### **Trash Service**

A Z <thezemanman@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:18 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Keep Kimble - great service

Adam Zeman

## Keep Kimble!

Vanessa <vanessasingslive@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:21 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I have heard so many complaints from people who have Republic. My vote is to keep Kimble! They have been great.

I really like having the trash pick up service that we have in Green now.

Can you ask Kimble to match Republic's price?

Vanessa Mowrer

#### Trash

stephiekae@aol.com <stephiekae@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:23 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

**Dear Council** 

I am a long time resident of Green. I am asking you not to vote for the Republic and keep Kimble! I am willing to pay the extra cost to keep them! Thank you **Stephanie Mitchell** 

### Waste Hauling service

### Dennis Rose <drose@gcada.org>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:23 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Keep Kimble. Republic was not too great last time around. Kimble has been very responsive when we have called with questions.

Subscription service for yard waste is not important to our house.

\$1.30 per month is not that important in order to keep the high level of service that we have had the past 10

#### Dennis Rose

2333 Graybill Rd.

### Trash contract

Daniel & Rosemary Koch <danrose3426@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:27 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

My husband and I are pleased with the service we have had over the years with Kimble and we would like to stay with a known and reliable service.

#### Waste hauler

Randy Reed <randyreed@neo.rr.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:27 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I think Kimble has done a fine job for us. I think it's completely reasonable for the cost to increase over 10 years and see no issue with paying the proposed increase and keeping Kimble.

Also having the offer for yard waste makes the decision easier.

We should keep Kimble.

Thanks, Randy

#### Waste hauler

Bruce McBrian <bamcbrian@gmail.com>
Mon 3/1/2021 2:30 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I am writing in regards to the proposal for waste hauling. My wife and I moved to Green this past October. We are VERY pleased with Kimble and are certainly willing to pay an extra \$1.30 per month. Kimble's service has been great and reliable. Previously we lived in Stow. I had contracted with Republic for many years. I can't recall all the phone calls I made to their customer service. Delivery was delayed or they didn't pick up trash that week. There were always excuses - their equipment broke down or they couldn't find drivers. This was previous to the pandemic. I switched to Kimble after so much frustration and aggravation with Republic and used them for several years before moving to Green. I also think that it's wonderful to use a local company as opposed to Republic which is in many locations. I highly suggest that if the decision is made to switch to Republic, that you sign ONLY a one year contract with options to renew. Based on my experience, you will hear many complaints from residents regarding service with Republic. Please don't switch.

Bruce McBrian 3861 Kippford Circle NW 330-603-9465

# Keep Kimble

Jack Evans <jevans7@neo.rr.com> Mon 3/1/2021 2:30 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

Sent from my iPhone

### Trash contract

Daniel & Rosemary Koch <danrose3426@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:31 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

We are willing to pay the additional 1.30/ month to keep Kimble as our waste hauler. They have been very reliable over the years. Cheaper is not always better.

### Trash survey

Jay Foringer <foringerj@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:34 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Let us know:

What is your experience with Kimble? With Republic?

My experience with Kimble has been mixed, I have been "skipped" and "green flagged" for what they considered "construction" waste a few times, but all in all, their service has been good. I don't have experience with Republic.

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you? No

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted? I am willing to pay additional for Kimble. I don't know Rebublic, but my experience is cheaper is not always better.

**Thanks Jay Foringer** 

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

## Kimble vs Republic

pjlseiko500@gmail.com <pjlseiko500@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:36 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Have had nothing but good experience with Kimble. Willing to pay the extra \$1.30/month.

Paul Lauritzen

3923 Golden Wood Way

Sent from my iPhone

### trash hauler

David Cundiff <drcundiff2@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:39 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org> I would like to go with the cheapest bidder!

### Kimble

James Forney <jamesforneyjr@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:39 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

My family prefers Kimble because of their liberal policy in disposing if yard wast.

James Forney

Sent from my iPhone

#### Kimble

renee abbott <reneemabbott@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:40 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I would like my voice heard in who I use for trash service as it is my responsibility to pay my bill. I have had zero problems with Kimble and want to continue with them. I have heard nothing but complaints about republic and not sure why City of Green thought this was a good choice to make for out community.

**Thanks** 

# Waste and recycling

Ron Horn <ronhorn52@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:40 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Stay with Kimble

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

#### Trash

David Flathers <ohioautos@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:43 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

What is your experience with Kimble? They suck

With Republic? They suck less

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you? No

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted? No, Kimble isn't worth as a whole the additional \$1.30 per address.

Please vote for the lowest bid.

### Kimble

Susan Brown <suzib1535@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:45 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I would like to keep Kimble as the hauler. I would be willing to pay the extra \$1.30/month.

Thank you for asking, Susan Brown suzib1535@yahoo.com 330-813-8317

### Waste hauler

Denise Lee <dlee1422@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:47 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Yes I'm willing to pay more to keep Kimble. Yard waste is not important to me.

Thank you!

Denise Lee 1422 Koons Rd

# trash company contract

Barbara Leasure < bleasure 2673@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:47 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I would vote to keep Kimble as we have had really dependable service from them. I remember Republic and was not very happy with their customer service.

### Trash change

Megan Brown <a href="mailto:dmbrown176@rocketmail.com">dmbrown176@rocketmail.com</a>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:47 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Hello and good afternoon. As a resident of Green, I would much rather keep my service with Kimble. I have had previous experience with Republic, and I was not satisfied. That small increase is not worth the hassle of switching companies, or having to deal with the issues that will come from that company. Thank you for considering our input.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

### Waste servuce

Susy Simc-Geissinger <ssimc@msn.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:48 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I can't even believe you would be considering a change of service for such an insignificant increase.

As I value my time, I will not give a whole dissertation on time vs money.

Our vote: keep the Kimble service.

They are consistent, offer good customer service and are a "local" company.

Rich and Susy Geissinger

### Trash

Shawn Rogers <shawnr10@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:49 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > Keep Kimble..

