

May 15<sup>rd</sup>, 2024

Mr. Sean O'Keefe – Town Manager Town of Howey, FL 101 North Palm Avenue Howey-in-the-hills, FL 34737

RE: GFL CPI Request – FY 24/25

Dear Mr. O'Keefe,

GFL is pleased to be the solid waste and recycling service provider for the Town of Howey and I am amazed that another year has already gone by. I hope that GFL is not only meeting, but exceeding the expectations for the Residents, the Town Council and the Staff.

In section 10.2 (a) of our contract, adjustment to rates, the Contractor may petition the Town Council annually for an annual CPI adjustment to assist with offsetting inflationary factors which shall not be unreasonably denied. The CPI for 2024, as reflected in the attached table, is 4.9%.

The calculation for the residential collection rate increase for FY 2023/2024 is 4.9% times the current residential rate which equates to an increase of \$1.28 per home per month for a new rate of \$27.40 per home per month. Commercial rates will also be adjusted to reflect the 4.9% increase. (See attached pricing matrix). Rate adjustments will go into effect October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

We appreciate our public/private partnership, and we will strive every day to offset the temporary labor shortages impacting our industry. Thank you for your and the City Councils consideration in this request and please contact me if any questions, or concerns.

Thank you,

## Skip McCall

Skip McCall Govt. Contracts Manager GFL Solid Waste Southeast, LLC (800) 535-9533



Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)									
Original Data Value									
Series Id:	CUSR0000SEHG								
Seasonally Adjusted									
Series Title:	Water and sewer and trash collection services								
Area:	U.S. city average								
Item:	Water and sewer and trash collection services								
Base Period:	DECEMBER 1997=100								
Years:	2014 to 2024								
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr					
2023	281.088	282.971	283.892	284.911					
2024	296.694	298.037	298.900						

FY 24/25 Commercial Rates							
Yards	1X	2X	3X	4X	5X	6X	Pick-Up
2	\$94.29	\$188.59	\$282.89	\$377.19	\$471.48	\$0.00	\$ 49.62
4	\$118.66	\$237.56	\$356.32	\$475.10	\$593.87	\$0.00	\$ 66.15
6	\$143.25	\$286.50	\$429.75	\$573.02	\$716.26	\$0.00	\$ 82.69
8	\$167.74	\$335.46	\$503.19	\$670.93	\$838.67	\$0.00	\$ 104.74

FY 24/25 Commercial Cart Service - 96 Gallon									
	1	L Cart	2	2 Cart	3 Cart			4 Cart	EPU
Cart 2X/Wk	\$	31.97	\$	63.95	\$	95.92	\$	127.89	\$ 33.07