	\$ 520.27	0.19%
6 yd., 5 X week	\$ 649.10	\$ 650.33	0.19%
6 yd., 6 X week	\$ 778.93	\$ 780.41	0.19%
6 yd., 7 X week	\$ 908.75	\$ 910.48	0.19%

PROPOSED MAXIMUM DROP-BOX HAUL CHARGES

BERTOLOTTI DISPOSAL - FRANCHISE AREA #1

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
10 - 19 yrd.	\$ 154.76	\$ 157.14	1.54%
20 - 29 yrd.	\$ 204.24	\$ 207.39	1.54%
30 yrd. & up	\$ 242.14	\$ 245.87	1.54%

GILTON SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT - FRANCHISE AREA #2

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
10 - 19 yrd.	\$ 155.85	\$ 163.64	5.00%
20 - 29 yrd.	\$ 204.04	\$ 214.24	5.00%
30 yrd. & up	\$ 241.97	\$ 254.07	5.00%

TURLOCK SCAVENGER - FRANCHISE AREA #3

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
10 - 19 yrd.	\$ 185.25	\$ 197.55	6.64%
20 - 29 yrd.	\$ 185.25	\$ 197.55	6.64%
30 yrd. & up	\$ 185.25	\$ 197.55	6.64%

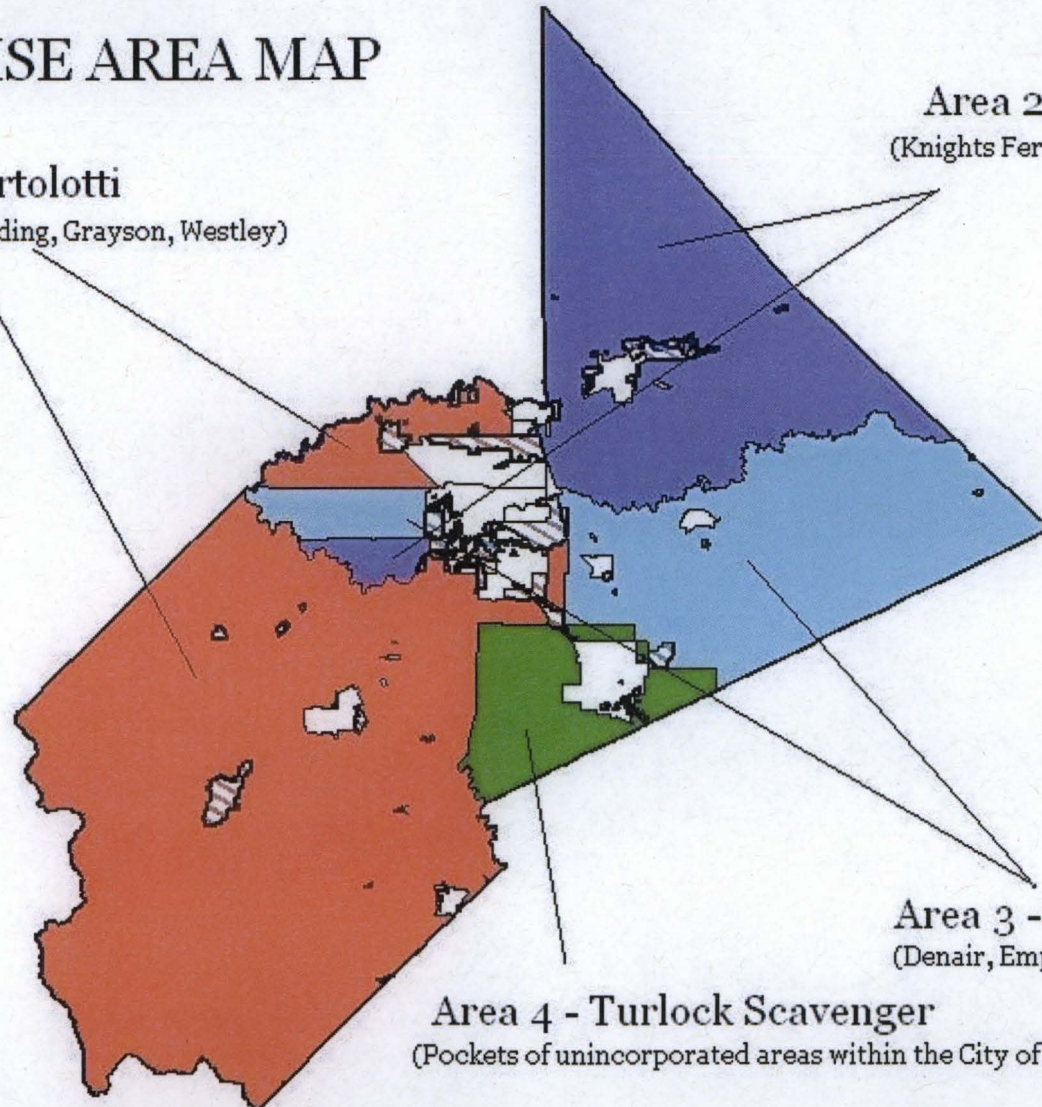
TURLOCK SCAVENGER - FRANCHISE AREA #4

Service	Current Rate ('12-'13)	Proposed Base Rates ('13-'14)	Net Change (Current vs. Proposed)
10 - 19 yrd.	\$ 148.49	\$ 148.77	0.19%
20 - 29 yrd.	\$ 195.16	\$ 195.53	0.19%
30 yrd. & up	\$ 231.22	\$ 231.66	0.19%

FRANCHISE AREA MAP

Area 1 - Bertolotti
(Salida, Keyes, Crows Landing, Grayson, Westley)

Area 2 - Gilton
(Knights Ferry, Valley Home)



Area 3 - Turlock Scavenger
(Denair, Empire, Hickman, La Grange)

Area 4 - Turlock Scavenger
(Pockets of unincorporated areas within the City of Turlock)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on June 18, 2013, at the hour of 6:35 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors will conduct a public hearing in the basement Chambers, Lower Level, 1010 Tenth Street, Modesto, CA, to consider adjustments for the Stanislaus County Franchise Garbage Companies: Bertolotti Disposal, Gilton Solid Waste Management and Turlock Scavenger. Included in the proposed residential rates below is a \$0.55 per month