



APPLICATION: ONCE-WEEKLY TRASH COLLECTION

Once-weekly trash collection service is available to utility customers that meet all of the below criteria per St. Petersburg City Code Section 27-557(a)(2)a:

1. Customer has a single-family residence
2. Customer's household consists of only one or two persons
3. Customer participates in the City-wide recycling program at least once per calendar month
4. Customer's water consumption is 5,000 gallons or less in the billing month

The undersigned certifies that the property located at _____ meets the criteria in items 1, 2, and 3 above. The undersigned who occupies this property further understands that the monthly charge will return to the twice-weekly rate without notice during any billing month when registered water usage exceeds 5,000 gallons.

The undersigned acknowledges that he/she has read the excerpts from City Code Section 27-557(a)(2)a. on the second page this application and understands and agrees to the conditions under which once-weekly service can be withdrawn and/or not reinstated. Further, the undersigned agrees to notify the City if the property no longer meets criteria in items 1, 2, or 3 above for a consecutive three-month period, at which time the sanitation rate will return to the twice-weekly pickup rate.

Applicant's Name:
Applicant's Signature:
Telephone Number:
Date:
Utility Account #:

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Mail to: Sanitation Department P.O. Box 2842 St. Petersburg, FL 33731	Email to: contact.sanitation@stpete.org
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INTERNAL USE ONLY			
Sanitation:	Approved	Rejected	By _____ Date _____
Utility Accounts:	File Update	By _____	Date _____

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ONCE-WEEKLY SANITATION SERVICE

To qualify for once-weekly collection status, the customer must make application to the Sanitation Department, and meet all of the following criteria:

1. Have a single-family residence;
2. Have a household consisting of only one or two persons;
3. Participate at least once per calendar month in the City-wide recycling program; and
4. In the billing month, have water consumption of 5,000 gallons or less. (If water consumption exceeds 5,000 gallons in a given month, then the twice-weekly rate shall apply.)

The once-weekly status will be granted to customers who share a large automated bulk garbage container if they meet the criteria set forth above.

MONTHLY CHARGE

Find the most recent collection charge at stpete.org/rates.

Once-weekly collection status will be withdrawn and twice-weekly service instituted at the prescribed charge therefor upon 15 days' written notice to the customer (occupant or owner) with the notice provided by regular United States mail or by delivery to the premises served.

Notice shall be complete upon mailing or delivery. Such notice shall be given if the Sanitation Director or designee determines that one of the following has occurred in connection with the once-weekly service:

1. A potential or actual health hazard or odor problem has occurred or is occurring due to the once-weekly garbage service; or
2. Sufficient material is being placed in the container that once-weekly service is not adequate for removal; or
3. The customer has not met the criteria to qualify for once-weekly collection for three consecutive months.

The owner or occupant given such notice may appeal the decision to withdraw once-weekly service by giving written notice thereof in the manner and to the person prescribed in the notice of withdrawal of once-weekly service along with payment of the prescribed fee therefor. The notice of appeal must be actually delivered to and stamped received by the Sanitation Director or specified designee within 10 days of the date of mailing of the notice of withdrawal of once-weekly service. The Mayor shall by administrative regulation provide for the processing of appeals including the amount of the fee therefor and the specified City staff individuals or administratively created board of City staff who shall determine appeals. All appeals shall be determined according to the evidence presented. The appellant and the City's representatives shall have a right to be present and present evidence and be heard. The strict rules of evidence shall not apply.

If once-weekly garbage service has been withdrawn as provided herein it shall not be reinstated until one year has elapsed and then only upon proper application.