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DEPARTMENT: Administrative Services

FROM: Richard Abernethy, Administrative Services Director

MEETING: February 3, 2025

SUBJECT:

Receive a report, hold a discussion, and provide staff direction regarding proposed fees and service changes associated with the solid waste program. (*Staff Contact: Richard Abernethy, Administrative Services Director*)

SUMMARY:

On January 6, 2025, staff presented proposed changes to the fees and services associated with the solid waste program. In addition to requesting additional cost options, City Council members asked for a follow-up briefing on the proposed changes.

A detailed presentation of these proposals is included in your packet. In addition to staff, Representatives from Waste Connections will be present to address any questions.

RECOMMENDATION:

Consider proposals from Waste Connections to amend our solid waste program to once a week collection in a 95-gallon poly cart for trash and recycling, with HHW curbside pick up and enter into a closed market with Waste Connections.

PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

May 1, 2023 – The City Council approved renewing the contract with Waste Connections and extending the agreement five years, with a new expiration date of September 30, 2029.

May 8, 2024 – The City Council Finance Committee received a report, held a discussion and provided staff feedback regarding fees associated with the solid waste program, street maintenance and storm water utility operations.

May 20, 2024 – The City Council received a report, held a discussion, and provided staff direction regarding fees associated with the solid waste program, street maintenance and stormwater utility operations.

January 6, 2025 – The City Council received a report, held a discussion, and provided staff direction regarding proposed fees and service changes associated with the solid waste program.

REFERENCE:

N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:

N/A

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