charge for the Bulky-Item Curbside Collection Program in the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County. These rate adjustments are applicable to properties in the unincorporated areas only, and do not apply to properties within any of the incorporated cities. A recommendation will be made that these adjustments be effective July 1, 2013, pursuant to the following:

RESIDENTIAL RATES

Bertolotti Disposal

1 can - \$16.46	2 cans - \$23.98
Add'l can - \$11.99	60 gal - \$16.46
90 gal - \$ 23.98	Add'l 90 gal - \$14.63

Gilton Solid Waste Management

1 can - \$11.73	2 cans - \$20.29
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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk of
the Board of Supervisors of the County of Stanislaus,
State of California

Date: 5/21/2013

By: 
Elizabeth King, Assistant Clerk of the Board

**DECLARATION OF PUBLICATION
(C.C.P. S2015.5)**

**COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the County aforesaid; I am over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to or interested in the above entitled matter. I am a printer and principal clerk of the publisher of **THE MODESTO BEE**, which has been adjudged a newspaper of general circulation by the Superior Court of the County of STANISLAUS, State of California, under the date of February 25, 1951, Action No. 46453. The notice of which the annexed is a printed copy has been published in each issue thereof on the following dates, to wit:

JUNE 7, 13, 2013

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed at **MODESTO, California** on

JUNE 13, 2013

Marilyn Gonzalez

(Signature)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Dated: May 21, 2013.

ATTEST: *Christina Ferraro Tallman*, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Stanislaus, State of California.
By: *Elizabeth King*, Asst Clerk of the Board
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