

From: Alexandra Hernandez <alexandrahernandez47@yahoo.com>

Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 10:24 AM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Trash Rate Increase

Alexandra Barragan-Hernandez
2751 Cridge Street
Riverside, Ca 92507

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate hike by City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2003. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from \$23.68 to \$26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8.00 increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except to PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents.

Alexandra Barragan-Hernandez
08/04/2020

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
DCM
PW Director

From: Alex & Christy Jansen-Gilbert <acjansengilbert@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 4:12 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest to Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increases

Hello,

I, Alexandria Gloria Gilbert, am writing to submit a formal protest to the proposed solid waste rate increases for Riverside city in California. I represent the utility service address, 8620 Camelia Dr., Riverside, CA 92504.

This protest is related to the proposed trash rate increases as per the notice of public hearing sent out by the city of Riverside.

Thank you,
Alexandria Gilbert &
Christy Jansen

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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From: Anaily Monteon <anaily_m@yahoo.com>

Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 3:50 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Protest related to the proposed trash rate increases

Protest related to the proposed trash rate increases
Trash Rate Increase 2020-2024

Anaily Gonzalez
4236 Beatty Drive Riverside Ca 92506

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate increase by the City of Riverside. In these difficult times where residents are trying to make ends meet any increase really does affect families and puts even more stress on us. It really isn't the time right now, I am opposed and hope that the City of Riverside is more understanding and aware of the difficult times its residents are living in and keeps the rates the same.

Sincerely,

Anaily Gonzalez

Sent from my iPad

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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DCM
PW Director

August 5, 2020

City of Riverside – Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increases

To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter as notice that I am opposite to the waste rate increase on many levels.

It does not make good sense to have rate increase especially during the COVID-19 crisis this would create another financial hardship for families, especially those with fixed or low income. Many people are already struggling during the coronavirus pandemic, having been furloughed from jobs or their businesses forced to close, others having lost their retirement saving in the stock market.

Consider the climate, the timing couldn't be worse and this is not the year to do this due to the Covid-19 many of us have lost our jobs while others have had pay decreases. People are suffering due to loss of love ones and even the main house hold earning.

On a personal level I am a single widow and sole supporter of self. My utilities services and other services have been going up seems every other year and soon to be beyond my retirement benefits. I am on a fixed income and my home is not yet paid off therefore I am very concern with any increase rates of any type.

Please look at other ways of balancing your budget, consider thinking outside of the box instead of simply relying on rate increase.

Sincerely,
Angelina Mendoza
2595 Falling Oak Dr.
Riverside, CA 92506

cc: Mayor
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PW Director

From: Isa G <izzie714@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 10:59 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Water increase rate

Arnulfo Ledesma
4061 Ottawa Ave. Riverside CA 92507

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate hike by City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from \$23.68 to \$26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8.00 increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents.

Arnulfo Ledesma 08/05/2020

cc: Mayor
City Council
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From: GEPEDO MITCHELL <gepedo@sbcglobal.net>

Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 4:59 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Re: Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increases

Really?!? Everyone is losing their job and you propose a rate increase? You should be tightening your budget and actually propose a rate decrease.

Brian Mitchell
19136 Vintage Woods Drive
Riverside CA 92508

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: CARL DUBMLAND

Address of property: 9391 CALIF. AVE. SPANES 75

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Signature Carl Dubmland Date 7/2/2020

Mail to: Riverside City Clerk Colleen J. Nicol at City Hall

3900 Main St.

Riverside, CA 92522

Via email: City_Clerk@RiversideCa.gov

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AND DON'T THROW AWAY MUCH.

