

# City of Alhambra

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### Reinstatement of Bulky Item Sweep Services

**Alhambra, CA** — On March 13, 2023 the Alhambra City Council voted unanimously to reinstate weekly bulky item sweep services with Republic Services, in an effort to help keep Alhambra clean of bulky items and illegal dumping.

Despite outreach efforts on the new bulky item collection policy and requirements for scheduled pick-ups, illegal dumping continues to be a frequent complaint throughout the City. Illegal dumping deteriorates the overall quality and appearance of the City's neighborhoods and endangers the health and wellbeing of residents and pedestrians.

The reinstatement of the program eliminates the need for residents to pre-schedule bulky item pick-ups and includes commercial bulky item pick-ups on regular collection days. Residential, multi-family, and commercial service rates will increase depending on container size and number of collections per week by an estimated \$1.67 - \$21.37 per month, effective April 1, 2023.

Residents and businesses can place bulky items on the curb beside solid waste containers on regular collection days and Republic will handle the rest. All reports of illegal dumping should continue to be reported to Republic Services at [alhambra@republicservices.com](mailto:alhambra@republicservices.com) or 1-800-299-4898.

For more information, visit the City's dedicated webpage on bulky item collection at <https://www.cityofalhambra.org/302/Bulky-Item-Pick-Up>.

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