

FACT SHEET**CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA****TITLE**

An ordinance to revise Chapter 74 Solid Waste, Article III "Regulations" Sec 74-54 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances, relative to the disposal fee per ton of normal waste, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

DATE

11/13/2023

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT

Public Works

COUNCIL DISTRICT

N/A

SPONSOR

No Sponsor

PURPOSE

To revise Chapter 74, Article III of the Shreveport City Code relative to the disposal fee associated with normal waste per ton.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The City contracts with Republic Services, Inc./Allied Waste (BFI) to operate the Woolworth Landfill. The contract allows them to increase their annual fee, based on the CPI, with a max increase of 6%. They have notified the City that the 2023 increase is the full 6%, effective January 1, 2024. This ordinance increases the City's gate fee for normal waste disposal by 6%, \$40.81 to \$43.26 per ton, effective 01/01/2024. Please note that the Republic (BFI) charge applies to all waste entering the landfill, which includes what enters on City garbage trucks.

TIMETABLE

Introduction: 11/14/2023

Final Passage: 11/28/2023

ATTACHMENTS

None

SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

None

FINANCES

\$ Increase in landfill normal waste disposal fee per ton, increasing current fee of \$40.81 to \$43.26.

SOURCE OF FUNDS

Woolworth Landfill Gate Fee

ALTERNATIVES

(1) Adopt the ordinance as submitted, or (2) amend the ordinance, or (3) reject the ordinance.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended the City Council adopt the ordinance.

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