

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS  
AGENDA ITEM  
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**



**DEPARTMENT:** Environmental Services Department

**AGENDA DATE:** 4/29/25

**PUBLIC HEARING DATE:** 5/13/25

**CONTACT PERSON NAME:** Nicholas Ybarra

**PHONE NUMBER:** 915-212-6000

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:** All

**STRATEGIC GOAL:**

Goal 3 - Promote the Visual Image of El Paso

**SUBGOAL:**

**SUBJECT:**

An ordinance granting a non-exclusive franchise to Rio Grande Waste Services, Inc. to operate and maintain a solid waste collection and hauler service within the City of El Paso subject to the franchise terms and conditions; the penalty as provided in section 9.04.630 of the El Paso City code.

**BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

Multiple franchises hold hauler permits to transport solid waste on the City's rights-of-way as part of a business. This agreement allows franchise-holders to haul waste from businesses and residences not served by the Environmental Services Department, such as dumpsters at apartment complexes.

**COMMUNITY AND STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH:**

No outreach performed

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

Other franchise holders had their agreements and ordinances approved in 2022 with the same initial expiration date.

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION TO CITY COUNCIL:**

N/A

NAME	AMOUNT (\$)

\*\*\*\*\*REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION\*\*\*\*\*

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:**

Nicholas N. Ybarra, P.E. Digitally signed by Nicholas N. Ybarra, P.E.  
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