



Affinity Moving LLC — Interstate & Local Household Goods Tariff

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Section 1: Application & Scope

This tariff governs all household goods moves performed by Affinity Moving LLC in interstate and intrastate commerce unless otherwise provided. Rates include one pickup and one delivery unless specified. Carrier is authorized under this tariff to provide services based on **binding, non-binding, or guaranteed not-to-exceed estimates**. Linehaul charges may be calculated by weight, cubic feet, or hourly rate. If charged by cubic feet or hourly, estimate must be binding.

Section 2: Shipping Documents

All Bills of Lading, Orders for Service, and other shipping documents are incorporated by reference into this tariff.

Section 3: Brokers

Carrier may undertake moves booked by licensed brokers, adopting broker's estimate under a 409 agreement. Broker's tariff is incorporated by reference.

Section 4: Tariff Availability & Compliance

This tariff is available for inspection per **49 CFR § 375.213(a)(3)** and **49 USC § 13702(c)(1)** upon reasonable request by shippers or FMCSA representatives. Affinity Moving LLC must charge customers exact rates published herein — neither more nor less — and maintain uniform application of rates.

Section 5: Standard Linehaul / Transportation Charges

- **Weight-Based:** Charges determined by certified weight tickets.
 - **Cubic-Foot-Based:** Charges determined by Addendum H formula.
 - **Hourly:** Charges per Addendum I hourly rate schedule.
 - **Minimum Chargeable Weight:** 1,500 lbs or equivalent cubic feet.
 - **Fuel Surcharge:** 18% of subtotal (unchanged for multiple trucks).
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Section 6: Accessorial Services

All accessorials, shuttles, stairs, elevators, and bulky item charges are per **Addendum B**. First flight of stairs at destination is free; origin stairs are free. Shuttle charge at origin is waived.

Section 7: Valuation

Released value (\$0.60/lb/article) is included unless shipper elects Full Value Protection (FVP) at \$8.50 per \$1,000 of declared value with \$250/\$500/no deductible options.

Section 8: Claims & Disputes

- **Claims:** Must be filed in writing within 9 months of delivery; outstanding charges must be paid before claim review.
- **Arbitration:** Neutral arbitration available per 49 CFR § 375.211. Affinity Moving LLC uses AMSA Arbitration Program (or successor) for resolution.
- **Mediation:** Optional pre-trial mediation via JAMS.

- **Record Retention:** Carrier retains Bills of Lading, weight tickets, and payment records for a minimum of **3 years** per FMCSA and IRS standards.
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Section 9: Pickup & Delivery Window

Delivery guaranteed within 30 business days unless Guaranteed Service option purchased (Addendum B).

Section 10: Payment Policy

Deposits

- **Local Moves:** \$50 non-refundable deposit required at booking (applied to final bill).
- **Interstate / Long Distance:** 30% deposit required at booking (applied to final bill).

Binding Estimate Procedure

For weight-based interstate moves:

1. Shipment is **weighed prior to loading** at a certified CAT scale.
2. Carrier loads shipment and obtains a second certified weight ticket.
3. Final binding estimate is calculated based on actual net weight.
4. Shipper signs revised binding estimate reflecting final weight and charges.

Pre-Authorization of Funds

Prior to departure from origin, carrier will **pre-authorize the remaining balance plus 12%** on shipper's credit card. Final captured amount will **not exceed authorized amount** without shipper's written or digital consent.

Cancellation & No-Show Policy

- **48-Hour Cancellation:** Cancellations must be made at least 48 hours (calendar days) before scheduled service to avoid losing deposit.
- **Same-Day No-Show:** If crew arrives and shipper has not canceled in advance, shipper will be charged a **two-hour minimum at the applicable hourly rate** plus trip charge.

Accepted Payment Forms

- **Local Moves:** Credit card only. \$50 deposit charged at booking; remaining balance pre-authorized on the day of the move before service begins.
- **Interstate / Long Distance Moves:** Credit card only. 30% deposit charged at booking; remaining balance plus 12% pre-authorized prior to departure from origin.

Credit Card Surcharge (Local Moves)

A 3% processing fee applies to all credit card payments for local hourly moves.

Addendum A: Linehaul Pricing — Weight & Cube

\$/cu-ft Formula: $\text{\$/cu-ft} = (0.61754 + 0.00093284 \times \text{miles}) \times 160$

\$/mi Formula: $\text{\$/mi} = 1.42239 - 0.00029851 \times \text{miles}$

Addendum B: Accessorials & Bulky Items

(Retains full table as in previous draft)

Addendum F: Packing & Hourly Labor Rates

(Retains full hourly and packing material tables as in previous draft)

Addendum H-1: State Reference Table

(Retains state mileage and \$/cu-ft values as in previous draft)

Addendum I: Hourly Rates

(Retains full crew size rate table as in previous draft)

Section 14: Definitions

- **Carrier:** Affinity Moving LLC and its agents, employees, subcontractors.
 - **Shipper:** The customer or their representative.
 - **COD:** Cash on Delivery; in this tariff, equivalent to credit card capture.
 - **Certified Scale:** Publicly certified truck scale capable of issuing weight tickets.
 - **Binding Estimate:** A written, signed estimate that guarantees total charges based on described services and quantities.
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Section 15: Example Pricing Calculations

Example: 2,000 lbs shipment from Minneapolis to Chicago (410 miles):

- Weight: $2,000 \text{ lbs} \times \$0.80/\text{lb} = \$1,600$ linehaul
 - Fuel Surcharge: $18\% \times \$1,600 = \288
 - Total Estimated Charges: \$1,888 (before packing materials or accessorials)
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Section 16: Customer Acknowledgment & Signature

I have received, read, and understood Affinity Moving LLC's Tariff and agree to abide by its terms and rates.

Customer Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

This document constitutes Affinity Moving LLC's official published tariff pursuant to 49 USC § 13702 and 49 CFR Part 375.

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