

Board of County Commissioners

2401 SE Monterey Road Stuart, Florida 34996

Agenda Item Summary

File ID: 19-0285 CNST-15 Meeting Date: 2/12/2019

PLACEMENT: Consent

TITLE:

INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR WASTEWATER SERVICES - SOLID WASTE LEACHATE

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

St. Lucie County is seeking an alternative disposal option for leachate that is generated at the St. Lucie County Landfill and Recycling Center.

DEPARTMENT: Utilities and Solid Waste

PREPARED BY: Name: Samuel Amerson, P.E.

Title: Utilities & Solid Waste Director

REQUESTED BY: St. Lucie County Utilities Director

PRESET:

PROCEDURES: None

BACKGROUND/RELATED STRATEGIC GOAL:

1. Interlocal Agreement Prepared By: St. Lucie County, revised by Martin County

2. Parties to the Agreement: Martin County and St. Lucie County

3. Purpose of the Agreement: Provide St. Lucie County an additional Landfill leachate

disposal option

4. New/Renewal/Modified: New

5. Duration: Perpetual

6. Benefits to Martin County: Provide assistance to local government partner

7. Cost to Martin County: None

St. Lucie County owns a Class 1 Landfill and other solid waste facilities that generate Leachate. Martin County owns and operates wastewater treatment facilities that have the physical capacity and technical capacity to receive, treat and dispose of St. Lucie's Leachate. This will be an Interlocal Agreement between Martin County and St. Lucie County that grants St. Lucie the right to deliver up to 50,000 gallons of Leachate every day to Martin's Designated Facility, which is the Martin Downs

Wastewater Re-Pump Facility. St. Lucie will be charged the same rates that Martin County's other customers pay for the disposal of comparable wastewater. The applicate rate currently is \$4.38 per thousand gallons of wastewater.
On December 18, 2018, the St. Lucie County Board of Commissioners approved an Interlocal Agreement with Martin County for the disposal of Solid Waste Leachate.
<u>ISSUES</u> :
None
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY REVIEW:
This item has been reviewed for legal sufficiency to determine whether it is consistent with applicable law, has identified and addressed legal risks, and has developed strategies for legal defensibility.
RECOMMENDED ACTION:
RECOMMENDATION
Move that the Board approve the Interlocal Agreement for Wastewater Disposal Services.
ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS
Move that the Board not approve the Interlocal Agreement for Wastewater Disposal Services.
FISCAL IMPACT:
RECOMMENDATION
None
ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS
None
DOCUMENT(S) REQUIRING ACTION:
□ Budget Transfer / Amendment □ Chair Letter □ Contract / Agreement
□ Grant / Application □ Notice □ Ordinance □ Resolution
□Other:
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