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FW: Reschedule Today's Call

From: Ruffing, Linda

Sent: Tuesday, February 13, 2018 5:51 PM

To: 'Rodriguez, Kayla'; Varga, Tom

Cc: Shamblin, Stephen; Schneider, Scott

Subject: RE: Reschedule Today's Call

Hi Kayla and Steve-

I'm sorry to say this, but I have run out of time. Tomorrow is my last day with the City, so I am handing this matter over to Public Works Director Tom Varga to complete. Once you and he have reached an agreement, if you need a final sign-off from the Interim City Manager (or our new City Manager who starts on March 5), Tom can arrange for that.

I have reviewed the latest iteration of the rate schedule and I concur with all of the modifications that have made (i.e., deletion of rate categories that would require a franchise agreement amendment) with one exception:

- a. Please eliminate the rates for "Commercial and Multi-family – Replace lost or stolen bin." This too would require a franchise agreement amendment.

Please forward to Tom the back-up data and calculations for the proposed .26% rate adjustment effective Jan 1 thru May 31, 2018.

Lastly, as I expressed on our call last month, I am very concerned about how WM will bill to recover the incremental fees due as a result of the delay in implementing the June 1, 2017 rate adjustment. Tom will work with you to define an acceptable method of spreading the costs over time.

I wish you all great speed in bringing this matter to a successful conclusion. It's been a pleasure working with you and with all of the dedicated staff at WM.

Linda Ruffing

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