

## **Coming Soon to a Curb Near You: BLUE RECYCLE CARTS**

City Adds Recycling Program to Utility Services



cover culinary water, sewer fees, storm drain fees, transportation fees and garbage collection services.

Garbage services are expanding this summer to include a bundle package of one garbage cart and one recycling cart. Curbside recycling will now be part of the standard resident utility package.

#### **KEY POINTS**

- In June, a blue recycle cart will be delivered to every home receiving City services. Collection will begin in July.
- Recyclables will be collected every other week on the same day as your garbage.
- The City received a grant to help pay for the recycle carts. Monthly charges pay actual fees for collection.
- The City is proud to participate in this program helping extend the life of the landfill and protect our environment.

### WHAT IS INCLUDED ON **MY UTILITY BILL?**

Storm drain \$14.2 Transportation fee \$ 7.5 Garbage (1 garbage,1 recycle) \$20.5  (Optional) Additional garbage cart*** \$15.5  (Optional) Green waste cart \$ 7.7	Culmary water (minimum lee)"	\$37.4U
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#### MINIMUM BILL (without optional cans) \$120.65

- \*Additional fees are charged per 1,000 gallons of culinary water actually used. See charges per gallon at: https:// fruitheightscity.com/295/Utility-Rates
- \*\*Starting July 1, Central Davis Sewer District fees increase from \$38.00 to \$41.00 per month
- \*\*\*Starting July 1, fees for an extra garbage cart increase from \$12.45 to \$15.50 per month

How much does it cost? Can I opt out? What goes in the cart? **GET ANSWERS TO THESE QUESTIONS AND MORE** 

## Founder's Day Celebration

August 23 City Hall

- Car Show Food Trucks
- Live Band Ice Cream
- Quilt Show Chalk Art Contest



## Save the Date! **FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATION**

**AUGUST 23, 2025** 5-8 pm

The party at City Hall gets bigger and better every year, and this year is no exception. Great fun is planned - mark your calendars now!

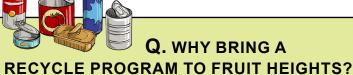
#### **QUILT SHOW August 21-23**

New this year, several quilts will be available to the public through a silent auction. More info soon!

Have you shown your artistry? Look for info in the coming weeks about showing your quilts.

#### CHALK FESTIVAL **August 22-23**

You've seen the colorful chalk creations, now it's your chance to take part in the fun! Look for registration info and details in the coming weeks and online at www.fruitheightscity.com.





After many conversations, a community survey and public hearing, members of the city council voted unanimously to bring a recycle program to Fruit Heights.

#### Q. CAN I OPT OUT OF THE PROGRAM?

No, this is a universal program, meaning it is now a basic service provided by the City, and anyone receiving City services will receive the bundled garbage collection program.

#### Q. HOW MUCH WILL THE PROGRAM COST?

All residents will now pay \$20.50 for garbage collection services. This includes one garbage cart emptied every week, and one recycle cart emptied every other week. The previous charge was \$15.50 for one garbage cart. This charge was set to go up in July due to a rate increase from Wasatch Integrated Waste. By bundling services, the City was able to secure a lower rate. Residents will now pay the \$20.50 but receive two carts: one garbage, one recycle. Residents choosing to add additional garbage carts will pay \$15.50 per additional cart.



#### Q. I HAVE A CONTRACT WITH ACE **RECYCLING. WHAT HAPPENS NOW?**

We have worked closely with Ace. The ultimate goal of all parties involved is to promote recycling and divert recyclable materials from the landfill. Ace Recycling is aware of the change, and is ready to help. If you wish to cancel your contract with Ace, YOU MUST NOTIFY ACE. Once notified, Ace will immediately cancel your contract with no extra charge, and pick up their cart.

#### Q. DO I HAVE TO KEEP THE BLUE CART?

Every home will receive a blue recycling cart in June. If, after two months time, a resident doesn't want to keep and use the cart, they may request the City pick up the cart, but it will not change the monthly charge for garbage collection services.

Your new cart will come with information about what can be recycled, including: Plastic bottles/containers, aluminum and steel cans, cardboard (flattened), newspaper, junk mail, paper (all types/colors). NO GLASS - There are glass recycling locations located in Kaysville at Barnes Park and the library.

## FIREWORK **SAFETY**



Surrounded by so much vegetation and fuel for fires, restrictions on open fires and fireworks are necessary. Much of our city falls in restricted areas, allowing no discharging of fireworks.

Review the restrictions map before setting off any fireworks. The Davis County Sheriff's Office will respond to complaints and violations.

> See map of firework & burn restrictions: www.fruitheightscity.com

#### SUMMER PARKING

Please remember parking ordinances allow for boats. trailers. RVs and vehicles to be parked on city streets for only 24 hours without moving.

### **Smart Timers**

The Smart Sprinkler Program is back, and boy has it been popular! Residents have picked up more this year than in years past! Smart timers are weather aware, and help conserve water. Residents may purchase timers at City Hall for \$20 (\$178 retail).

# **CONGRATULATIONS** CLASS OF **GRADUATES!**

#### **ITEMS OF NOTE**

- Park restrooms are now open for the summer
- Founders Day Aug. 23 at City Hall. Don't miss the fun!

#### **IMPORTANT NUMBERS**

- Fruit Heights City Hall 801-546-0861
- Davis County Sheriff's Office 801-451-4150
- Robinson Waste Collection 801-825-3800

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