

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 293488

ADOPTED ON JUL 18 2000

WHEREAS, The City of San Diego Solid Waste Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) may, upon a majority vote of its local governing body, prescribe, revise, and collect fees or other charges from each operator of a solid waste facility or from any person who conducts solid waste handling pursuant to Public Resources Code section 43213; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted a fee schedule on April 7, 1998 with the intent of recovering complete costs associated with the LEA's regulatory duties; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted a revised fee schedule on September 14, 1999 to reduce fees for certain solid waste facilities and to more fairly and equitably distribute fees to the waste collection and hauling industry; and

WHEREAS, the LEA now seeks to further revise its fee schedule by reducing the annual fees charged to public and private closed landfill owners to more accurately reflect the true cost of operating this State mandated program; and

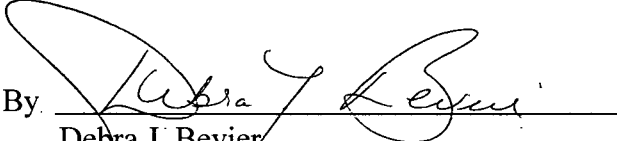
WHEREAS, the LEA now seeks to remove composting facilities and operations and contaminated soil transfer/processing operations from facilities subject to quarterly regulatory service fees in that these are recycling facilities; and

WHEREAS, the LEA now seeks to reduce the fee charged to delinquent accounts from 20% to 10% for all balances that have not been paid with thirty (30) days following their due date; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Municipal Code section 66.0503 authorizes revisions to LEA's fee schedule upon a majority vote of the City Council; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the revisions to the LEA fee schedule set forth in Attachment A are accepted and approved.

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## ATTACHMENT A

### SOLID WASTE LEA FEE SCHEDULE (Revised May 30, 2000)

Effective July 1, 2000, the Solid Waste LEA permit application and regulatory annual fees are as follows:

**PERMIT APPLICATION FEES.** Every applicant for a waste collector permit or a solid waste facility permit (SWFP) must pay the following permit application filing fee to the enforcement agency:

A.	Waste collector:	\$ 100.00
B.	Landfills and transfer stations:	
	1. New application:	\$ 7,000.00
	2. Application to review, revise or modify existing permit:	\$ 1,400.00
	3. Amendment to pending application:	\$ 700.00
	4. Five year review:	\$ 7,000.00
C.	Any facility that is required to obtain a full or standardized SWFP, and is not a landfill or a transfer station, shall pay the following permit application filing fee:	
	1. New application:	\$ 3,000.00
	2. Application to review, revise or modify existing permit:	\$ 1,400.00
	3. Amendment to existing application:	\$ 700.00
D.	Any facility that is required to obtain a registration permit, shall pay the following permit application filing fee:	
	1. New application:	\$ 1,400.00
	2. Application to review, revise or modify existing permit:	\$ 350.00
	3. Amendment to existing application:	\$ 70.00

### REGULATORY ANNUAL FEES.

A.	Every operator of a landfill or direct transfer, large-volume, transfer facility, medium-volume transfer/processing facility shall pay a quarterly regulatory service fee, assessed on specific tonnages of all wastes received, of:	\$ 0.13 per ton
B.	Waste collector annual fees:	
	1. Each waste collector permit:	\$ 640.00

2.	Each solid waste collection vehicle operating within the Jurisdiction of the City of San Diego:	\$ 35.00 per vehicle
3.	For purposes of this section, "waste collector" means any person, agency, or business that collects, transports, stores, or transfers for disposal or processing solid waste within the City of San Diego.	
C.	Active landfill:	\$ 45,000.00
D.	Transfer station:	
1.	Large volume ( $\geq 100$ tons per day)	\$ 11,520.00
2.	Medium volume ( $\geq 15$ to $< 100$ tons per day)	\$ 2,800.00
3.	Limited volume ( $< 15$ tons per day or $< 60$ cubic yards)	\$ 640.00
4.	Direct transfer ( $> 15$ to $< 150$ tons per day)	\$ 2,800.00
E.	Composting:	
1.	Full SWFP:	\$ 10,560.00
2.	Standardized:	\$ 5,600.00
3.	Registration:	\$ 2,800.00
4.	Notification:	\$ 640.00
F.	Non-hazardous petroleum contaminated soil:	
1.	Transfer/processing operation:	\$ 2,800.00
2.	Facility:	\$ 2,800.00
G.	Closed sites:	
1.	Type A (Large landfill/ $> 30$ acres with gas control):	\$ 10,000.00
2.	Type B (Large landfill/ $> 30$ acres without gas control):	\$ 5,000.00
3.	Type C (Small landfill/ $< 30$ acres):	\$ 5,000.00
4.	Type D (Burn Ash Site):	\$ 5,000.00
5.	Type E (Inert Site):	\$ 2,500.00
6.	Type F (Site Restoration Site):	\$ 5,000.00
7.	Type G (Archived Site):	\$ 640.00

**TERM OF PERMIT.** The term of a permit shall be a one year period from July 1 through June 30, inclusively. The term of a new permit shall be from the date of issuance through the following June 30.

**PAYMENT OF FEES AND RECORD-KEEPING.**

- A. Permit application fees shall be paid to the enforcement agency immediately upon the filing of any solid waste facility or waste collector permit application, or upon the filing of an application for a revision or modification of an existing permit.
- B. Regulatory services fees shall be made payable to the "City of San Diego" within 30 days following the due date. Whenever an annual permit fee or tonnage rate fee is required to be paid and such fees are 30 days past due, such fees shall be delinquent and an additional sum equal to 10% of the fee shall be imposed for such a delinquency, with an additional 1% per month thereafter. Such additional sums shall become a part of the fee required by the LEA.
- C. Payment of regulatory service fees, if based upon tonnage, shall be accompanied by a statement from the solid waste facility operator specifying and certifying the total amount of tonnage or volume of solid waste received during the preceding quarter.

Documentation substantiating the tonnage/volume upon which the solid waste regulatory fee is assessed shall be maintained by the operator and submitted quarterly for review to the enforcement agency.

- D. Each solid waste facility shall provide access to the enforcement agency for the purpose of monitoring or verifying the accuracy of the information submitted by the operator in the determination of the permit or regulatory fees.
- E. The fee for items not listed in the above fee schedule shall be determined by the actual costs incurred by the LEA. The LEA technical staff hourly rate is \$ 80.00 per hour (minimum charge, one hour, with each additional ½ hour being \$40.00).

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