

**Indian River County, Florida  
Solid Waste Disposal District  
Board Memorandum**

**Date:** June 27, 2023

**To:** The Solid Waste Disposal District Board of Commissioners

**Through:** John A. Titkanich, Jr., County Administrator  
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**Subject:** Notice of Public Hearing to Adopt Rate Resolution 2023-001

**Descriptions and Conditions:**

On April 4, 2023, the Indian River County (IRC) Solid Waste Disposal District (SWDD) Board of Commissioners were presented with the Solid Waste Rate Study prepared by Kessler Consulting, Inc. (KCI). Per KCI and staff recommendations, the SWDD Board approved new tipping fees starting October 1, 2023 as well as implementing the proposed change in Waste Generation Units (WGU) by 50%; with the remaining 50% change being implemented October 1, 2027.

Per IRC Code Section 204.32. - Other fees, rates and charges, SWDD shall have the power, at any time by resolution, after a public hearing to adopt rates, fees, and charges for service costs other than those recovered by disposal charge against accessible property. SWDD also shall have the power to amend Attachments 1 (Schedule of WGU's) and 2 (Rates and Fees) at any time by resolution after a public hearing.

Therefore, the SWDD Board needs to amend Attachment 1 and Attachment 2 by a SWDD Rate Resolution through a public hearing process.

**Funding:**

This agenda provides a notice of public hearing and is not requesting any funding.

**Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the Solid Waste Disposal District Board authorize staff to advertise for a Public Hearing to be held on August 15 in accordance with the 10-day pre-hearing requirement for a notice in the local newspaper.