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Chennai: Now, non-littering of roads is included in waste management



5,400 tonnes of waste generated in the city every day, more than 3,000 tonnes are generated in these seven zon...Read More

Moving on from the existing tipping fee model, where the civic body paid private players on the weight of waste

disposed at landfills, Greater Chennai Corporation is the country's first to opt for the 'cost of service delivery' model.

Under the new system, the selected firm will, apart from collecting and transporting waste, should also ensure holistic hygiene by ensuring non-littering of garbage on roads, preventing overflowing of bins and complying with all environment, health and safety standards.

Urbaser SA and Sumeet Facilities Limited, a Spain-India joint

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venture which was on Tuesday issued work orders by municipal administration minister S P Velumani and Greater Chennai Corporation commissioner G Prakash, will collect and dispose waste in the Teynampet, Kodambakkam, Valasaravakkam, Alandur, Adyar, Perungudi and Sholinganllur zones for eight years. It will be paid based on 34 key performance indicators under primary collection, secondary collection and transport, street sweeping and collection, compliance, complaint redressal, IEC (information, education and communication).

