Recent ordinance changes by City Council give residents more freedom of choice and convenience in their garbage bag use, costs and ordering options through a user on-demand system...buy when and how you need to. You may:

• Continue using a rolling rash container if you currently have one (or return it and choose one of the two other options), or:
• Purchase the familiar City paper bags for $15 when you pick up a bundle of 52, or;
• Purchase commercial plastic garbage bags (such as Heft, Glad, Ruffy, etc.) at any retail outlet of you choice and use in place of paper bags.

You may buy City paper garbage bags at:
• Water Department (open 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday-Friday); 1212 Southmore across from City Hall;
• Sanitation Department (open 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday-Friday); 120 North Pasadena Blvd.;
• The City of Pasadena Recycling Center (open 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.);
• Preston at Pasadena Blvd. Bags at this location may be purchased Saturdays only.

When purchasing City paper bags, you may use a credit card (service charge for credit or debit), cash or check.

The Sanitation Department will collect garbage twice weekly and will attempt to accommodate residents’ special considerations such as age or disability in distributing paper bag bundles.

Find more information on Sanitation issues at sanitation.pasadenatexas.net or by calling 713-475-7884.