LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Deep South Sanitation, LLC Residential Solid Waste Franchise Renewal

DATE OF MEETING: March 28, 2023 Work Session/Regular Session

BUDGET IMPACT: \$0.00 FUNDING SOURCE:

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COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Deep South Sanitation, LLC, Residential Solid Waste Franchise Renewal for 2023 - 2024.

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Deep South Sanitation, LLC, has applied to renew its existing Franchise for Residential Solid Waste Collection Services which is scheduled to expire on March 31, 2023.

Enclosed is a proposed renewed franchise. It is for a term of one year, beginning on April 1, 2023 and ending on March 31, 2024. Other than updating various dates in the new Franchise, it is identical to the existing Franchise Agreement.

Franchisee Proposed Changes:

Increase the basic service not to exceed fee from \$20.00 per month to \$25.00 per month. (Solid Waste Ordinance Section 3.1.(c)) & (Franchise Agreement -Item Number 14 (Pricing for Basic Service)).

Adjust Hours of Operation of Collection Centers from 42 hours per week to 35 hours per week. (Change schedule from Friday, Saturday, and Monday 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. and Sundays from 1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.). Solid Waste Ordinance Section 3.6. & Franchise Agreement - Item Number 23 (Hours of Operation of Collection Center)

OPTIONS: 1. Approve proposed renewed Franchise for Residential Solid Waste Collection Services for Deep South Sanitation, LLC, and authorize the Chairman to execute the Franchise on behalf of the County.

2. Redirect

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure

DEPARTMENT: Human Resources DEPARTMENT HEAD: Kevin Beals

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: