

SUBSCRIBER VS. SINGLE HAULER WASTE AND RECYCLING PROGRAMS

Subscriber Service – refers to each residential unit contracting individually with a waste/recycling hauler for the collection of their materials (*what we currently have*)

Single Hauler Service – refers to the Township contracting with one hauler for the collection of waste/recycling materials from all residential units in the Township.

Pros and Cons	Subscriber	Single Hauler
Allows freedom of choice of hauler by residents	Yes	No
FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS		
Protects against the highs and lows of a commodity industry	No	Yes
Helps to control expected escalating costs	No	Yes
Helps manage costs and maintain quality waste & recycling collection	No	Yes
Lessens truck traffic therefore less road damage	No	Yes
Allows the best compliance with PA Act 101 and therefore increases 902 and 904 recycling grant revenue	No	Yes
Allows for revenue sharing on recycling profits (when the market is high)	No	Yes
MUNICIPAL CONSIDERATIONS		
Promotes enforcement of codes, laws, etc.	No	Yes
Collection restriction for sensitive areas like school zones	No	Yes
Allows for easier control of noise violations	No	Yes
Best ability to control truck spills and leaks on our streets	No	Yes
Incentivizes recycling	No	Yes
Improves priority status for PA Act 101 902 grant funding (public works equipment, etc.)	No	Yes

