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Good morning Mayor & Commissioners. Thanks for the conversation last night on wrong day collection. There were many ideas and changes in direction given, so I wanted to listen back to the meeting this morning and make sure I was clear on final direction (for collection purposes, not the public outreach portion): any citation issued in August or September on a Wednesday or Saturday will be credited back reducing each citation amount to $135 (we won't have any October numbers from SWA until end of the 1st week / beginning of the 2nd week of November, so won't be able to address any issued in October until then).

The part I wanted to review was at exactly 4:00:00 in the meeting where I state the $100 is the citation amount and the $35 includes administration plus the 1st yard (which would begin with any citations issued from today, October 7th moving forward).

https://www.youtube.com/live/xnrrlRgMOlY?is=MujWxWjIYgVBu98H

The portion of that I want to ensure we're all clear on is that the $135 only covers admin and that 1st yard. Each additional yard would be an additional $35, which mirrors our 2025 Schedule of Fees, as I also mentioned at some point. I assumed that was a given, but was thinking about it this morning and just wanted to confirm to eliminate any possible future confusion.

The reason for this is that the industry is based on quantity and not flat rate. For example, if we had a flat rate of $135, what happens when someone puts 7 yards of material in front of their house? That would be a quick pathway to reversing our accounts and eventually needing the General Fund to contribute to an Enterprise Fund in order to balance the Solid Waste budget.

Again, I just wanted to make sure we're all on the same page. Please let staff know if the above was not your understanding.

Please do not reply all.

Thanks,

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