



## AGENDA REQUEST

**TO:** Mayor and City Council

**FROM:** Ben Logan, City Attorney

**DATE** April 10, 2025

**SUBJECT:** IN THE MATTER OF ONE (1) YEAR EXTENSION OF SOLID WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL CONTRACT WITH WASTE MANAGEMENT OF MISSISSIPPI, INC.

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### **Request:**

Miss. Code Anno. § 17-17-5 (1) allows municipalities to extend solid waste collection and disposal contracts by mutual consent of the parties in one-year increments up to four (4) additional years without advertising for proposals, as long as rate adjustments remain consistent with the existing contract and the total term of the contract does not exceed ten (10) years. The city's August 1, 2019 solid waste collection and disposal contract with Waste Management expires August 1, 2025. The city and Waste Management have discussed the first of the allowed one year extension and mutually agree, subject to city council approval, to extend the contract.

Rate adjustments for collection will remain consistent with the agreed CPI-adjustment in the original contract. Disposal fees related to increases in charges at the Lee County transfer station and tipping fees at the Three Rivers Solid Waste landfill will also be passed through to the contract rate, also consistent with contract terms.

A brief discussion will be held at a work session or during pre-council Monday, April 14, 2031.