

**CITY OF ARAB, ALABAMA  
ORDINANCE 2015 - 11**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 11-96 OF THE CITY OF ARAB CODE OF ORDINANCES TO REFLECT RATE CHANGES FOR THE ARAB LANDFILL.**

**SECTION ONE.** Alabama State Legislation (HB 395, Act Number 2008-151), provides for the collection and payment of solid waste disposal fees by solid waste management facilities. Section 11-96 of the City of Arab Code of Ordinances establishes a rate schedule for specific charges at the Arab Landfill.

Since Landfill fees and rate changes are of a permanent nature, until changed, the adoption of this ordinance will clarify rate charges, increase current rates and allow for publication in the City of Arab Code of Ordinances, whereby amending current Section 11-96 as detailed below. All such changes are further subject to change if necessary to comply with state law or otherwise when determined to be in the best interest of the City.

**SECTION TWO. Rate Schedule, Section 11-96, Code of Ordinances for the City of Arab, which currently reads as:**

(a) The following rate schedule shall apply to all users of the landfill site owned and operated by the city:

(1) Trash, garbage, household goods, construction materials and leaves and brush (but no hazardous liquids or waste as defined by state law):

Pickup truck	\$ 5.00
Pickup truck (with sideboards)	10.00
1 ton truck	15.00
1½ ton truck	30.00
2 ton truck and larger	50.00

(2) Roofing shingles:

Pickup truck	15.00
1 ton truck	25.00
1½ ton truck	35.00
Tandem truck	50.00

(3) Animals:

Small	10.00
Large	20.00

(4) Tires (with city permit only):

Pickup truck	20.00
Pickup truck (with sideboards)	30.00
1 ton truck	40.00
1½ ton truck	60.00
Tandem or larger	150.00

(b) Disposers of vehicle tires in the landfill must maintain a city privilege license for a business involved in the removal and/or replacement of worn or damaged vehicle tires. Such business shall be located within the city limits or its police jurisdiction, and shall not purchase or receive such tires from other businesses, or other locations outside the city limits or the police

jurisdiction for the purpose of disposal in the landfill. Private citizens may dispose of up to four personally-owned tires per year.

***Shall be amended to read as:***

Charges for items to be disposed of at the Arab Landfill shall be as follows:

Tipping Fees:

Minimum charge for loads less than 700 lbs.	\$15.00
Charge for loads over 700 lbs.	\$36.00/ton (rounded to the closest dollar amount)

The following Surcharges are in addition to load rates:

Tires:

Car and truck tires	\$2.00 each
Tractor trailer or commercial tires	\$7.00 each
Farm tractor tires	\$15.00 to 20.00

*\*Note: Fees for larger tires will be higher and dependent on size. Disposers of vehicle tires in the landfill must maintain a city privilege license for a business involved in the removal and/or replacement of worn or damaged vehicle tires. Such business shall be located within the city limits or its police jurisdiction, and shall not purchase or receive such tires from other businesses, or other locations outside the city limits or the police jurisdiction for the purpose of disposal in the landfill. Private citizens may dispose of up to four personally-owned tires per year.*

Television and Computer Monitors:

19" and smaller	\$3.00 each
21" to 27"	\$4.00 each
Televisions with screens over 40"	\$6.00 each

*\*Note: Televisions are not permitted to be buried at the Arab Landfill. A dumpster is provided for disposal of these items.*

**SECTION THREE.** The above rates are subject to change if necessary to comply with State Law or otherwise when determined to be in the best interest of the City.

**SECTION FOUR.** This ordinance shall go into effect upon its passage and publication as required by law.

**ADOPTED THIS THE 7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF December 2015.**