Sent from AT&T Yahoo Mail on Android

### Vote

Becky Good <becgood2@neo.rr.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:49 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I vote to keep Kimble. They are very reliable! Happy with their service

from my iPad

# garbage/recycling

lmv3687 <lmv3687@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:51 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I'm fine keeping Kimble but do not want the extra expense of yard waste. I would not use that. I mulch my grass clippings.

VonAllmen 3687 Myersville rd

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

### **Trash Contract**

John Vorhies <vorhiesjr@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:51 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I would vote to stay with Kimble with the higher cost. Experience has been very good.

Do not need yard waste service.

Best wishes,

John Vorhies

### Waste Hauler

Matthew Adkins <madkins@adkinsbuildingcompany.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:53 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Yard Waste disposal is very important to us, and I would absolutely prefer that we go with Republic provided they accept yard waste.

Thank you for letting us voice our opinion.

Matt Adkins

Matthew Adkins, P.E.

### waste and recycling hauler

Maria Carson <mcarson@apslearns.org>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:55 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I don't remember Republic being any different than Kimble.

I do not have a need for my yard waste to be picked up. So if that service is optional with Kimble, then I would choose them, so that residents that need that service could opt-into that service if needed.

I don't want to pay more for trash hauling, but I would like to have the best option for all residents and this seems to be Kimble.

Maria Carson Itinerant Secretary/Trainer Technology Services Administration Building (330)761-2863 mcarson@apslearns.org

#### Waste Hauler Contract

## Karen Hamilton < karen57h@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:00 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

What is your experience with Kimble? With Republic?

We are pleased with the service from Kimble. We do remember there being occasional issues with Republic services.

### Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you?

We would definitely be interested/need yard waste service. But is the subscription for year round service? Is it limited or unlimited? Must the waste be in a container or bagged? And what would be the monthly cost?

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted?

We would agree to \$1.30 per month premium to maintain reliable services.

Karen Hamilton karen57h@gmail.com

# Kimble vote yes

Glauthier Jr, Rick < RickGlauthier@dgisupply.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:02 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Stay with Kimble they do a good job and I don't mind paying a little more.

Sent from my iPhone

### **Kimble**

marcuslogan97 < marcuslogan97@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:02 PM To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > I want to stay with Kimble.

Sent from my T-Mobile 4G LTE Device

## Trash

Betty Price <bettyaprice@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:02 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Keep Kimble if we won't be able to put grass clippings in the trash!!

### Yes to Kimble

Glauthier Jr, Rick < RickGlauthier@dgisupply.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:04 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Stay with Kimble they do a good job and I don't mind paying a little more.

Sent from my iPhone

### Trash

Betty Price <bettyaprice@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:05 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I forget to add yes I will pay the additional money. The only yard waste we have is grass from mowing the yard and would not want to have to take it somewhere. 1387 Woodacres Ave, North Canton, OH 44720

### Trash

Rose, Randy <RRose@akronohio.gov>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:09 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble service has been great

They held a price point for 10 years.

The cost difference is negligible and maintaining continuity of service quality w/o changeover interruption certainly justifies the difference

Thank you

1114 Lake Breeze

### Kimble

Tara Kiernan <ztaraz@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:11 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

We would prefer to stay with them.

Thanks and have a great day! Tara Palmer

### Changing waste hauler

REM Graphics & Signs <remsigns@remgraphics-signs.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:13 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> I had a good experience with Kimble. I don't remember Republic. Yard waste service is not important to me. I would like the lowest bid accepted.

Rory Mayer

REM Graphics & Signs LLC 567 East Turkeyfoot Lake Road Suite B 3 Akron, OH 44319-4107 330 896-0564 www.remgraphics-signs.com

## Kimble vs Republic

Lee Karelitz < lmkarelitz@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:13 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

While I can't remember any bad experiences with Republic, I do know that Kimble has been very accommodating and reliable. My vote is to stay with Kimble.

Thanks for asking. Lee Karelitz 330-472-7672

### Waste Hauler Aggregation

LYNDA SMOLE < ismole@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:14 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Council:

What is Republic defining as yard waste? I am currently able to put leaves in a bag(s) or in the container and it will be picked up. I am also able to throw small limbs and sticks into the container as long they are a certain length. Will that no longer be acceptable with Republic and will Kimble still accept it?

Please confirm that the total increase in rate is more than \$1.30 (current rate +increase). This may confuse some since it will be closer to a \$3-\$4 increase overall.

I was on Council when Green agreed to approve a single hauler for the City and again when the contract was awarded to Kimble. The single hauler issue was controversial because everyone wanted to be able to choose their hauler. As a result, we had at least 3-5 different pick up services running different routes at different times every day. A single hauler would simplify the City schedule and reduce wear and tear on the roads.

Republic had the majority of the households on single contract but there were a lot of complaints. That was the major reason there was concern that a change needed to be made. The change to Kimble was questioned by Council even though they were lowest bidder because they were not local (based in the Canton area), a fairly new company in the area, would they be able to handle the increase in routes with the equipment they had or if problems popped up in their other areas would Green be the red headed step child and be last to get attention.

Kimble rose to the occasion and invested a lot of money on equipment and drivers and the rest is history.

I have never had a problem nor have I heard any overwhelming amounts of complaints. Customer service is wonderful and pick up service is outstanding.

Cities strive to seek out quality vendors who perform above and beyond not just for a single year but year after year. Kimble has done just that.

I understand competitive business and the government bidding process. This works fine for salt, asphalt, toilet paper and light bulbs. When you're bidding for service it should be different. The past track record of the vendor should be taken into account snd weigh heavily in the decision. Customer service is very important as well as turn around time resolving complaints and/or concerns. In this case, Kimble is outstanding.

If Green starts to switch from longtime vendors who have performed well year after year, project after project for only the simple reason another company bids lower we will be searching for vendors who will want to even bid our jobs. There comes a time that the bottom line shouldn't be the nickels, dimes, and dollars. Our years long working relationships with engineering firms and consulting agencies will be at risk for those who choose to undercut just to get the business. Get the contract then we'll figure out how to do it!! Worse yet, there may be fewer bids for City work because we will be forced to take the

lowest bid no exceptions and vendors will choose not to risk accepting a contract that could be terminated in a short period of time.

