

TOWN OF YANKEETOWN

Council Service Options

Waste Pro Residential Collection Options

To: Mayor and Town Council **From:** Town Administrator **Date:** September 28, 2026

Purpose. Waste Pro provided pricing for four combinations of residential collection service. The table shows its monthly charge and the resulting Town customer bill if the Town adds its existing \$1.00 administrative fee. Council may retain current service or select a lower service level before adopting a customer rate by resolution.

Monthly service and rate options

Option	Solid waste	Recycling and yard debris	Waste Pro cost	Customer bill with \$1 fee
A Current service	2 times per week	Both, 1 time per week each	\$26.39	\$27.39
B Reduced trash pickup	1 time per week	Both, 1 time per week each	\$24.39	\$25.39
C Trash only	2 times per week	Neither	\$23.48	\$24.48
D Trash only	1 time per week	Neither	\$21.48	\$22.48

Comparison with today's customer bill. The Town currently charges \$16.55 plus a \$1.00 administrative fee, or \$17.55 per month. Options A through D would raise the total monthly bill by \$9.84, \$7.84, \$6.93, and \$4.93, respectively. At 335 customers, each \$1.00 per-customer change equals \$335 per month in billings.

How Waste Pro calculated the options

Waste Pro states its current combined charge is \$17.89 per customer. Adding its proposed \$8.50 increase produces \$26.39 for current service. Reducing solid waste collection from twice to once weekly lowers the proposed charge by \$2.00. Waste Pro lists recycling at \$2.16 and yard debris at \$0.75; removing both lowers either service option by \$2.91.

Council decision

If Council wishes to keep twice-weekly trash collection, weekly recycling, and weekly yard debris collection, the proposed customer bill is \$27.39 per month, including the \$1.00 Town fee. If Council prefers an option with reduced service, staff should confirm the contract change and implementation date with Waste Pro, then bring the corresponding customer rate to Council for resolution.

Source: Waste Pro email to Seante Gyukeri, "Yankeetown Trash Pick-Up Rate Options," September 25, 2026. Waste Pro also describes a separate Levy County residential solid waste tax assessment increase from \$114 to \$140 annually; that assessment is not included in the monthly bills above.