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To whom it may concern

I am Protesting The Trash Rate Hike, I think
it is Wrong of The Increase. Thank You

Chris A. Salgado
3598 Gettysburg Dr.
Riverside CA 92503-5010

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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Christopher J. Todar
3908 Aden Way
Riverside, CA. 92504
Home: 951-687-7501
Cell: 951-373-9554

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August 5, 2020

Riverside City Clerk
Colleen J. Nicol
Riverside City Hall
3900 Main Street
Riverside, CA. 92522

Dear City Clerk:

I am writing to inform you that I am OPPOSED to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate hike by City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased since 2013.

In 2019, the rate jumped from \$23.68 to \$26.85 (13.3%) for residential service. Now, the city is asking for a \$4.07 (15.2%) increase on October 1, 2020, and an approximate 3% increase each of the following four years.

The City had an opportunity to out-source trash services which would have saved the residents money, but the City Council chose to retain the service which was CLEARLY not in the best interest of a city facing a huge deficit. So now, during a Pandemic and an economy with millions of unemployed citizens, the City of Riverside is asking for more money from us.

My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents.

Sincerely,



Christopher J. Todar

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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From: footprts@charter.net <footprts@charter.net>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 3:56 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increase

Please do no increase our trash bill. This is not the time to do this.

Darcy Ankrom
3124 Saratoga St
Riverside 92503
951-396-1211

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
DCM
PW Director

From: Debbie <dbarber4759@netscape.net>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 5:50 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Solid Waste Rate Increase

Please do not raise our solid waste rates! We pay too much already.
Thank you!
Debbie Barber
2962 Butterfield Road
92503

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
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From: Deborah Burke <deborahburkere@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 2:31 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] proposed solid waste rate increase

To: City Council of Riverside

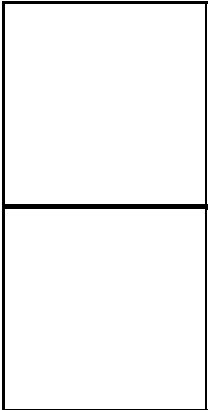
I strongly oppose this action at this time! Our state is NOT open, residents are NOT able to work, and are financially suffering! We have elected you to represent OUR interest;s and insist you do your job NO INCREASES UNTIL WE ARE FULLY OPEN AND HAVE HAD TIME TO FINANCIALLY RECOVER!!!

Deborah Burke
4036 Adams St
Riverside, Ca 92504

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Deborah Burke
Realtor DRE# 02001193
Berkshire Hathaway Home Services California Realty
6349 Riverside Ave
Riverside, Ca. 92506
Phone (951) 824-0673
Email deborahburkere@gmail.com

cc: Mayor
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Delia Todar
3908 Aden Way
Riverside, CA. 92504
Home: 951-687-7501
Cell: 951-329-0210

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August 5, 2020

Riverside City Clerk
Colleen J. Nicol
Riverside City Hall
3900 Main Street
Riverside, CA. 92522

Dear City Clerk:

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My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except **PROTEST** their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents.

Sincerely,



Delia M. Todar
cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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From: Duchess Castillo <duchesscastillo@yahoo.com>

Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 6:15 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Solid waste increase

My name is a Duchess Castillo and our address is 11389 Lakeport Drive, Riverside 92505.

We are both retired and we are protesting the big increase in our solid waste. Being on a fix income will really be too much on our already budgeted monthly expenses.

Thank you

Sent from my iPad

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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From: evie anguiano <evie_anguiano@yahoo.com>

Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 7:00:19 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Raising Disposal Fees

To Whom It May Concern,

I find it very discerning that you choose to increase our disposal fees during a worldwide pandemic. I thought this city had a heart. People are struggling at this time with no jobs, no schools, no churches, closed businesses, and you want to raise disposal fees. Why doesn't your office cut the fat and decrease your budget to help the citizens of this community. There is so much waste in government. Shame on you !!!

I have lived in Riverside for 5 years and I love this City but if you decide to raise our fees we will cancel our trash collection and go to the dump every other week for \$14 which is far cheaper than what we currently pay. We are retired and on a fixed income. This greatly effects how we live.

