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Steve Smith, Council Chair Sandy City Council 10000 Centennial Parkway Sandy, Utah 84070

Dear Honorable Chair;

I am writing to request the City Council's approval of the implementation of new fees for newly built homes in the District to be effective January 1, 2017.

The Administrative Control Board, of which Councilmember, Kris Nicholl is a representative, met on Monday, November 14, 2016 and adopted the 2017 Budget and Fee Schedule.

While we are not increasing the \$14.75 per home/per month, the budget includes the new fee in the amount of \$50.00 to offset the actual price of garbage and recycling cans, which are \$50.00 each. The Board also approved a \$10.00 delivery fee to assist in the costs for that service. These new fees will mainly pertain to new residents in Herriman City.

The 2017 Budget also includes a fee increase for contract services for waste and recycling collections contracted with HOAs, or PUDs. Please note that the City Council does not need to include this as part of your resolution to approve the new fees to residents newly built homes.

The District has in place certain measures that must be met in order to add new services fees and increase the basic service charges for our residents in the District.

Section 6.A. of the District creation and operation Resolution adopted by the Salt Lake County Council defines "basic services" provided by the District as services "that all District residents are expected to receive as follows: curbside waste and recycling, area cleanup, curbside Christmas tree collection, central collection for glass and leaves and landfill vouchers" but not "subscription services" such as "curbside glass" or "curbside green" collection, for which only voluntarily subscribing customers are charged and [the District] also imposes administrative fees, late/delinquent fees, non-residential fees and rental cans/trailer fees that are not fees for basic services (collectively 'subscription and other fees')."

Section 6.A. of the County Resolution also declares that "[a]n increase in a basic service charge will not be effective until it has been

authorized by a majority of the governing bodies that have representation on the Board as reflected in a resolution adopted by the cities/county."

I would appreciate an affirmative confirmation of approval for increased fees for these services, from your City. For your convenience, I have included a resolution template for the City's Attorney to customize for Sandy City.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and look forward to the City's authorization of the basic fee proposals for 2017. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me on my cell phone, 801-550-6324, or you can discuss the topic further with Councilmember Nicholl.

Sincerely,

Pam Roberts

Executive Director,

Wasatch Front Waste and Recycling District

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cc: District Administrative Files

Attachments: Resolution Template and WFWRD 2017 Fee Schedule