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Instructions to Apply For the City of Tampa Senior Residential Solid Waste Discount

The City of Tampa Department of Solid Waste and Environmental Program Management offers a garbage collection discount of $5.45 per month to residential customers age 65 years or older. To apply for this discount, please fill out the attached Certificate of Eligibility and submit a notarized and completed certificate to:

By Mail:

City of Tampa

Solid Waste Billing

4010 W Spruce Street

Tampa, FL 33607

(This location is not accessible to the public)

By Fax:

(813) 274-8358

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Senior Residential Solid Waste Certification For Customers 65 Years of Age or Older

Tampa City Council has authorized a solid waste collection residential rate discount for persons 65 years of age or older receiving curbside pick-up pursuant to Resolution 2012-134 dated February 16, 2012 and in accordance with City of Tampa Code Sections 26-31 (b) and (i). To qualify for the Senior Residential Collection Discount, a customer must:

(a) Be 65 years of age or older at the time of certification.

(b) Have an active residential garbage utility account listed in the applicant's name and reside in the residential home submitted for the discount with an occupancy of no more than two (2) persons, including the applicant.

(c) Pay special pick-up charges at the regular solid waste rates for items outside of regularly scheduled collection because of their unusual bulk, mass, volume, weight and/or not being properly containerized. Examples include, but are not limited to, furniture, household appliances, and/or yard waste not properly bundled.

I certify that I am 65 years of age or older and that I am the occupant of the residence listed on the account listed in my name. Furthermore, I certify that all of the information presented below is correct and that I understand that any violation of the City Code provisions shall be punishable by law.

Customer Name: _____

Utility Account Number: _____

Customer Signature: _____

Service Address: _____

In the County of Hillsborough Sworn and subscribed before me on_____.

Identification Provided: _____

Notary Seal: _____

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