

# RECYCLING & YARD WASTE BIN ACCESS

As of Sept. 3, 2019, the City's yard waste and recycling bins will be located behind a locked gate at Pierre's Solid Waste Facility.

All City of Pierre residential utility customers may obtain an access card for 24-hour access.

## WHEN WILL I NEED TO GET A CARD?

- As of Sept. 3, 2019, cards are required to access the recycling and yard waste drop-off bins located at Pierre's Solid Waste Facility.
- If you don't use or intend to use the drop-off bins, you are not required to get an access card.

## WHAT WILL THIS COST ME?

- There is no new cost to City of Pierre residential utility customers.
- Each residential utility customer who requests an access card will be issued one .
- Replacement cards cost \$20.
- Misuse of cards may result in \$100 fine and/or loss of card.
- Only Pierre residential utility customers will be provided access cards; all other users will need to pay \$3 per load to use the yard waste and recycling bins.

## HOW DO I GET AN ACCESS CARD ?

City of Pierre residential utility customers can pick up access cards at Pierre's Solid Waste, 2800 E. Park, during the following times :

### Business Hours

- Monday–Friday  
8am–5pm
- Saturday  
9am–1pm

Access cards are also available at City Hall, 2301 Patron Parkway, during normal business hours.

## WHY ARE THE BINS GATED?

- All City of Pierre residential utility customers pay a recycling fee with the monthly utility bill.
- This fee pays for the processing and disposal of recyclable materials and yard waste deposited at Pierre's Solid Waste Facility.
- Currently, people who do not pay that recycling fee are depositing materials at the Solid Waste Facility.
- By issuing cards and securing the bins, the City is ensuring that all people who use the service are helping pay for the service.