Corners will be cut to avoid a situation when the fear would be if another vendor under bids our current vendor who knows the account and work history with the City, has relationships with the Administration and the public the fear would be just that - how do we avoid loosing a trusted vendor and start from scratch building a working relationship only to realize that in a short period of time the process would start all over!

I understand there are legal concerns with a contract bid that must be considered to avoid litigation. I have no doubt that if Council is of the opinion that what they are hearing from those that are being served is important and needs to be considered that a solid, legal path can be created to make it happen.

To simple answer to your question is I am in favor to keep Kimble for at least another five years with an annual renewal for another 5 years until they fail to satisfy our criteria.

Thank you Lynda

cc. Matt Shaughnessy

## Trash Removal

Danny <klecknet@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:15 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I suggest we keep Kimble as they've been reliable & efficient

## Trash hauling contract

Dennis West <dlwest712@gmail.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:17 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Please Keep Kimble. Willing to pay for better service.

**Dennis West** 

#### Trash service

Donzell S. Taylor < DTaylor@thinkwelty.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:22 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

What is your experience with Kimble? With Republic? Kimble has been awesome and I have no issues with their service

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you? Yea well worth it to me

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted? Yes. Seams to be its best value and should not be just low price

## Donzell S. Taylor

President & CEO

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## (No subject)

denrea@att.net <denrea@att.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:24 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I have been very satisfied with Kimble and would prefer to stay with them for the additional \$1.30/month. Thank you for requesting my input. Dennis Rea

Sent from my Verizon LG Smartphone

## Kimble vs Republic Waste collection

Mark Watson < mawpaw1967@comcast.net> Mon 3/1/2021 3:24 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble has done an outstanding for the two homes that I own within our Turkeyfoot Hights community. I am very much a "if it ain't broken don't fix it". Either option has a fee increase. To me paying extra for "lawn waste" is outrageous, that is a component of my trash most every week. They are unbundling their services in order to increase their revenue. Public utilities are masters at that.

My choice KEEP KIMBLE

NO separate fee for lawn waste.

Thank you for expressing interest in my opinion.

#### **Trash Haulers**

deer724@aol.com <deer724@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:33 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

- 1. My experience with Kimble has been very good.
- 2. Yard Waste not important to me.
- 3. I would be willing to pay more to keep Kimble.

## Trash haulers

Virginia Reedy <glreedy@att.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:34 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I prefer Kimble because they are more reliable but I live in Redwood units on Arlington and they use Republic. Republic does a good job but are often late or don't show up at all on the day that is assigned. I would gladly pay more for Kimble but Redwood is in charge of that decision.

Virginia Reedy

Sent from my iPad

## Trash increase

Mary Rose Nischwitz <thank\_a\_teacher@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:41 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Please remove my email from your list. I don't live in Green anymore. I moved 2 1/2 years ago

# Kimble/Republic wast service

amee boggs <xboggs@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:41 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> keep kimble

## Kimble is fine.

GARY FLOWER <gflower11@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:41 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

#### Kimble Trash

teekan2@att.net <teekan2@att.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:42 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

To whome it May Concern.

I have lived in Green All my life and we had Republic. Way too many issues. 10yrs ago picking up the trash they scattered wasn't an issue. I was 10 yrs younger.

We ABSOLUTELY Love Kimble and will pay the extra \$1.30 to keep them. We DON'T need the lawn stuff we take care of our own. I'm not Happy that this is even an issue on the Table. I am thankful that we are given a say so as to how we feel. Thank You.

Respectfully Edward And Therese Jacobs

Sent from my Boost Mobile Phone.

Karen and I want to keep Campbell services they are excellent republic didn't do as good a job before again we want Kimble and \$1.30 more a month

Joseph P Gregor <jgregor@uakron.edu> Mon 3/1/2021 3:45 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

## **Kimble**

Michael Hayn <mdhayn@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:47 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble has great customer service and has always performed well. I prefer to keep them even though they are slightly higher.

I have had Republic in the past and the service was not as good as Kimble.

### **Waste Hauler**

Todd Nichols <twaddpark@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:47 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I have been satisfied with Kimble and have not had any issues. I do recall Republic at times tossed trash into my yard that they did not accept.

A yard waste subscription would be important if I was not able to compost myself.

I am fine paying an extra \$ 1.30 if Kimble is retained.

Regards,

**Todd Nichols** 330.464.8654

### Kimble versus Republic

la9691@aol.com <la9691@aol.com> Mon 3/1/2021 3:49 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> Dear Mr. Shaughnessy,

Thank you for reaching out and giving the residents a voice.

What is your experience with Kimble? With Republic? It's been a while since having Republic however I remember once switching to Kimble the entire trash collection/recycling seemed to have improved and less worries.

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you? It is not important, we have too much yard (2 acres) to worry about. We wouldn't utilize it but possibly if it was an add-on service, we would consider at times if needed. Otherwise, I do not want to pay for services I am not using because the bulk of allotments want it.

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted? Considering the property taxes here, I'm not concerned paying the extra \$15.60 a year. However, I do see Tallmadge is starting to use Kimble and Kimble appears to be slightly cheaper. Not sure why. As a resident, it just seems like wasted time spent. We've been happy with Kimble. Unless it was a significant price drop, just doesn't seem worth it.

Thanks,

Lisa O'Brien

#### **Waste Services**

Gina Laterza < ginalaterza@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:58 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Cc: Brad Laterza <biaterza@gmail.com>

Hello,

First, I want to thank you for the consideration of the email and for asking residents their opinion regarding waste and disposal services. We have been very pleased with Kimball services and like the ability to throw away yard waste, as well as, bi-weekly recycling.

We would be willing to pay the additional cost in order to keep Kimble, as I also find them relatively easy to work with.

Kind Regards,

Brad and Gina Laterza 5671 Buck Trail

## **Kimble**

Christi <dca94@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:58 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble has been excellent.

