

Manitou Springs Single Hauler Waste & Recyclables Program

Timeline of Process, Public Outreach and Opportunities for Public Discussion

November 2007	Manitou Springs Energy & Climate Action Fair
December 2007	City Council Meeting – approval of Resolution 3607 to reduce Greenhouse gas emissions citywide.
Jan-June 2008	Open meetings to generate Manitou Springs Climate Action Plan including Single Trash Hauler Program
June-August 2008	MS Climate Protection Campaign (MSCPC) hosts a booth at the Midweek Farmer’s Market for 12 weeks promoting initiatives and answering questions
July 2008	City Council Meeting – Approval of Climate Action Plan
July 2008 to date	Posting of MS Climate Protection Campaign Website with regular updates of progress of Single Waste Hauler Initiative. Email address posted for the public to ask questions and make comments.
August 19, 2008	City Council Meeting – approval of RFI for Municipal Trash & Recyclables Collection
September 4, 2008	CS Indy: "Life vs. Choice: the trash debate"
December 17, 2008	Request for Interest sent to 24 local haulers
January 10, 2009	Second Manitou Springs Energy & Climate Action Fair Teri Christman distributes a handout with her personal phone number to facilitate public comments on Trash Program
January 2009 to date	Distribution of “Manitou Springs Into Climate Action” Brochure describing Single Waste Hauler Initiative
Throughout 2009	Updates on progress of Single Waste Hauler Initiative posted on Government quarterly pages in PP Bulletin.
School Year 2009	MSCPC meets with School Dist. 14 Administrators and Green Teams to discuss initiatives such as Single Trash Hauler & Collaboration with schools.
March 5, 2009	Front page notification in PP Bulletin “Citywide trash service on agenda at next Council work session”
March 10, 2009	City Council Work Session on Single Waste Hauler. Presentation by Douglas Short, Director of Public Works from Lafayette, CO. Public Comments Received. City Council Authorizes posting of Public Notice.
March 12, 2009	Pikes Peak Bulletin (PPB) – Front Page: “Council learns a lot about trash collection”
March 19, 2009	PPB: Letter to editor reflecting on Lafayette, CO’s presentation about Trash Collection to City Council
April 16, 2009	Posting of Public Notice that MS will require the use of a single residential Waste service on or after Oct. 16, 2009
April 26, 2009	MS Climate Protection Campaign (MSCPC) participates in Community Action Fair & receives Public Comments
Summer 2009	Presentation of MS Climate Protection Campaign Power Point Presentation to Manitou Springs Garden Club, Kiwanis Club, MS Mineral Springs Foundation, MS Public Library, Commonwheel Coop and 2 Public Meetings at MS City Council Chambers. Power Point Presentation references Single Trash Hauler Program and Recycling. Power Point Program posted on MSCPC Website.

August 6, 2009	PPB: Drummond announces he will not seek re-election: Achievements include "beginning a process that could result in a single-stream recycling and trash collection program."
August 8, 2009	Gazette: 'Only another mayor can understand' Mayor Drummond will not seek re-election: "Proceeded with a city-wide Single Stream Recycling notification to implement recycling, saving on the wear and tear on our city streets, potentially saving us money on waste disposal and reducing our carbon footprint."
September 5-7, 2009	MSCPC has booth at Commonwheel coop Arts & Crafts Festival promoting recycling initiatives and the Single Trash Hauler Program
October 15, 2009	PPB (newsletter to all residents): 1) Candidates tackle issues at town forum. Mentions support of Single Hauler Trash Program. 2) Climate Protection Campaign News. MS waste and recycling collection RFP could be posted soon. Overview of proposed trash program
October 15, 2009	Fresh Ink/Gazette: Manitou Springs candidate forum recap. Mentions support of Single Hauler Trash Program
November, 2009	MSCPC accepts MS Green Renters Organization as a subcommittee of the organization. Several local landlords stay informed of Single Trash Hauling Program
November 5, 2009	PPB: Snyder, Carpenter election winners. Mentions excitement about Single Hauler Trash Program
January 12, 2010	MS City Council Work Session on RFB for single waste/recyclables collection in residential areas of the City & City service facility
January 14, 2010	PPB – Front Page: “Council readies bid documents for citywide trash collection.”
January 19, 2010	MS City Council Meeting – Approves RFB for Citywide Waste/Recyclables Collection
January 21, 2010	PPB: Council recap: Council also unanimously approved a bid form requesting bids for a citywide trash hauling and recycling service for all single-family homes and multifamily dwellings with seven units or less.
January 21, 2010	PPB (newsletter to all residents): Message from the Mayor: Mentions Single Hauler Trash Program
January 23, 2010	3 rd MS Energy & Climate Action Fair
January 28, 2010	PPB: Letter to the Editor: No to Single Hauler Trash Program
February 4, 2010	PPB: Letter to the Editor: No to Single Hauler Trash Program
February 11, 2010	PPB: Letter to Editor mentions Single Hauler Trash Program
February 18, 2010	PPB: Letter to the Editor: Yes to Single Hauler Trash Program
March 11, 2010	CS Indy: City haul: Manitou wants fewer trash trucks and more recycling
March 18, 2010	PPB: In other business Council also heard a report from Snyder on the status of the Single Hauler Trash Program
March 25, 2010	PPB: Front page: Trash collection service will start May 1 st
March 26, 2010	Springs Waste Systems mails letter citywide
April 1, 2010	PPB: Mayor responds to trash collection issues / 2 other letters
April 5, 2010	KRDO News: Story about the Single Hauler Trash Program
April 6, 2010	1st reading: Single Hauler Trash Program
April 8, 2010	PPB: Letter to the Editor: No to Single Hauler Trash program
April 8, 2010	PPB Residents weigh in on trash hauling plan
April 14, 2010	Informational meeting on Single Hauler Trash Program
April 15, 2010	PPB: Two more trash letters
April 16, 2010	Gazette: Some Manitou residents talk trash about single hauler system

April 20, 2010 2nd reading: Single Hauler Trash Program
April 20, 2010 Gazette: Manitou City Council debates trash-hauler system
April 22, 2010 PPB: Council postpones vote on trash proposal, Mayor responds to trash issue
April 27, 2010 Public work session on Single Hauler Trash Program.
April 29, 2010 PPB: Two more trash letters
April 29, 2010 PPB: Council ponders changes in proposed trash contract
May 4, 2010 Second 2nd reading: Single Hauler Trash Program
May 5, 2010 Gazette: Manitou trash hauler measure narrowly passes
April 6, 2010 PPB: Two more trash letters
April 6, 2010 PPB: Council decides single-hauler trash service 'Bestway' to go

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