

To: Zero Waste Advisory Commission

From: Bob Gedert, Director, Austin Resource Recovery Department

Date: May 8, 2012

Subject: Hauler Ordinance Update

Ordinance Timeline

April 11th – ZWAC Commission update

May 6th – Final ZWAC Hauler Subcommittee Meeting

May 8th – ZWAC Commission Report and Recommendation

May 24th – Council discussion / request for adoption

July 1st – Implementation begins

Intent of Ordinance Amendments

- Provide enhanced enforcement against non-compliant haulers
- Support the reporting requirements of the Universal Recycling Ordinance
- Require documentation of a state annual safety inspection

Major Amendments Notations

§ 15-6-44: Specify type of information required to be submitted.

§ 15-6-51: New requirement for documentation of annual state inspection of vehicles.

§ 15-6-52: Hauler reporting requirements defined.

§ 15-6-54: Decal placement changed to side of door.

§ 15-6-56: Reduced reporting requirements from quarterly to semi-annual.

§ 15-6-59: Section referencing enforcement provisions.

§ 15-7: Article on enforcement procedures.

Education/ Compliance/ Enforcement/Citations Implementation Elements

- Web-site posting of licensed haulers
- Coordination with Development and Planning Office
- Building and construction trade association presentations
- Public education, Hauler education, Builder education
- Pro-active field inspections and Complaint driven and investigative enforcement
- Fee based fines for non-compliance Prohibition to haul within City if not licensed

All activities performed by Code Enforcement staff – Licensing/Education/Compliance/Enforcement

Proposed FY13 Fees

\$100/vehicle per year and \$9/container per quarter

Cost of Service Study

Please refer to Cost of Service Study for specific service costs related to the services provided. A new cost of service analysis will be performed once a year.