

2025 Borough of Crafton - Waste Hauling Bid Comparison

On August 22, 2024 Crafton Borough Council will be considering the following three lowest bid options for waste collection services in the Borough for 2025 and beyond. Crafton's ten year contract with WM ends in December. The Borough received bids from WM, Valley Waste, and County Hauling. County Hauling did not have the lowest bid and cannot be considered for these options. Please review the attached options and if you would like to provide comment please click the link below or come to the August 22nd Council Meeting for the discussion. Regardless of which option is chosen there will be changes in our trash collection services.

To Comment Click Here	Current Service	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
	WM - Manual Collection	WM - Semi Automated Collection	Valley Waste w/ Single Axel Alley Pickup	Valley Waste w/ Dual Axel Alley Pickup
What day will be pick up day for the Borough?	Tuesday	Tuesday	Multiple Days	Multiple Days
How will trash be collected?	Manually	Semi-Automated	Manually	Manually
Alley Pickup	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Will a Single Axel Truck be used for alley pickup?	No	No	Yes	No
Will Bins, Carts, or Trash Cans be provided?	No	Yes	No	No
Is there a limit to the amount of trash each week?	No	Yes - One Bin (96 gallon) Rated Capacity 300+lbs	Yes - 5 Bags (40lbs each) Total 200 lbs	Yes - 5 bags (40lbs) Total 200 lbs
What if you have more?	n/a	Pay for 2nd Bin (\$117.70 Annually)	Pay \$10 for 5 bag tags	Pay \$10 for 5 bag tags
Glass collection	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Glass Recycled	Yes	Yes	No - repurposed	No-repurposed
Recycling	Sticker on trash can	64 gallon bin (provided in contract price)	Sticker on trash can	Sticker on trash can
Hard to recycle times (electronics, chemicals, etc)	Yes - on demand	Yes - on demand	Yes - quarterly - on demand	Yes - quarterly - on demand
Cardboard	Broken down	Broken down and placed in 64 gallon bin	Broken down	Broken down
Bulk Items	no limit	one item per month (same week each month)	one item per week	one item per week
Annual Cost Increase per Residence	n/a	6.8%	3.8%	3.8%
First year increase from current contract	n/a	20.9%	19.9%	15.6%
Annual Cost per residence year 1*	\$285.00	\$344.68	\$341.60	\$329.60
Annual Cost by year 5	n/a	\$448.72	\$394.52	\$382.52
Annual Cost by year 10	n/a	\$625.36	\$492.80	\$480.08

* costs include \$10 admin charge

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	Option Yr 1	Option Yr 2	Option Yr 3	Option Yr 4	Option Yr 5
WM - Semi Automated Collection	\$ 344.68	\$ 368.08	\$ 393.16	\$ 420.04	\$ 448.72	\$ 479.44	\$ 512.32	\$ 547.48	\$ 585.04	\$ 625.36
Valley Waste - Dual Axel Alley	\$ 329.60	\$ 342.08	\$ 355.04	\$ 368.48	\$ 382.52	\$ 413.96	\$ 429.56	\$ 445.76	\$ 462.56	\$ 480.08
Valley Waste - Single Axel Alley	\$ 341.60	\$ 354.08	\$ 367.04	\$ 380.48	\$ 394.52	\$ 425.96	\$ 441.56	\$ 457.76	\$ 474.56	\$ 492.08