

On Monday, February 25, 2019, Springfield Township became aware of a letter being distributed by Huth Rubbish to Huth's customers, in which Huth provides a short notice to its customers that the company will cease providing curbside trash pick-up in Springfield Township. **Springfield Township did not force Huth's action to terminate curbside trash hauling services within the Township.** The Township Trustees did enter into a contract with Republic Services, Inc. last year for a township-wide, single waste hauler at a reduced rate for our residents. This contract however, does not become mandatory for another 12 months, and until then, Township residents are permitted to use any waste hauler. The Township is encouraging residents to sign up for Republic's reduced rates that were negotiated by the Township Trustees last year.

If you have been impacted by Huth's decision to terminate curbside trash collection service for its customers located within Springfield Township and wish to take advantage of the reduced rates negotiated by the Township Trustees last year, please contact Republic Services at 1-800-247-3644. Republic will be able to arrange for new trash service at the Township negotiated rate, however Republic will not be able to answer any questions regarding Huth. When calling Republic Services, please make sure you mention that you are from **Springfield Township in Summit County, Ohio and that you want to take advantage of the special rate for Springfield Township. This is important since Republic Services offers refuse and recycling collection to other communities named Springfield.**

It is also recommended that you explain to Republic Services that you need your service to start as soon as possible because Huth stated that March 1, 2019 is the termination date for offering their services within Springfield Township. There are several levels of service available through Republic and a senior discount is available for resident over the age of 65.