



THE CITY OF DAYTONA BEACH

Public Works Administration Department

TO: James V. Chisholm, City Manager

FROM: Tim Fauvelle, Solid Waste Supervisor

THRU: David Waller, Deputy Public Works Director

Date: August 11, 2017

SUBJECT: Solid Waste Fee Schedule Amendment – Establishing Set Fee for Bear-
Receptacles Purchase for City Solid Waste Customers

REQUEST

The Public Works Administration Department and Solid Waste Department is requesting the City Commission to approve an amendment of the Solid Waste Fee Schedule pursuant Chapter 78-38 (a), Fees Imposed for Services.

PURPOSE

The modification is intended to assist in the reduction of human-bear conflicts. The provisions will provide the option for use of approved bear-resistant containers by City Solid Waste Customers at a subsidized cost.

CONSIDERATIONS

The new fee is intended to incentivize the City of Daytona Beach Solid Waste Customers to voluntarily purchase Bear-Resistant totes at a one-time rate of \$50 per tote. Establishing a reasonable one-time fee encourages City residence to purchase bear-resistant containers at a subsidized cost compared to that of the original cost of \$213 per tote.

The City of Daytona Beach contributed \$6,625 towards the purchase of the bear-resistant trashcans along with BearWise grant funds per Resolution No. 17-37 from Florida Fish and Wildlife. The City will purchase additional bear-resistant totes in the future with the revenue received from residential purchases of containers.

Bear-Resistant totes will be available at a one-time cost of \$50 per container while inventory supplies last. Waste Pro of Florida is the current operator of the disposal facility and will maintain the Bear-resistant totes with no additional fees charged to residents to service cans. Once the supply of subsidized Bear-Resistant totes have exhausted, residence will have the opportunity to purchase additional containers as needed by the City of Daytona Beach Waste provider at vendor rates upon depletion of the City's inventory.

FUNDING

No funding required.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Public Works Administration Department and Solid Waste Department is recommending the City Commission to approve an amendment of the Solid Waste Fee Schedule pursuant Chapter 78-38 (a), Fees Imposed for Services. The amended revisions address management options for use of approved bear resistant receptacles at a one-time fee of \$50 per resident.

ATTACHMENTS

- 1) Agenda Summary
- 2) Power Point