Evie Anguiano
14200 Rock Place
Riverside, California
92503

cc: Mayor
City Council
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From: J Allen Morton <allen@go2media.online>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 3:07 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Solid Waste Rate

I would like to oppose the solid waste increase, Thank you.

2735 Brockton Ave
92501 Riverside, Ca

cc: Mayor
City Council
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: Janet & Martin Squires

Address of property: 9391 California Ave space #9

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate increases by the City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from 23.68 to 26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8. Increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for services except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel it is unfair to city residents.

Signature Janet E. Squires Date 8-3-20

Mail to: Riverside City Clerk Colleen J. Nicol at City Hall

3900 Main St.

Riverside, CA 92522

Via email: City_Clerk@RiversideCa.gov

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-----Original Message-----

From: Jeff Goldstein <jeffreydennisgoldstein@yahoo.com>

Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 6:01 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increases

Dear Ms. Nicol:

We oppose any increase in our solid waste rates.

Jeff Goldstein
2772 Moorgate Place
Riverside 92596

Sent from my iPhone

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
DCM
PW Director

From: jenal2@hotmail.com <jenal2@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 5:31 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest of solid waste rate increase

I , Jennifer Nord-Macias am currently receiving city trash services subcontracted through Burtech at my residence 19944 Krameria ave , Riverside 92508. I am writing to formally protest the proposed rate hikes for soiled waste.

Sent from my iPhone

cc: Mayor
City Council
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From: Joan Perez <amijoan1@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 11:58 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Proposed Solid Waste Increase

Dear Members of Riverside City Council ~

I've received and read the Notice of Public Hearing regarding this proposed price hike. Because my initial reaction was X-rated I have waited before responding.

Now my only question is ~ "Are y'all serious?" I do not disagree that there may be a need for an increase, but it is pretty clear to me that the timing is simply not the best. We have people out of work, others have been furloughed and are working less hours. We have people who have been ill due this virus and have missed work and additionally have what are likely unexpected medical costs. We have parents who are working less because there are few, if any, child care options for them; staying home means less money. Many have already used up vacation and/or sick days.

Additionally, while the letter only states the rate increase, there are still other taxes and charges to be added on to this increase.

For many residents, even a small increase, AT THIS TIME, will be a burden.

I ask the City Council to vote NO on the rate increase.

Sincerely,
Joan Perez

cc: Mayor
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John W. Shouse
7027 Orozco Drive
Riverside, California 92506
August 6, 2020

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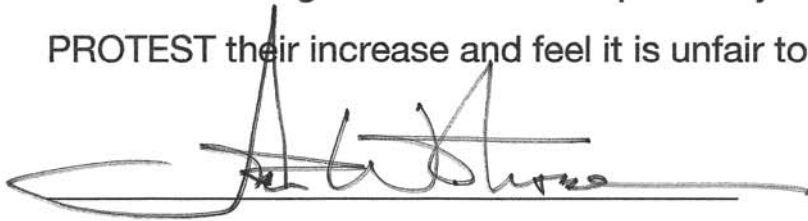
Witten Protest Letter for Trash Rate Increase - 2020-2024

Name: John W. Shouse

Address of Property: 7027 Orozco Drive, Riverside, CA 92506

We moved to the city of Riverside to retire in January of 2019 and our City Services portion of our Utility bill has risen substantially in this past year. Our beginning bill for City Services in January 2019 was \$87.86 and this month it was \$107.39.

Our Trash rate has doubled from \$15.61 to \$32.09 in just one year. I can do nothing about the fees imposed by the city for services but PROTEST their increase and feel it is unfair to retirees and city residents.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John W. Shouse', written over a horizontal line.

