

RESOLUTION 2024 - 61

**A RESOLUTION TO INCREASE THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FEE AS
RECOMMENDED BY THE LINCOLN SOLID WASTE DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, 7-11-1024, MCA states the Board of County Commissioners may make assessments or impose fees for the costs and expenses of the Lincoln Solid Waste District based upon budget; and

WHEREAS, a description of the boundaries of the Lincoln Solid Waste District are included in the Resolution creating the District and by this reference are hereby made a part thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors for the Lincoln Solid Waste District and the Board of County Commissioners have established the current solid waste service fees by Resolution 2023-58; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors for the Lincoln Solid Waste District met on April 16, 2024, and recommended increases the annual assessment to operate the Lincoln Container Site and to maintain adequate cash reserves; and

WHEREAS, the costs and expenses of the District are more than the revenues collected from the current annual assessment; and

WHEREAS, the Lincoln Solid Waste Board approved increasing the annual assessment fee for solid waste services from one hundred (\$135) dollars per taxing unit to one hundred-forty four (\$144) dollars per taxing unit

WHEREAS, the new assessment fee for service will become effective for the 2024 tax bills and will remain in effect until such time as it is changed by the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, on June 13, 2024 the Board of County Commissioners passed Resolution 2024-49, a Resolution of Intent to Increase the Solid Waste Disposal Fee

WHEREAS, on June 27, 2024 the Board of County Commissioners held a public hearing on its intention to increase the Lincoln Solid Waste fees; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clark County that it does hereby establish the following Lincoln Solid Waste disposal fees to be effective July 1, 2024:

TYPE OF UNIT	CURRENT RATE	NEW RATE
Taxing Unit	\$135.00	\$144.00



Pay-As-You-Throw	\$10/yard	No Change
Wood Pile Disposal	\$5 less than 2 yards \$10 greater than 2 yards	No Change
Cardboard Recycling	\$5 less than 2 yards \$10 greater than 2 yards	No Change
Used Motor Oil	\$1.00 gallon	No Change
Out-Of- District permits	\$150/year	No Change
Replacement & Duplicate Permits	\$5.00/each	No Change

DATED this 27 day of June, 2024.



ATTEST:

Amy Reeves
Amy Reeves, Clerk of the Board

LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Andy Hunthausen
Andy Hunthausen, Chair