

**RESOLUTION 2016 – 29**

**A RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO ESTABLISH THE LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY LANDFILL FEE RATES BEGINNING JULY 1, 2016**

**WHEREAS**, Section 7-13-232 (1) and (3) (a) (i), MCA, states the Board may establish by resolution, rates for service charges; and

**WHEREAS**, the Lewis and Clark County Landfill serves the Scratchgravel Solid Waste District, the Marysville Solid Waste Subservice Area, and the City of Helena; and

**WHEREAS**, the Scratchgravel Solid Waste District Board and the Board of County Commissioners in Resolution 2011-97 established the current landfill fees.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Directors for the Scratchgravel Solid Waste District met on April 12, 2016 and recommended changes in the landfill fees to maintain and operate the County landfill, purchase equipment, make debt service payments, and to maintain adequate cash reserves.

**WHEREAS**, any comments or protests to the proposed fee changes shall be addressed in writing to the Lewis and Clark County Clerk and Recorder's Office, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, MT 59623, prior to Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. local time; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clark County that it does hereby establish its intention to set the following landfill fee rates to be effective on July 1, 2016;

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| *Municipal Solid Waste Tipping Fee – Class II    | \$30.00 per ton           |
| Special Loads Solid Waste Tipping Fee – Class II |                           |
| Liquid Waste                                     | \$ 7.00 per ton           |
| Compost  | \$10.00 per ton           |
| Dead Animal                                      | \$50.00 per ton           |
| Asbestos   | \$30.00 per ton           |
| ^Contaminated Soil                               | \$10.00 - \$30.00 per ton |
| Wastewater Sludge and Bar Screenings             | \$50.00 per ton           |
| Construction and Demolition Waste – Class IV     |                           |
| Acceptable Materials                             | \$23.00 per ton           |
| Unacceptable Materials                           | \$50.00 per ton           |
| Accounts Receivable Reactivation Fee             | \$25.00                   |

\* Variable MSW Class II rates may be adjusted based on operational assessment to include waste volumes, contract terms and fiscal impacts.

^ Soil tipping fee will be based on analytical results, volumes, contract terms and fiscal impacts.



**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clark County that a public hearing to hear all comments or protests on the landfill fees will be held on Thursday, June 16, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 330 of the City-County Building, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, Montana.

Dated this 26 day of May, 2016.

LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Michael Murray, Chairman



ATTEST:

  
Paulette J. DeHart, Clerk of Board