

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALEM, OREGON
RESOLUTION NO. 2025-1 AMENDING COMMERCIAL MEDICAL WASTE COLLECTION
RATES AND CHARGES AS APPROVED IN RESOLUTION NO. 2023-31.

The Salem City Council will host a public hearing on Monday, January 27, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. to receive testimony regarding Resolution No. 2025-1 Amending Commercial Medical Waste Collection Rates and Charges as approved in Resolution No. 2023-31.

Community members can provide feedback by filing written comments at the City of Salem’s Finance Office, 555 Liberty Street SE, Room 230, Salem, Oregon, 97301 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. or by emailing cityrecorder@cityofsalem.net by January 27, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. The report to Council will be available online no later than 5:00 p.m., Thursday, January 23, 2025, at <https://saalem.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>, and will also be available at the City of Salem’s Finance Office, 555 Liberty Street SE, Room 230, Salem, Oregon, 97301, 503-588-6040. Copies will be provided at reasonable cost.

Interested persons may attend the meeting in person, view online on the CC:Media YouTube Channel or watch on Comcast Cable CC:Media Channel 21. To provide real-time testimony during the meeting, please sign up inside Council Chambers. To testify via video conference, please sign up between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting at the following link: <https://www.cityofsalem.net/government/city-council-mayor/about-city-council/comment-and-participate-in-a-city-council-meeting>

If approved, adjusted rates would become effective on February 1, 2025, for Salem Hospital and March 1, 2025, for Low-Volume and High-Volume commercial medical waste customers. The proposed rate increases for commercial medical waste collection rates are displayed in the table below.

Medical Waste	Rate Increase	Effective Date
Low-Volume	52%	March 1, 2025
High-Volume	72%	March 1, 2025
Hospital Collection	168%	February 1, 2025

More information can be found on <https://www.cityofsalem.net>. The Salem City Council Rules, which include the procedures for conduct of hearings before the City Council, are available at the City of Salem Recorder, Civic Center, 555 Liberty Street SE, Room 225, Salem, Oregon 97301, 503-588-6097 and online at: <https://www.cityofsalem.net/government/city-council-mayor/about-city-council/council-rules>

For additional information, contact Ryan Zink, Franchise Administrator, 503-588-6258. Americans with Disabilities Act accommodations shall be provided on request upon 24 hours advance notice. Si necesita ayuda para comprender esta informacion, por favor llame 503-588-6040.