



A 100% RETIRED SERVICE DISABLE AMERICAN VETERAN

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MARTIN COUNTY
UTILITIES & SOLID WASTE DEPARTMENT
Attn: WADE BARFIELD
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Subject: Proposed Solid Waste Assessment.

Dear Sir / Madam,

I received your letter today in reference to again with additional price hikes, that for me is inexcusable. As a Disable American Veteran who served his country more than 22 years, on a fixed budget, all I hear every year is more monies from residents.

What ever happened to the millions / billions of funds the county takes in every year. I receive COLA every year and after the slight raise, everyone comes back with price hikes and there goes the cost of living. I won't be able to attend the meeting on 12 August, but I disagree very strongly with price hikes.

I understand that workers should have more pay incentives every year because of prices, but home owners should not have to pay more. It should be paid by Martin County just like police etc. Maybe we should require all you CEO'S and members of the state and local authorities should be required to have 6-month military training in the service of your country. You all say thank you for your service, but how many really mean it.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Carbone
Proud to be an American, Veterans Supporting Veterans.