Signed: John W. Shouse

Date: August 6, 2020

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: Kathleen Powell

Address of property: 9391 Colby Ave. Sp. 116 Rio Ca. 92503

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Signature Kathleen Powell Date 8-5-2020

cc: Mayor
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Kathleen Schulz

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City Clerk's Office

4492 11th Street, Riverside CA 92501

951-682-1743

Katnet384@gmail.com

August 3, 2020

RE: Written Protest for Trash Rate Increase - 2020-2024

Colleen J. Nicol
Riverside City Clerk
3900 Main Street
Riverside, CA 92522

Dear City Council,

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate hike by City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2015. In 2015 the rate was \$22.76. this rate has increased every year and my July 2020 Trash rate is now at \$26.85 for my residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8.00 increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. In 2015 I was paying \$79.35 for total charges for city services. My July 2020 bill shows that I am now paying \$89.71. We are a retired couple on fixed incomes and these increases are a hardship for us to bear. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except PROTEST their increase!

Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents.

Sincerely yours,
Kathleen Schulz
4492 11th Street
Riverside CA 92501

Signature

Kathleen Schulz

Date

Aug. 3, 2020

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
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PW Director

From: Laura Misi <lgr1225@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 10:04 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest to the proposed solid waste rate increase

Utility Service address: 4853 Doane Ave, Riverside ca 92505

I am against the proposed rate increase. We already pay high rates that are added on to our bill, we are yet to get sidewalks in our neighborhoods, therefore the street sweeper never comes by our streets, there is a ridiculous amount of cables hanging that pose danger all around our houses. The money that is paid can't even get put to good use as it is, and do underground cabling. Maybe if we had seen some work done around our neighborhoods with all the fees we get charged it would have been okay but there's nothing to show for so far so no, we are against the rate increase.

-Laura & Roman Misi

cc: Mayor
City Council
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-----Original Message-----

From: louis corral <yvonnemelou03@gmail.com>

Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 5:19 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Trash Increase

To whom it may concern,

My name is Louis Corral, I just moved in to the county a year ago, I'm originally from the Orange County area. The trash services here are bad, we were able to contact the trash service in the OC every month for bulk pick/up, not like here in Riverside twice annually. I think the city should look for other alternatives in looking for a new company to pick up the trash.

Thank You

Louis Corral

Sent from my iPhone

cc: Mayor
City Council
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: LOUISE M. CLAY

Address of property: 9391 California Ave, Spc 59, Riverside
CA 92503

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Signature Louise Clay Date 08/05/2020

Mail to: Riverside City Clerk Colleen J. Nicol at City Hall

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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: Margo Hepler

Address of property: 9391 California Ave Spc 89
Riverside CA, 92503

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Signature Margo Hepler Date 8-6-20

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Margret J Hogeland

5860 Mountain View Ave.

Riverside, CA 92504

margrethogeland@icloud.com

8/5/2020

Riverside City Clerk

City Hall

3900 Main Street

Riverside ,CA 92522

Honorable City Council Members,

I am writing in protest of the rate increase for residential and commercial trash rates. We are in a pandemic. A LOT of people are out of work and are barely able to make ends meet. People are getting food assistance just to be able to feed their family and many times that doesn't cover it. The largest part of our utility bill is for trash pick up. We often only put our cans out every couple of weeks but we are charged every week. A lot of businesses are going out of business or are barely making it. Business is taking great loses. You are trying to get blood out of turnips here. It seems EXTREMELY bad timing and ruthless to make increases until the economy is back on its feet and most people are working and business is in recovery. The trash company has kept working and making their money. Wait for any increases until we have all recovered. Look around you, maybe you are working and have savings to get you through. The majority of our Riverside residents are not so lucky. You know most people will not respond by writing letters or emails or going to your meeting. Do not make it dependent on how many people respond negatively. Use your brains and do what is right. You talk about recycling, we know most of the recycle trash is not recycled. Maybe you should do away with that if you want to save money. It is already costing businesses more because of the restrictions and rules you have put on them. Our economy is not just in trouble, it is dying from COVID-19. Dictator in Chief Newsom is determined to kill our economy and Dr Kaiser is the county dictator that is keeping people and businesses from recovering. Please do not institute increases until everyone in California is back on our feet and the businesses that are able to recover, which I think will probably be only around 50%, are in recovery. If it wasn't done before this year then you can put it off another year or 2.


