RESOLUTION 2017 – 43

A RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO ESTABLISH THE LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY LANDFILL FEE RATES BEGINNING JULY 1, 2017

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 Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District, the Marysville Solid Waste Subservice Area, and the City of Helena; and

WHEREAS, the Scratch Gravel 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 Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District met on April 6, 2017 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 14, 2017 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, 2017;

*Municipal Solid Waste Tipping Fee – Class II \$28.00 per ton Special Loads Solid Waste Tipping Fee – Class II

Liquid Waste \$ 7.00 per ton

Compost \$10.00 per ton

Dead Animal \$25.00 per animal

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

Violation Fee \$75.00

Accounts Receivable Reactivation Fee \$25.00

Covered Loads Violation Fee – 2nd Offense \$50.00

* 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 15, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 330 of the City-County Building, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, Montana.

DATED this 25 day of May 2017.

LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Susan Good Geise, Chair

ATTEST:

Paulette J. DeHart, Clerk of the Board