

THIS AMENDMENT PASSED ON AN 9-0 VOTE.

**CITY COUNCIL
of the
CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE**

June 1, 2026

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO O-26-35

AMENDMENT SPONSORED BY: Renée Grout

1. On page 1, amend the title as follows:

AMENDING ROA 1994 § 9-10-1 “MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE ORDINANCE”

APPENDIX: COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL RATES TO INCREASE DISPOSAL

FEEES FOR CONVENIENCE CENTER FOR RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES

OUTSIDE OF CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE LIMITS~~[-];~~ AND § 9-10-1-11 “COLLECTION

FEES” FOR USE OF CITY MUNICIPAL LANDFILL AND COVENIENCE CENTERS

TO REQUIRE PROOF OF RESIDENCY.]

2. On page 2, after line 20, insert the following new section:

**[SECTION 2. ROA 1994 § 9-10-1-11 “COLLECTION FEES” subsection (J)(2)
is amended as follows:**

(J) Use of City Municipal Landfill and Convenience Centers.

(2) City Convenience Centers.

**(a) Any residential producer of refuse may dispose of same at any City
Convenience Center for a fee set forth in the Collections and Disposal Rates
Appendix per each individual load plus applicable gross receipts and local option
taxes or \$1 per each individual load plus applicable gross receipts and local**

option taxes. Any uncovered and/or unsecured load will be charged an additional fee set forth in the Collections and Disposal Rates Appendix, which includes the applicable effective dates, per individual load plus applicable gross receipts and local option taxes. A load is equivalent to 64 cubic feet (4'X8'X2').

(b) Any business or institution may dispose of commercial refuse, except unauthorized waste, infectious wastes or hazardous waste, at any City Convenience Center for a fee set forth in the Collections and Disposal Rates Appendix, which includes the applicable effective dates, per each individual load plus applicable gross receipts and local option taxes. Any uncovered and/or unsecured load will be charged an additional fee as set forth in the Collections and Disposal Rates Appendix per individual load plus applicable gross receipts and local option taxes. A load is equivalent to 64 cubic feet (4'X8'X2').

[(c) Persons seeking disposal rates applicable to residents or businesses located within Albuquerque city limits shall provide verification of residency in the form of a utility bill dated within the preceding 60 days, or a valid government-issued identification card, showing a residential or business address within Albuquerque city limits. Persons who fail to provide such documentation shall be charged the applicable rate for persons or businesses located outside Albuquerque city limits.]

[(e)][(d)] Any vehicle transporting material to any City Convenience Center is limited to a rated capacity of under two tons.

[(d)][(e)] Salvaging and scavenging is prohibited at the city landfill, transfer stations, and convenience centers at all times without the written permission of the Mayor.]

Explanation: This amendment establishes a verification requirement for individuals and businesses seeking to receive the Convenience Center disposal rates applicable to Albuquerque residents and businesses located within Albuquerque city limits. The amendment requires users to provide a utility bill dated within the preceding 60 days, or a valid government-issued identification card, showing a residential or business address within Albuquerque city limits. Individuals or businesses that do not provide the required

documentation will be charged the rate applicable to persons or businesses located outside Albuquerque city limits.

Because this amendment modifies the title of the ordinance, approval of the amendment will require deferral of the ordinance to a subsequent Council meeting to allow for compliance with applicable notice and publication requirements and should be deferred to the August 3, 2026 Council meeting for final consideration.