



August 18, 2025

Sean O'Keefe – Town Manager
Town of Howey-in-the-Hills
101 N. Palm Ave
Howey-in the-Hills, FL 34737

RE: GFL CPI Request – FY 25/26

Dear Mr. O'Keefe,

I very much appreciated the opportunity to meet with you and your team earlier this week. GFL is proud to serve as the solid waste and recycling provider for Beautiful Howey-in-the-Hills. We sincerely hope that our services not only meet but exceed the expectations of the residents, Town Council, and staff.

As another successful contract year comes to a close, we have reviewed Section 10.2(a) of the Second Amendment to our Agreement. We evaluated the formula and data used to establish and support our request for an annual rate adjustment for the collection/disposal services GFL provides to the town. Our request reflects the increase in the Consumer Price Index ("CPI-U") Water, Sewer and Trash published by the U.S. Department of Labor for the immediately preceding 12-month period between April 1, 2024 and March 31, 2025. The CPI increased a total of 4.58% over that timeframe. Effective on October 1, 2025, both Residential and Commercial rates will be adjusted to reflect the CPI increase. This adjustment will serve to assist in offsetting inflationary factors which have taken place over the past year.

We at GFL greatly value our partnership with the town of Howey. We will continue to strive daily to provide the town's citizens with high quality waste removal services. Please contact me with any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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Municipal Accounts Manager
GFL Solid Waste Southeast, LLC



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:	2015 to 2025			
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
2024	297.079	298.751	299.183	300.178
2025	310.239	313.344	313.925	

FY 25/26 Commercial Rates							Extra
Yards	1X	2X	3X	4X	5X	6X	Pick-Up
2	\$98.61	\$197.23	\$295.85	\$394.47	\$493.07	\$0.00	\$ 51.89
4	\$124.09	\$248.44	\$372.64	\$468.86	\$621.07	\$0.00	\$ 69.18
6	\$149.81	\$299.62	\$449.43	\$599.26	\$749.06	\$0.00	\$ 86.48
8	\$175.42	\$350.82	\$526.24	\$701.66	\$877.08	\$0.00	\$ 109.54

FY 25/26 Commercial Cart Service - 96 Gallon					
	1 SET	2 SETS	3 SETS	4 SETS	EXTRA P/U
Cart 2X/Wk	\$ 33.43	\$ 63.95	\$ 95.92	\$ 127.89	\$ 34.58

Weekly Residential Cart Service 1X/WK 1 SET \$28.66, 2 SETS \$56.06, 3 SETS \$83.46



