

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAPITOLA
APPROVING A RATE SCHEDULE FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL
GARBAGE, RECYCLING, ORGANICS, FOOD WASTE, YARD WASTE AND
CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION DEBRIS IN CAPITOLA EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
2026, SUPERSEDING RESOLUTION NO. 4428**

WHEREAS, on October 14, 2021, the City Council approved the Amended and Restated Garbage, Recycling, Organics, Food Waste, Yard Waste and Construction and Demolition Debris Services Franchise Agreement (“Agreement”) with GreenWaste Recovery; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2025, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 4428, which amended the solid waste rate schedule effective July 1, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement separates the costs for collection and disposal; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement allows for GreenWaste Recovery to increase the collection rates annually. The annual adjustments include the cost of disposal and processing at the Monterey Regional Waste Management District facility in Marina and the rate change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area.

WHEREAS, the CPI increase was 3.04% for the period ending in December 2025; and

WHEREAS, the City contracts with Monterey Regional Waste Management District for disposal, where disposal costs have increased 4.94% for Residential and Commercial Solid Waste service; and

WHEREAS, due to the increase in disposal costs, and as permitted by the Agreement, disposal rates for Residential and Commercial Solid Waste service will increase by 3.04%, for the CPI increase, and 4.94% for the increase for disposal, effective July 1, 2026. The sum of the service and disposal rate components are used to calculate the new rates for each garbage service category; and

WHEREAS, the City Council considered the rate increases described herein at a public meeting where members of the public had the opportunity to address the council on the proposed increases.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Capitola, approves the Rate Schedule for Residential and Commercial Refuse, Recycling, Organics, and Yard Waste in Capitola as shown on the Schedule of Rates attached to this Resolution (Exhibit B-1: Residential Rates; Exhibit B-2: Commercial Garbage, Recycle, and Organics Rates) effective July 1, 2026.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution becomes effective on July 1, 2026.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Capitola at its regular meeting held on the 28th day of May, 2026 by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

Margaux Morgan, Mayor

ATTEST:

Julia Gautho, City Clerk