Yard waste service is a necessity.

Definitely willing to pay the addition to keep Kimble.

Thank you, Christi Autz

Sent from my iPad

### Kimble

Christi <dca94@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 3:58 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble has been excellent.

Yard waste service is a necessity.

Definitely willing to pay the addition to keep Kimble.

Thank you, Christi Autz

Sent from my iPad

#### TRASH PICKUP

Thomas Angelo <tomangelo@att.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:01 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Keep Kimble. Although I don't need yard waste pickup Kimble has the option for those in need. Service Director Wax Carr has no business suggesting residents have trouble with Kimble's service.

According to last council meeting.

#### **Waste Service**

Ralph Tate <tate.r@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:03 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Mr. Shaughnessy,

First, let me say thank you for wanting to get feedback from citizens regarding waste contracts before making a decision that affects us all. We appreciate that approach.

Regarding Kimble vs. Republic, we've been Green residents for 20 years, so we've been through different providers. One thing we like with Kimble is being able to set out additional bags with the can, and they take them. This doesn't happen often, but when it does it's a nice service.

We thought we read that recyclables would be picked up by Republic weekly, rather than every 2 weeks as with Kimble. This is something we're interested in, as we recycle a lot of items and sometimes forget which week we're on, which results in an overflow situation. Every week pickup would be ideal. So...points for Kimble, points for Republic.

Regarding cost, an additional small increase is ok, but we were a bit taken back when we saw the automatic increase that was going to be inevitable no matter which provider is used. Going from \$41.67 to \$53.85 is quite an increase, although we realize many services have gone or are going up in price.

If Republic picks up an additional bag or 2, and recycles weekly (and considering the slightly lower overall cost), we would be satisfied with making a change. We don't have a need for yard disposal.

While we love lower cost, lower cost without comparable service would not be our choice.

Thank you again for the chance to respond.

Ralph and Jeannine Tate 2927 David court Uniontown

## kimble vs republic

bill corsaut <wcorsaut@outlook.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:03 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

i have had no issues with either. Even though we currently do not have any yard waste picked up, i would like that option even if it means higher monthly bill.

i would vote to stay with our current waste hauler.

**Bill Corsaut** 

please cut and paste my email into your response

wcorsaut@neo.rr.com

## Trash contract

Steph <smdemuesy@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:05 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Stick with Kimble!! I will pay more and would even pay for yard waste container

#### Waste hauler

Michele Ellis < m.r.ellis@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:09 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Hello,

I would like to keep our current provider. They provide great service and it is important to be able to have yard waste removed in the spring and fall.

We reside in King's Ridge. I hope you will consider our suggestion.

Sincerely,

Michele Ellis

Sent from AT&T Yahoo Mail for iPhone

#### Kimble

Cynthia Duckworth <cynduck@neo.rr.com> Mon 3/1/2021 4:09 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Please keep Kimble as our trash provider. They have always provided exceptional service. I am willing the pay a little extra to keep them. Republic's service was never as good. There is more to choosing a company than just cost. Kimble has served the City well and I would like for us to keep them.

The yard waste cart isn't important to me but I appreciate having the option for those that would need it.

Cynthia Duckworth Be Still and Know Oils, LLC www.myyl.com/cynduck

## Keep Kimble

kimberly lenz <kimberlylenz@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:14 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble has provided excellent service! It would be wrong to end contract due to small increase in price. The economic status of our country would make it hard for a business not incur an increase in cost to provide a service; ie, gas price increases, increase in cost to provide health care to their employees, etc. Please keep a great company- Kimble as our provider.

Sincerely, Green resident since 1994

### Trash

Shelly Grubs <shellygrubbs4@gmail.com> Mon 3/1/2021 4:17 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> Willing to pay the additional cost

#### Yard waste Kimble

Sandra Criswell <sandy923@sssnet.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:24 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

We have a waste cart and recycle cart. Are you stating that we will have to pay an additional cost to rid of our leaves? What is that charge? We do not collect our grass clippings, so we would only need to pay for a few collections?

We are satisfied with Kimble.

Sent from my iPad

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#### Waste haul contract renewal feedback

Tanya Miracle <ttmiracle@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:28 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Hello

I wanted to provide my feedback to the upcoming waste hauler contract.

- 1. Both Kimble and Republic served our neighborhood similarly. Kimble tends to leave a significant amount of trash on our street in which myself and my children end up picking up. This is not pleasant. I do not recall Republic having this same issue, but it has been a number of years.
- 2. Yard waste disposal is important, but I would not pay to dispose of it. So it takes it out of the decision for me.
- 3. Cost is important and I would prefer not to pay the higher cost for Kimble.
- 4. One additional factor is recycling. We typically have a full recycle bin once per week but Kimble only picks up every other week. If Republic would pick up recycling every week then that would be extremely beneficial to us.

Hope this feedback helps in the decision making process!

Thank you Tanya Miracle 3937 Greenfield Rd Uniontown OH 44685 330-801-5613

## Trash

Deloryes Hicks <deljean7070@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 4:34 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Sent from my iPhone we want to keep for our trash is Kimble !!!! N

## Keep Kimble

Pam Hays <pam@bhays.com> Mon 3/1/2021 4:40 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I am interested in keeping Kimble. They have had good service from them.

## Refuse pickup

Amy Swansiger <aswansiger1@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 4:52 PM To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> Council,

My preference for refuse pickup is Republic due to the reduced cost. As a retiree on a fixed income cost savings is extremely important to me.

Sincerely,

**Amy Swansiger** 

#### Kimble Trash

Jennifer Gehring <jgehring62@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:56 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Hello,

Thank you for asking the residents opinion.

Kimble has done a great job and should stay with the City of Green.

What is your experience with Kimble? Kimble has done a great job and should stay with the City of Green.

With Republic? Two weeks ago Republic did not pick up the residents of Coventry garbage for 3 days due to snow. Same snow was in our yards and Kimble had no trouble. The recycling is always an issue and does not include everything that Kimble picks up.