Margret J Hogeland

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
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PW Director

From: maria arevalos <mariajarevalos@yahoo.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 9:28 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Proposed trash rate increase protest

Hello,

The reason for this email is to protest the proposed trash rate increase. Please do not increase my trash bill. My name is Maria Arevalos and I live at 3242 Racine Dr. Riverside Ca 92503.

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cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
DCM
PW Director

From: Rebecca Vazquez <rebeccavazquez97@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 8:18 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Proposed rate increase: Trash

I write to you today to protest against the proposed trash rate increase that I was informed of through a letter of Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increases. I understand that there will be a Public Hearing on September 15, 2020 at 1pm or 6:15 p.m. a virtual and/or in person public hearing will be held. I also understand that if written protests against the proposed trash rate Increase are presented by a majority of owners or ratepayers subject to the increase, the City of Riverside shall not impose the increase.

I, Maria Vazquez Riverside resident located at the utility address noted below hereby protest the proposed rate increase on trash services.

Utility address: 7450 Northrop dr apt 270, Riverside Ca 92508

Consider this letter my formal written protest against the proposed trash rate increase.

Maria Vazquez
08/04/2020

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
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PW Director

From: mentatgom@aim.com <mentatgom@aim.com>

Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 10:15 AM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increase

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Address: 3156 Del Sol Pointe, Riverside, CA 92503

Names: Maritte and Brian Green

Statement: We are against the proposed solid waste rate increase.

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
ACMs
DCM
PW Director

From: marlin brandt <marlin.brandt@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 10:00 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Cc: Fierro, Ronaldo <RFierro@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest - Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increase

I am against this increase in tax. I feel we are already charged enough for services I receive. I have a high concern that some of this proposed increase is to cover for the lack of China purchasing our recycle trash.

thank you
Marlin Brandt
1744 Crystal Ridge Court
Riverside Ca 92506

cc: Mayor
City Council
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: Mary Lou Mansker

Address of property: 9391 Calif. Ave., Space 111

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate increases by the City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from 23.68 to 26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8. Increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for services except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel it is unfair to city residents.

Signature Mary Lou Mansker Date Aug. 4, 2020

Mail to: Riverside City Clerk Colleen J. Nicol at City Hall

3900 Main St.

Riverside, CA 92522

Via email: City_Clerk@RiversideCa.gov

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From: Mei-Chu Chang <mcc@math.ucr.edu>

Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 12:15 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Letter of Opposition to Trash Rate Increase Template

Name Mei-Chu Chang Address of Property 182 Deborah Ct, Riverside, CA 92507 I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate hike by City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from \$23.68 to \$26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8.00 increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents. Signature Mei-Chu Chang Date 8/6/2020

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: PATRICIA LUC CLARK

Address of property: 9391 CALIFORNIA #56

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate increases by the City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from 23.68 to 26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8. Increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for services except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel it is unfair to city residents.

Signature Patricia Luc Clark Date 8/7/2020

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From: Patrick Brien <pbrien@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 5:31 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest Proposed Trash Increases

Hello,

My name is Patrick Brien. I am writing in regard to service address 3660 Linwood Place, Riverside 92506. I strongly oppose the proposed waste rate increase.

I must also add that I strongly oppose the process by which this is being handled. A majority wins process wherein a person needs to be aware and needs to follow instructions guarantees that the rate increase will go forward. We live in a community where less than twenty percent of registered voters bother to vote. This is an unfair process.

Thank you for your time.

