



AGENCY: City Council
MEETING DATE: January 11, 2021
DEPARTMENT: City Manager
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# AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

#### TITLE:

Receive Report and Consider Adoption of City Council Resolution Approving Amendment No. 6 to the Franchise Agreement with Waste Management

#### **ISSUE:**

The City's Franchise Agreement (Agreement) with USA Waste of California, Inc., DBA Empire Waste Management (Waste Management) dated January 8, 2007, sets forth the services provided to customers within City limits and the original pricing in 2007 in Exhibit A. By amendment to the Agreement the City has added additional services requested by Waste Management customers, specifically Amendment 5 to the Agreement.

Over time, Waste Management has received and accommodated requests to allow the locking of trash bins and dumpsters to avoid unauthorized disposal of trash and additional charges to the customer.

Amendment No. 6 to the Franchise Agreement adds that service to Exhibit A of the Agreement.

## **ANALYSIS**:

Locking bins is a service requested and provided by Waste Management to customers, although it is not a service provided for in the existing franchise agreement. The attached amendment adds those services and associated charges to the Agreement.

Lock Sale or Replacement (WM provided lock) \$15.00 Monthly Lock Service Charge (per bin or gate/per month) \$7.00

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Staff recommends that the Council adopt a Resolution to approve Amendment No. 6 to the Franchise Agreement with Waste Management.

#### **ALTERNATIVE ACTION(S):**

Do not approve the Resolution and remove the service from those offered by Waste Management to Fort Bragg customers.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

The only fiscal impact to the City is the incremental difference in Solid Waste Franchise Fees collected on gross revenues generated by Waste Management for services within City limits for the new service charges.

## **GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IMPACT:**

There is no direct impact on greenhouse gas emissions for adding the services already provided to the Agreement.

## **CONSISTENCY:**

N/A

## **IMPLEMENTATION/TIMEFRAMES:**

If approved, Amendment #6 would be effective upon signature by both the City of Fort Bragg and USA Waste of California.

## **ATTACHMENTS**:

- 1. Resolution
- 2. Amendment No. 6 to Franchise Agreement

# **NOTIFICATION:**

- 1. Kayla Rodriguez, Public Sector Manager, Waste Management
- 2. Steve Shamblin, District Manager 1, Empire Waste Management