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you?

Yes it is.

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted?

I am willing to pay even more for Kimble to have weekly recycling.

Jennifer Gehring 361 Abbyshire rd Akron, Ohio 44319

# Waste hauling contract

ETCY PCpaws <etc6433@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:56 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

We are happy to continue having Kimble service our area for trash collection and recycling. Their customer service has always been positive and in some cases exemplary. Even at a marginal increase and their monthly fee it would be well worth it for dependable, all around excellent service.

Pat and Connie Wasik 433 E. Comet Rd. Clinton, OH

# Garbage service

Bob Cosher <rrcpickle@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 4:58 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

If we keep Kimble, what Is the fee for the yard disposal cart, the size of the cart and frequency of pickup? Is Republic refusing lawn waste in their contract? Is the City of Green going to allow disposal of grass clippings at the recycle center and will the hours be more convenient each week?

Sent from AT&T Yahoo Mail on Android

#### Refuse service

RAMON YOUNG <dolphin-diver@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:00 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Mr Shaughnessy,

First thank you for reaching out to the residence of green and allowing our input. I need to correct you on one statement I read. You asked about how we want to handle our yard waste and mentioned taking it to Greens recycle center. Green stopped allowing grass clippings in the recycle center last year. They have posted signs at both the recycle center as well as on there website. So our residence does not have that option anymore. They don't take all waste because i tried to recycle tree stump grinding and was turned away because there was dirt mixed in with it. Basically tree trimmings and leaves is all they take from your yard. They still have metal, paper, glass, plastic and so on the one side. How every with your question come some of our own. Naturally the first is cost. How much for this yard waste bin service. How big is the container and how often will it be picked up. Now to answer your questions and to be honest. I did in fact like Republics service back when we had them. Never had an issue nor did I ever call them. How ever when Kimble started they had a high standard to uphold. At the beginning they had issues in there service. I did place numerous calls and emails on different issues. They did get back with me in a timely fashion and eventually they got things worked out for the most part. Since then I can honestly say they have been pretty good and dependable. The second question is about being interested in yard waste service. Again price will determine that. Then to finish, the \$1.30 is a hard one. If we are getting the same service and are comparing apples to apples and that is it then why spend the extra. I see where this is a hard decision and your not going to please everyone. If Green would open up recycle to grass clippings I would say Republic. But if Republic doesn't offer yard waste service then that is diffidently something to look at. Sorry so lengthy but thank you again for time and concern in the matter.

Best regards, Ramon Young

# Yes Kimble

Kathy Keiser < kkeiser@neo.rr.com> Mon 3/1/2021 5:04 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

## **Retaining Kimble services**

Brian Jackson <bri> brian@bjackcity.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:09 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

My name is Brian Jackson. I moved to green at the age of 2 in 1975 before any of the current council and administration even thought about coming to my township and start ruining it. On this subject I have this opinion. Since before 92 we haven't had a better refuse service provider then the Ohio based Kimble recycle and refuse. I haven't been able to find the bids other then what Republic waste bid is. Saying they will be cheaper by a 1.30 a month for 3 years then more in the fourth and fifth years of this 10 year contract. So what's going to happen on the sixth to tenth year? I also do not like Valerie Wax Carr's attitude toward the people that pay her salary. Republic is not an Ohio company. I support Green first, Ohio second, Arizona never.

It is time for the council to follow what the majority of our citizens want for a change. Keep Kimble as our refuse contractor.

#### **Green to Vote on Waste Hauler Contract**

John Porzio <pojo99@icloud.com> Mon 3/1/2021 5:09 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

# Linda Browning & John Porzio

We Vote Kimble

## Trash Hauler

William Meyer <wamakron1@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:13 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

We are satisfied with Kimble if they would have recycle collection every week. Republic also did a good job for us years ago as well. So if Kimble does not start weekly recycle I would be supportive of the proposed switch. Also, the addition cost is not a factor as far as we are concerned.

> Bill and Nancy Meyer 165 Mindora Dr. Green

# RE: Green to vote on waste hauler contract. Your response requested

DE <donny4472@neo.rr.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:16 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

No problems with either.

Yard waste is not important to me.

I simply want the lowest bid.

From: "Matt Shaughnessy"

To: Cc:

Sent: Monday March 1 2021 2:35:52PM

Subject: Green to vote on waste hauler contract. Your response requested

Dear Green Resident,

Green City Council is scheduled to vote to accept a new ten-year contract for our waste and recycling hauler on March 9th. The bids are in and our current hauler's bid (Kimble), is \$1.30/month higher than Republic, who was hauler before Kimble. Many in our community want us to keep Kimble despite the higher monthly cost citing superior service and prior performance issues with Republic.

An additional consideration is that with the acceptance of the new contract, residents will no longer be permitted to throw yard waste away with their trash. Kimble submitted its bid with an optional subscription service for an additional monthly fee for a yard waste cart which would provide a solution for residents who do not want, or can't, mulch, compost, or take yard waste to the city's recycling center. Republic's bid does not offer an optional ward waste service.

As chair of the committee considering this legislation, I'm seeking additional input from our residents and asking you to send your comments to our Clerk of Council at council@cityofgreen.org.

#### Let us know:

What is your experience with Kimble? With Republic?

No problems with either.

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you?

No.

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted?

I simply want the lowest bid.

Please reply to council@cityofgreen.org

Unfortunately, since our current contract is 10 years old, we will all see an increase in our service costs regardless of service provider. The new monthly rate for unlimited solid waste cart and recycling with Republic is \$16.64; Kimble 17.95.

Sincerely,

#### **KEEP KIMBLE**

GM K <gmkabb@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:18 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

We have been VERY PLEASED with KIMBLE. Prior to that we had Republic and it was not a good experience. There were many complaints...suggest you look back in your files and check out the number of complaints and what the issues were.

Having a subscription for yard waste is not important to us. Quality service is!! Republic DID NOT PROVIDE Quality Service!!!

