

## Centralized City Trash Service Coming to Belton in 2018

Beginning January 1, 2018, the City of Belton will be switching to a weekly citywide trash/recycling/yard waste service.

Following an extensive research and public bidding process, the City Council in June voted to approve a contract with Jim's Disposal that will begin January 1, 2018. Your current trash hauler will continue to pick up trash until the new year.

The City, as well as Jim's Disposal and cart manufacturer Rehrig Pacific, will be reaching out several times over the coming months to let residents know about the new service. In most areas, residents will see a reduction in cost and retain current and/or improved service.

- Monthly billing will be an itemized line-item on your Belton water bill of \$12.41.
- There will be unlimited solid waste service. Residents will be permitted to put out bagged trash in addition to what is in the cart.
- There will be unlimited curb-side recycling.

- There will be unlimited curb-side yard-waste service from March 1 December 31. (Rules apply only grass clippings, leaves, vines, hedges, shrub trimmings, tree trimmings, and tree limbs.)
- Each residence will be provided with a 65-gallon solid waste cart and a 65-gallon recycling cart in December 2017. There is an option for a smaller 45-gallon cart. Watch your mail later this month for instructions on ordering your cart.
- Currently, Belton residents have varied trash pick-up days. With the centralized service, our community will have either a Monday or Tuesday pick-up day. Days will be assigned by city location.
- Jim's Disposal will provide two (2) free curb-side bulky item pick-up days per year. Dates for bulky item pick-up will be announced. Residents will be allowed up to five (5) items per pick-up date with a limit of one (1) refrigerator per date.

## Have Questions?

Two (2) community meetings are scheduled at **Belton High School** 

Thursday, **November 2** and Wednesday, **November 8**7:00 pm

## Need Assistance?

If you need assistance getting your trash cart to the curb, please contact City Hall at 816.331.4331.

If you are experiencing difficulty with your current trash hauler and/or are a new Belton resident needing trash service, please contact American Waste Systems, Inc. 816.966.1161

There is a co-operative agreement in place to assist you until December 31, 2017.