



Solid Waste Commission Small Business Incentive Pilot Program

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Purpose

The Westchester County Solid Waste Commission Small Business Incentive Pilot Program removes a financial barrier, allowing eligible small businesses the ability to enter the hauling market while complying with regulatory mandates. Such small businesses operating in Westchester County will stimulate economic activity by developing more business opportunities within the county. Companies who meet the Solid Waste Commission's small business eligibility requirements will pay significantly reduced fees.

Eligibility Checklist - **Eligibility will be determined on a case by case basis**

- Class C2 Haulers who own or lease 1 vehicle
- Cannot be a roll off business that rents or leases containers to customers
- Principal(s) may not have ownership in another related business

	<u>Standard C2 Fees</u>		<u>Small Business Initiative Fees</u>	
New Company Application Fee	\$350	→	\$45	
New Company Background Fee	\$1400	→	\$1200	
New Principal Application Fee per principal	\$350	→	\$0	
New Principal Background Fee per principal	\$765	→	\$650	
Total Due with Application	\$2865	→	\$1895	
+ Annual Fee which includes one decal set	\$1000	→	\$500	→ \$500 annual savings
Total Upfront Investment New Company	\$3865	→	\$2495	→ \$1370 savings
(C2 4 Year Renewal)	\$3250	→	\$2070	→ \$1180 savings)

- **Reduced application fees only apply to new C2 – Construction Debris haulers - applicants**
- **Reduced vehicle fees apply to all eligible licensed and new companies**

Reporting Requirements

Companies enrolled in the program must report any changes that would affect their eligibility within 30 days. All companies who no longer fall within the eligibility criteria will immediately be unenrolled from the program, and charged the applicable fees. Any applicant or principal who fails to adhere to the following reporting requirements is subject to violation.