WE WOULD GLADLY PAY TWICE THE AMOUNT of \$1.30 a month to KEEP KIMBLE!!! The lowest bid isn't the lowest when the service sucks or if there are constant problems with the provider. We also are OK with either weekly or biweekly Recycling pick up as well.

Greer & Ellery Langkamp 465 Comet Lane

# Kimble

James Casselberry < jimcassretcdf@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:25 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Kimble has been very good. I would like to keep them. The additional cost is not a problem.

## Trash

Kim Hackett <thewildspirit@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:27 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

One concern with yard waste is what will happen if it's not picked up? How much is the yard subscription?

Kimble has done an excellent job and are superior with customer service.

Kim Hackett-Boykin

## **Waste Hauler Contract**

megreen39 < megreen39@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:29 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I would like to keep Kimble as our waste hauler. Thanks, Mike Green

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

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### FEEDBACK: Trash hauler

Joash Bloom <joash@schippergroup.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:38 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Good afternoon Mr. Shaughnessy.

I have experienced both Republic and Kimble service recently and remain satisfied with Kimble's services.

I prefer Kimble and am satisfied paying a couple of dollars a month more.

Considering the two, I like the service that Kimble will pick up larger items if you call them. Although the yard waste exclusion is disappointing, it will encourage us to find other responsible ways to care for our property waste.

I appreciate that you've included the end-users in this consideration. We feel listened to. Thank you.

Gratefully,

Joash Bloom

Vice President - Technology www.SchipperGroup.com (330) 858-9454



# (No subject)

Bonnie Daugherty <bugsbon@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:39 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I am very happy with Kimble, and don't mind paying a little extra for it. I am also allowed 2 refuse carts which really helps my family.

**Bonnie Daugherty** 

## kimble

neh77 < neh77@sssnet.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:52 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > I am satisfied with Kimble and their good service. Let's keep them and realize everything is going up.

Nancy Holderfield

#### Vote on waste hauler

Thomas Stopher <trstopher@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 6:01 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Hello, as there is currently a lot of discussion about the waste hauler contract, I'd like offer my opinion as a Green resident. I previously lived in Lawrence township just outside of Canal Fulton. In the township we had the choice of our hauler. Many people in my old neighborhood had numerous issues with Republic and Waste Management. I switched to Kimble and my neighbors soon followed. I never had an issue with Kimble while living there, or in the years I've now lived in Green. I've seen the question raised about the price difference. Speaking for my household, we would rather pay a little more and continue getting the quality service we're used to. The only exciting thing about Republic would be the weekly recycling.

Thank you, TR Stopher

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

# Kimble vs republic

Nick <asilverpistol@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 6:08 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

What was the issue with republic?

#### trash

nicholaskerman < nicholaskerman@aol.com >

Mon 3/1/2021 6:15 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

What is your experience with Kimble? With Republic?

Borh companies were the same. Its trash not an overnight shipment of heart medicine. I really dont care if its late or not. I believe it should fall on our City leaders to hold the companies service accountable for there performance. If its subpar it should he handled by the City.

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you?

Like many, i dispose of yard waste. What is going to be the size of the yard waste container?

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted?

No. I will do the same thing nearly everone else does. Bag up the grass and bury it in the bottom of the container. Its grass not a toxic chemical.

## trash hauler

mugs1248@twc.com <mugs1248@twc.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 6:29 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

We would like to keep Kimble. We feel they do a good job and never had any problems. The extra \$1.30 is well worth it.

Paul & Margaret Moore 260 Magua Dr Akron OH 44319 330-645-6727

# Kimble

susan bleichrodt <bleichrodt@att.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 6:40 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org>

I would prefer to keep Kimble even though their bid was higher.

## Kimble Trash

mmjgordon <mmjgordon@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 6:48 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > I would really like to stay with Kimble! Always helpful, friendly, and on time! I will gladly pay the extra money!

Thank you,

Marla Gordon Kings Ridge

Sent from the all new Aol app for iOS

#### Kimble Refuse

Josh White <jwhite162@twc.com> Mon 3/1/2021 7:01 PM To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> Green City Council,

I have enjoyed the last 10 years with Kimble. I can't remember a time when service was anything but excellent. I'm happy to pay the additional \$1.30 per month. Additionally Kimble's billing and CRM web portal is far superior to that of Republic Waste. I do have one minor request / suggestion:

When Kimble took over they had us continue to use our Republic waste trash bins; not to be confused with the green recycle bins. With the new contract are we able to request a new waste trash bin? I find the City of Green yard waste drop super helpful and use that service every year and would not be interested in a Kimble yard waste option. I love our city! Thanks for all you do.

Respectfully,

Joshua J. White 330.414.9707

#### **Trash Contract**

Allison Collins <aledcol@gmail.com> Mon 3/1/2021 7:06 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I have no complaints about Kimble's services. They have been great to work with over the last 10 years. My previous experience with Republic was not positive. Please don't break something that is currently working very well.

The yard waste issue is important. I do use my trash bins for grass clippings, leaves and small bush trimmings. I would hate to lose this option. I do bring some items to the recycle center but I don't like to place these items in my car due to the mess it creates and I don't have a large enough vehicle; additionally the recycle center is not always open at times that are convenient for me. One other item, since the recycle center does not accept grass clippings any longer, what would I do with them??? I will not leave them lay on my well manicured lawn. Kimble has always taken the grass clippings.

I am more than happy to pay an extra \$1.30 per month to remain with Kimble.

Respectfully submitted, Allison Collins, Green Resident 1268 Cedar Wood Way

# Wastehauler

Susan <Suzeque53@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 7:27 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Please stay with Kimble. We have had no issues with them. We had Republic years ago and did not like them. Missed pickups were a problem.

# Kimble vs Republic

Priscilla <emcca18064@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 7:33 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

We really prefer to have a service where we can put our yard waste into our trash containers. The additional cost of \$1.30 per month seems very minimal with regard to this service. Please retain Kimble as our waste management company.

