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Re: Renewal of Exclusive Residential Recycling Collection and
Service Franchise Agreement

Dear Ms. Giles-Smith and Mr. Hall:

As you know, the term of the above captioned Recycling Collection and Service Franchise Agreement ends on July 31, 2021 ("Recycling Franchise"). We would propose to extend the term so that it ends concurrently with the Solid Waste Collection and Disposal Franchise Agreement that ends on September 30, 2024 ("Solid Waste Franchise").

To that end, we need to make certain modifications to the terms and conditions of the Recycling Franchise. The following is a preliminary list:

- **CPI adjustment** - Adjustment of the rate for services would be based on the CPI Index for All Urban Consumers: Water, sewer and trash collection services series CUUR0000SEHG, as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. One hundred percent (100%) of the percentage change shall be utilized not to exceed 5% per annum. Adjustments would coincide with those made under the Solid Waste Franchise.
- **Rewards program** - The recycling rewards program would be discontinued. If the City desires to maintain the program, it could contract directly with the provider to do so.
- **Rate** - The new rate commencing August 1, 2021, will be \$3.23 per unit per month.
- **18 gal. bins** - The existing bins will still be serviced but all no new or replacement bins will be used. Instead, a 35 gal. cart will be put into use.

There may be other matters to deal with but the above are the most substantive.
Please advise if the City believes this approach is workable.

Sincerely,



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