## Trash Can Analysis October 2017

## Data processing

The trash can data was collected in Fall 2017 from an AGOL collector app and used "as is" and run through network analyst. The total number of cans (records) is 1875 , after removing private and deleted cans (167) leaves 1708 trash, recycling and RPCA cans for route analysis.

The dataset was then parsed into the differing scenarios. Recycling (327) and RCPA (171) were removed from the main routing scenarios.

## Routing and Order Information

The street network contains regional networked streets with speeds and road types. All routes started and ended at Business Center drive and no depots were added for the waste facilities. All cans had a service time of 1 minute, probably more than needed but adds a good baseline processing factor. The total time of orders and driving were calculated and routes that were longer than 480 minutes ( 8 hours) were flagged as excessive and require re-evaluation.

Six scenarios were proposed and evaluated for feasibility. Each of those are evaluated below. A seventh scenario was created by GIS and evaluated to address some of chronic issues with the proposed routes.

Proposal 1: North South
"divide the city north and south of King St. All street box and parks cans would be collected by one route truck on the north and one on the south. We'd like a can count for each route"

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| North | 759 | 59.9 miles | 912 min |
| South | 557 | 75.5 miles | 733 min |

Assessment: This route is too large for a collection effort and unbalanced. Two city routes are probably unfeasible. Please see scenario 7: Quadrants

North


South


Proposal 2: Hot List
"all cans on King St, Union St, Washington St, Mt Vernon Ave to go every day. All cans West of Quaker Ln to be scheduled Tuesday and Thursday. All cans east of Quaker Ln Monday, Wednesday and Friday"

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Hot List | 254 | 14.2 miles | 286 min |



Assessment: The daily hot list is a viable routing scenario. The collection basically moves down King St and circles back to Mount Vernon Ave. The west of Quaker and East of Quaker scenario is basically the North south route from Proposal one which is too large for a collection effort and unbalanced. Two city routes are probably unfeasible. Please see scenario 7: Quadrants

Proposal 3: RPCA
"sequence all parks cans for a daily route to be run 7 days a week"

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| RPCA | 171 | 35.8 miles | 259 min |



Assessment: The RPCA route is a viable scenario. The collection basically circumnavigates the city in a SE to NE to NW to SW direction.

Proposal 4: Given the numbers from the north south scenario, the whole city scenario is not a viable route, see Proposal 1.

Proposal 5: Recycling
"sequence all public space recycling cans to be run MWF"

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Recycle | 327 | 56.9 miles | 463 min |



Assessment: The Recycling route is a viable scenario. The collection basically circumnavigates the city in a SE to NE to NW to SW direction.

Proposal 6: Weekend
"sequence a weekend route for Street box that would include King St, Union St, Washington St, Mt Vernon Ave, Queen St, Royal St, Wythe St and West St"

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Weekend | 318 | 18.4 miles | 361 min |



Assessment: The Weekend route is a viable scenario. The collection basically the collection basically moves down King St and circles back to Mount Vernon Ave.

Proposal 7: Quadrants
The city was divided into quadrant based on King street as the north south divider and Quaker lane as the east west divider.

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NE Quad King | 759 | 61.0 miles | 916 min |
| NW Quad King | 81 | 23.7 miles | 130 min |
| SE Quad King | 314 | 27.8 miles | 386 min |
| SW Quad King | 221 | 33.9 miles | 238 min |

NE


NW


SW


Assessment: The Quadrant routes are not recommended due to the time violations and the unbalanced collection numbers. Based on the routing the and the geography and the desire to balance out the number of cans along 4 routes the data was reassessed

Reevaluation Proposal 7:

| Route Name | Number of Cans | Distance | TravelTime* |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Del Ray Quad | 351 | 37.8 miles | 448 min |
| NE2 Quad | 349 | 23.5 miles | 408 min |
| SE2 Quad | 247 | 17.4 miles | 289 min |
| West End | 272 | 61.0 miles | 407 min |

NE2


SE2


Del Ray


West End


Assessment: The reevaluated Quadrant routes are viable routes.

Conclusion Raw Numbers First Pass

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