# Kimble

Dawn D'Angelo <ddangelo824@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 7:35 PM To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> Hello,

We would like to keep Kimble

# Trash

Mark watkins <watkinskram@gmail.com> Mon 3/1/2021 7:42 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org> Keep Kimble!

#### Trash collection

Sarah Noirot <sarah\_noirot@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:00 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Hello! I am emailing in response to the request from council for residents to email with their options on the trash contract. I have been a resident for 18 years. I have been very pleased with Kimbles service and would prefer the city renew the contract with them than switch to republic. We own property in other cities that use Republic. I have to say it's not awful (not superb) but we have had Kimble employees that go above and beyond!! I currently pay for an extra recycling cart ( we recycle more than we throw away) so the every other week pickup is not a problem for us. In my experience Kimble is doing a fantastic job and we are very pleased. In our experience with Republic, it is usually ok service, but sometimes they forget to pick up and won't come back until the following week. I've had a couple times where we were skipped by Kimble and each time they returned same day or the following morning to rectify their mistake.

Thank you for hearing the public's views and your consideration!

Sarah Noirot

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

# Republic v Kimble

andrew.lawton@sbcglobal.net <andrew.lawton@sbcglobal.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:11 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Hello Matt.

Our experience with Republic was favorable and were honestly shocked when the switch was made to Kimble. We do not put yard waste in our trash so that is not an issue for us. We have not been dissatisfied with Kimble but would welcome Republic. Either way the extra \$1.30 per month would not have an impact on our decision; we are mostly about the quality of service.

Thank you,

Andy and Chris Lawton

# (No subject)

bbouch133@aol.com <bbouch133@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:19 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I have some questions for you before I reply to this email.

- 1) Is the city required to take the lowest bid, or do we actually have a choice?
- 2) Does no yard waste mean we are not allowed to even put a few sticks into the trash receptacle, or just not put separate bags of yard waste in?
- 3). Does Republic not offer yard waste pickup at all or is it included with the monthly fee?
- 4). What will Kimble's fee for yard waste pickup be?

I will respond when I have a better understanding of the difference between the two carriers. Thank you.

Jean Bouchard, bbouch133@aol.com

# Requested feedback- Keep Kimble

Stephanie Bailey <sbailey65@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:25 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Responding to an email to let Council know about the upcoming trash vote.

What is your experience with Kimble?

Friendly driver that cleans up when things fall out of bins even when residents overfill Cleaner newer trucks Consistent pick up without missed stops **Newer Carts** 

With Republic? Missed pick ups Rude customer service. Trash from truck on roads Broke down trucks Noisy trucks

Is a subscription service for yard waste important to you?

Yes, I thought this was a request by residents already?

Are you willing to pay an additional \$1.30 per month to keep Kimble or do you simply want the lowest bid accepted?

Yes! Kimble!

I think increase is moderate for such a long duration of time.

I would love to see Council support the residents and act on our behalf to Keep Kimble.

Also as a side note. I have never viewed green as a lowest bidder wins. Quality matters. Can we keep this in mind for future vendor proposals?

## Trash service

Karyn Simmons <ksimmon4@att.net>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:32 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I have had only good experiences with Kimble.

I really don't remember Republic.

Yes, being able to have a place to put yard waste is VERY important.

I am fine with Kimble. I am willing to pay more for good service.

Karyn Simmons 4078 Greenridge Dr. Uniontown, OH 44685

Sent from my iPad

# Kimble

Michelle Adkison <shel2486@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:32 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Hello! I am in favor of keeping Kimble, also would be interested in paying a small fee for yard waste.

**Thanks** 

Michelle

#### Waste Hauler

vpdrthy@aol.com <vpdrthy@aol.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:35 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I have never had any problem with Kimble. They are always on time.

I don't remember about the previous service of Republic.

A subscription service for yard waste is hugely important to me. We cannot mulch, compost or take yard waste to the city recycling center.

I don't care about the price. I want whomever will allow me to dispose of my yard waste.

Thank you, **Dorothy Albanese** 143 S Tamarack Rd.

# Keep Kimble as Waste Service

Marilia <mariliah.bernardo@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 8:56 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

I know you're considering switching from Kimble to Republic Waste Service. I would much rather pay Kimble.

Republic has horrible customer service, they are not reliable and I have seen them knocking off mailboxes during winter. Please let Kimble continue to service the city of Green.

Thanks,

Marília Flora

### **Waste Hauler Contract**

Robert Bachmann < robert.bachmann@icloud.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:04 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

...In favor of Republic if they match the current scope of services from Kimble.

After 10 years, not pleased that there would now be an add on for yard waste from Kimble and not in favor of an additional subscription for yard waste.

No issue with Kimble's yearly price increase, big issue with changing scope of service.

**Bob Bachmann** 445 Derbyshire

Sent from my iPad

### Waste hauler contract

SHERI EBBOTT <sheri.ebbott@me.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:05 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

We would like to vote to continue the contract with Kimble as they have been very reliable and have always been excellent in customer service. \$1.30 per month is worth it (in our opinion) to continue the great service we've had. A yard waste service isn't as important to us but it may be to others. Thank you for considering public opinions in regards to this matter! Sincerely, Sheri

## Fwd: Green to vote on waste hauler contract. Your response requested

Rob Valloric <rvalloric@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:16 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

We have not experienced any problems with Kimble.

The option for yard waste is nice for those who can not take yard waste to the recycle center. What is the extra costs for this extra service?

The extra costs to us for Kimble is not enough to be concerned with.

Thanks for asking! Rob Valloric 1675 King Dr.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Matt Shaughnessy < Mshaughnessy@cityofgreen.org >

Date: Mon, Mar 1, 2021 at 2:35 PM

Subject: Green to vote on waste hauler contract. Your response requested

To:

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Sincerely,

Matt Shaughnessy, Ward 4 City Council

### Re: Green to vote on waste hauler contract. Your response requested

Engelbert Gal <engelbertgal@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 5:03 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org> Cc: Matt Shaughnessy < Mshaughnessy@cityofgreen.org>

Thank you for your email

At this point in time, I understand that costs will increase, and that makes sense. However, I am more confused on the topic of what is considered "trash". I understand that the County and State indicate certain items that should not be considered waste, like Paint, Construction debris as well as hazardous materials etc. However, yard waste wouldn't fall into that. Understandably clippings can often be chopped up into bits to "disappear" over the lawn, but what about the leaves, weeds, fall and spring cleanup. That being said where does it start and where does it stop? One could say that a substantial amount of yard waste could be created during the growing season for valid reasons. Oftentimes this waste is much larger than my normal half bin of household trash.