Patrick Brien

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
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From: bert she <sherrill4god@yahoo.com>

Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 9:25 AM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Protest related to proposed trash rate increase

I Roberta Sherrill protest the proposed trash rate increase. I own and reside at the following utility service address; 5168 Telefair way Riverside, Ca 92506.
Assessor's parcel # 222143004-8

cc: Mayor
City Council
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: Ron Marino

Address of property: 9391 California Ave sp# 42
Riverside Ca. 92503

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate increases by the City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from 23.68 to 26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8. Increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for services except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel it is unfair to city residents.

Signature Ron Marino Date 8/4/20

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Ronald G. Todar
3908 Aden Way
Riverside, CA. 92504
Home: 951-687-7501
Cell: 951-329-0422

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August 5, 2020

Riverside City Clerk
Colleen J. Nicol
Riverside City Hall
3900 Main Street
Riverside, CA. 92522

Dear City Clerk:

I am writing to inform you that I am OPPOSED to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate hike by City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased since 2013.

In 2019, the rate jumped from \$23.68 to \$26.85 (13.3%) for residential service. Now, the city is asking for a \$4.07 (15.2%) increase on October 1, 2020, and an approximate 3% increase each of the following four years.

The City had an opportunity to out-source trash services which would have saved the residents money, but the City Council chose to retain the service which was CLEARLY not in the best interest of a city facing a huge deficit. So now, during a Pandemic and an economy with millions of unemployed citizens, the City of Riverside is asking for more money from us.

My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electrical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for service except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel additional charges are unfair to city residents.

Sincerely,



Ronald G. Todar

cc: Mayor
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It is obvious that the nearly 15% increase
in Solid Waste Rate is (not acceptable) under
any conditions. Is not acceptable.
I protest this proposed increase.

Assessment Number 149170048-6



Judicial
Watch
Because no one
is above the law

Mr. R. L. Winningham
11147 Breiner Ct.
Riverside, CA 92505-2309

Best Regards,
R. L. Winningham
Person Submitting
RONALD LEE WINNINGHAM

cc: Mayor
City Council
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From: Sonja Hubley <sonjafhubley@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 9:04 AM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] proposed trash rate increase

My name is Sonja Hubley, I am the owner of the property located at 19756 Rotterdam St. Riverside, CA 92508. I would like to protest against the trash rate increase that will likely be put in effect on September 15, 2020.

Thank you!
Sonja Hubley

cc: Mayor
City Council
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From: Steven Jackson <stevieboy_78@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 6:27 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increase

Good afternoon,

I oppose the proposed Solid Waste Rate Increase. Given the effects of Covid-19 on our community, now is not the time to increase our rates.

Steven Jackson
5672 Corwin Lane
Riverside, CA 92503

cc: Mayor
City Council
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WRITTEN PROTEST FOR TRASH RATE INCREASE – 2020-2024

Name: Teresa Jakway

Address of property: 9391 California Ave. Spc. 91, Riverside Ca.
92503

I am opposed to the proposed solid waste (trash) rate increases by the City of Riverside. Each year the rate has increased slightly since 2013. Since I only keep records for the past seven years, not sure of the price of solid waste before that time. In 2019, the rate jumped from 23.68 to 26.85 for residential service. Now the city is asking for an \$8. Increase spread over the next four years. My service charges already for city services are a substantial portion of my bill. I attempt to curb the water and electical usage, but can do nothing about the fees charged by the city for services except PROTEST their increase. Therefore, I am vehemently opposed to the current proposed increase and feel it is unfair to city residents.

Signature Teresa Jakway Date 8/4/20

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From: Thomas Boehm <tboehm6@icloud.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 9:46 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Rate increase

I don't think it's a great idea for this increase. I oppose it, don't want it done now. Thomas Boehm, 2657 Cross street.

Sent from my iPhone

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
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From: Thomas Lloyd <thomaslloyd.tj@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 8:30 AM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest of proposed solid waste rate increase

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the notice titled "CITY OF RIVERSIDE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING, PROPOSED SOLID WASTE RATE INCREASES", please accept this e-mail as my protest of the proposed trash collection rate increase. The amount and frequency of rate increases for services provided by the City of Riverside/Riverside Public Utilities has become excessive and, in my opinion, unwarranted. I therefore object to this proposed increase and request that the City Council reconsider this proposal.

