STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

ORDINANCE No. 19-649

Introduced on May 6, 2019
Introduced by Chairman Chris Workman
Public hearing held on May 20, 2019

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 12-562
ADJUSTING COMMERCIAL CUSTOMER FEES
OF THE CHOCTAW ROAD LANDFILL
AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO

WHEREAS, there has been no adjustment in the commercial tipping fees of the Choctaw Road Landfill since June 1, 2013;

AND WHEREAS, costs for operating the landfill have increased over the years of its existence.

BE IT ORDAINED, that effective July 1, 2019, the tipping fees for commercial customers shall increase from $30.00 per ton to $35.00 per ton.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that effective July 1, 2019, the minimum tipping fee for commercial customers shall increase from $15.00 to $20.00.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that on July 1, 2020 and the 1st day of July of each year thereafter, the commercial tipping fee shall be adjusted to reflect inflation, with such adjustment to be based upon the relevant consumer price index;

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that in the event special handling for disposal of solid waste may be necessary as determined by the Parish landfill supervisor, which may be done on site and on a case-by-case basis, then a special handling fee of an additional $5.00 per ton will be assessed. Special handling includes, but is not limited to, any material that requires additional labor and/or equipment for proper disposal beyond the normal handling of solid waste, such as disposal of concrete or other material requiring the digging of a hole and burial of material;

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that under certain special circumstances determined by the Parish President, tipping fees may be waived. Special circumstances include, but are not limited to, solid waste from community cleanups and disasters.

The above and foregoing having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereupon resulted as follows:

YEAS: (5) Fussell, Workman, Lewis, Fornea and Talley

NAYS: (0)

ABSENT: (2) McMasters and Anthony

The resolution was declared adopted on the 20th day of May 2019.
WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL.

Chris Workman, Chairman

Delivered to the Parish President on the 21st day of May 2019.

WASHINGTON PARISH GOVERNMENT

By: Richard N. Thomas, Jr., President

CERTIFICATION

I, SARAH COOK, CLERK TO THE WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL, do hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of the ordinance adopted by the Washington Parish Council, in a regular convened meeting on the 20th day of May 2019, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this 20th day of May 2019 Franklinton, Louisiana.

Clerk
Washington Parish Council

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