It is noteworthy to try to direct people to the Recycling Center However, I feel that trying to get to the center during operating hours is a burden as well as the physical ability to move it into a container and then transport it to the center involves additional truck and trailer to carry this which is unreasonable.

If yard trash is not considered part of the weekly pickup, then why have the service? We should simply open up all service companies to the City of Green. It feels like council/purchasing missed the mark on what residents need, and that is the most disappointing part of it all.

I've worked with both vendors, and each has its own pros and cons, but I want unlimited trash pickup. I'm willing to pay for additional bins. I do not want to pay by the bag or have to acquire proprietary bags for this. Kimble was fair, but gaps in this purchase process seems to expose residents to the opportunity for fleecing or the additional "Yard Service fees" and the definition of trash.

This sounds like it needs another round of RFPs.

Thank you.

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Tammy Daly <tammyldaly@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 2:48 PM

To: Matt Shaughnessy < Mshaughnessy@cityofgreen.org >; Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > Hi.

Thanks for asking for feedback on the waste hauler companies.

I am in favor of the company that will pick up recycling every week instead of every other week. Kimble is currently picking up recycling only every other week. I believe Republic would pick up recycling every week, no?

Our household has more recycling products than regular waste. At the end of a two week cycle, our garage is overflowing with cardboard boxes and paper. We put out 4 trash bins of recycling every other week. It is a burden to store that much. We really hope the city will enter into a contract where recycling is picked up every week,

Thanks for the opportunity to give feedback -- Tammy Daly 1779 King Dr

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# Trash changes

Melanie Gray <melanie77gray@icloud.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:16 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

As a resident of green for over ten years now, I can honestly say I have zero complaints about Kimble. On the other hand, I have seen nothing but negative info regarding republic. Not just from green residents, but from current customers in other cities.

Why fix something that isn't broken? Our trash fees are so cheap, an extra dollar or two should not cause us to switch!

Sent from my iPhone

# **Voting for Waste Hauler for City of Green**

Karen Hurd <kdhbirdie@gmail.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:19 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

We would like to keep Kimble. Thank you

# (No subject)

Brian Clevenger <br/> <br/> brianoclevenger@yahoo.com> Mon 3/1/2021 9:19 PM To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org> I prefer Kimble, no issues with their service. Brian Clevenger 1824 Koons Rd

Sent from my iPhone

# **Keep Kimble**

Benjamin Elsass <ben.elsass@icloud.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:43 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

Cc: ICE1 Kristie <Kash580@neo.rr.com>

Hello

Thanks for asking for our input. We vote to keep Kimble. Better service, more options and cost is not significantly more.

**Thanks** 

Ben

Sent from my iPhone

Ben Elsass 330-807-2511

### Trash

Carina Klockner < cklockner@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 9:53 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Please keep Kimble. Their service is great! It's worth the price.

Sent from my iPhone

#### Refuse Provider

Allie R. Kozick <allie@kozick.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 10:15 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

To Whom It May Concern,

I wanted to express my wish to keep Kimble as our refuse provider for the City of Green. Over the years, we have had nothing except for exceptional service from Kimble. One of the garbage trucks accidentally broke the lid of the can and they replaced it right away. They are also always wonderful with taking all of the extra bags of trash that we leave out. Prior to our move to Green, we had Republic and we were not pleased with their service. We had multiple weeks where our trash was not picked up and then they would not take the extra trash the next week. I would honestly rather pay a little extra every month for the quality of service that Kimble provides. An extra \$1.30 per month is worth it so that I don't have to deal with Republic again. Thank you for taking my opinion into account when deciding on this matter.

Allie Kozick

### waste hauler contract

Joanne Hicks <grannyhicks1937@yahoo.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 10:21 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org >

I have had a very good experience with Kimble and would like to keep them. I really need yard waste pickup even with the higher charge. Thank you.

# (No subject)

Beth Lansinger <br/> bethlansinger@gmail.com> Mon 3/1/2021 10:22 PM To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > Please keep Kimble as trash hauler. Thanks Beth Lansinger

#### Kimble -trash bid

Tara Kafides <tarakafides@outlook.com>

Mon 3/1/2021 10:29 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org <council@cityofgreen.org>

Good evening!

As a resident of Green for over 15 years, I have lived both providers. republic was not consistent or efficient. I recall so many times my husband(at the time) would be calling about trash all over the driveway. Trash cans drug down the road, knocked over and damaged. Kimble has been extremely consistent and the drivers are professional and helpful. Several weeks ago, it was very windy, when the truck flipped my can, wind caught it and he actually got out and picked up the trash that fell out!! In the wind and cold. I have also attached recent complaints of Republic from Franklin twp.

I will pay a little more for quality service! Thank you,

7:22



Lynne's Post



Lynne Jones asked a question on in The New Franklin Voice Group.

25m · 🕙

Is anyone else having service problems w Republic Sevices recycling? We have not had recycling come for one month now on Lahm Dr. They have missed 2 pickups. Weather was not an issue. When I call them they make an appt for the next day and no one comes. I have called NF administration and she contacted them. She was told someone should pick up today. Nope. So frustrated.

If you are having issues please call city hall so they are aware of the situation.

# 6 Answers











Michelle Shelly Nemes-Headley Same no pick up on nimisila

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Write an answer...



















Tara Kafides

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### Kimble

Verica Krstevski <verica.krstevski@gmail.com> Mon 3/1/2021 11:19 PM

To: Council@cityofgreen.org < council@cityofgreen.org > Keep Kimble. That's all.