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BULK REFUSE PICK UP FEES BEGIN JULY 1st

SUFFOLK, Va. (June 26, 2009) Customers that request pick up of bulk refuse will begin to pay a fee effective July 1st. All residences within the City of Suffolk having public roadway receive free collection for household refuse weekly. However, citizens utilizing the Special Collection service will be required to pay a fee for that service beginning July 1st.

The fees for the Special Bulk Collections are: 1-8 cubic yards \$20, 9 – 16 cubic yards \$50 and evictions will be \$100. Residents who desire bulk collection may call our Sanitation Office at 514-7630 & may pay in several ways:

- Pay in person at one of the City Treasurer's offices (441 Market Street or the North Suffolk Library)
- By calling the City Treasurer's office at 514-4275; a convenience fee of \$3 to \$7 will apply for residents who desire to pay using a credit/ debit card
- By mailing payment to the City Treasurer, P. O. Box 1583, Suffolk, VA 23439 (PLEASE PUT DISPOSAL # ON CHECK)

Residents need to pay for the service a minimum of 48 hours prior to their regular refuse collection day in order to ensure the bulk items are collected on that day.

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