Service information:

Parcel: #143140039-3
Account #:0174034000
Address: 10364 Palmento Drive
Account Holder: Thomas Lloyd

Sincerely,

Thomas Lloyd

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
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From: Vincent Rosse <m1aman308@me.com>
Sent: Monday, August 3, 2020 10:30 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Solid Waste Rate Increase Protest

Protesting the Proposed Trash Rate Increases

Pamela and Vincent Rosse
2152 Stonefield Place
92506

We understand that the cost of doing business increases for a number of reasons, however, we are protesting the October 2020 Solid Waste Rate Increase.

We were surprised and shocked that the October increase was still on the table considering the environment we are currently living in. Even though the \$4.07 doesn't seem to be a lot to you the Board, for many of our fellow residents who are suffering with little to no income coming in, it's critical! Every penny counts.

It doesn't appear that the Covid-19 situation is going to be resolved by October or anytime soon so we wonder; why the city would implement another hardship on its citizens?

Our recommendation would be to eliminate the October rate increase and spread the entire \$7.95 increase over the four-year period that's shown in the letter. Increase the rate by \$2.00 each year.

cc: Mayor
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From: Virginia Valle <vvalle9032@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 12:17 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest - Waste Rate Increase

As a resident of the City of Riverside I need to protest the proposed waste rate increase. As a single income household, this increase will be an additional financial burden during this already difficult financial year. This is NOT the time to increase rates.

Compared to other cities/counties I have lived in, the City of Riverside is already more expensive when it comes to my utilities. The city needs to re-evaluate how to balance their budget. Increasing our utilities rates is unfair and inconsiderate during this difficult time.

My personal information is:

Virginia Valle
8793 Martel Lane
Riverside CA 92503

Thank you for your consideration.

Virginia Valle

cc: Mayor
City Council
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From: William Shoemaker <cbdshoe@gmail.com>

Sent: Wednesday, August 5, 2020 3:41 PM

To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>

Subject: [External] Substandard service

Within the past five months our trash service has declined so bad that it almost seems like an insult that we must now pay even more for very bad service. Four times I've had to call and complain that our trash was not picked up or only one or two containers were. We never overfill and we separate all of our waste into the proper containers. I'm not sure where or what this problem stems from, but our service has never been so inconsistent. I've talked to neighbors who have also noticed the decline in consistency. Im sure there are many people on the list to have this job who would do a much better job. I'm going to see if my address to this issue is followed up on before I take further action along with some concerned senior citizens who feel the effects of this unfounded neglect. I live on Granada Ave at 4861. Thank you for considering this important matter.
Lg Shoemaket

cc: Mayor
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From: Ignacio Lopez <nachoyasmin@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 12:47 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Proposed Solid Waste Rate Increase Protest

Hello,
To Whom It May Concern. This email serves as protest to the recently proposed solid waste increase.

Property Information
8420 Mimosa Tree Court
Riverside CA 92504
Name: Yasmin Lopez

cc: Mayor
City Council
City Manager
City Attorney
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From: Tracy Roman <altraroman@hotmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 4:20 PM
To: Nicol, Colleen <CNicol@riversideca.gov>
Cc: Zelinka, Al <azelinka@riversideca.gov>; Hemenway, Steve <SHemenway@riversideca.gov>; 2Mayor <2MAYOR@riversideca.gov>
Subject: [External] Protest the trash increase

Hello
My name is Tracy Roman
and I live at 4410 Clarksdale drive
Riverside , CA 92505
I live in ward 7.

I'm writing you in protest of the increases to curbside trash pick up. I feel our trash bill is extremely high and I am asking you all, Please Don't increase our bill!

cc: Mayor
City Council
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