

RESOLUTION 2018 - 30

**A RESOLUTION OF INTENTION
TO DECREASE THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FEE ESTABLISHED
BY THE SCRATCH GRAVEL SOLID WASTE DISTRICT,
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018**

WHEREAS, 7-11-1024, MCA states the Board of County Commissioners may make assessments or impose fees for the costs and expenses of the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District based upon budget; and

WHEREAS, a description of the boundaries of the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District are included in the Resolutions creating and amending the District and by this reference are hereby made a part thereof; and

WHEREAS, the costs and expenses of the District are less than revenues collected from the current annual assessment; and

WHEREAS, the Capital Improvement Plan and the recommended ending cash balance are projected to be fully funded in Fiscal Year 2019 and future years; and

WHEREAS, the Post Closure Liability Account for the closed Scratch Gravel Landfill is projected to be fully funded through Fiscal Year 2019 and in future years; and

WHEREAS, on April 19, 2018, the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste Board approved reducing the annual assessment fee for service from ninety-six dollars (\$96.00) per residential unit to eighty-eight dollars (\$88.00) per residential unit; and

WHEREAS, the new assessment fee for service will be effective for the 2018 tax bills and will remain in effect until such time as it is changed by the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, any comments or protests to the proposed assessment fee decrease shall be addressed in writing to the Lewis and Clark County Clerk and Recorder's Office, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, Montana 59623 prior to Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at 3:00 p.m. local time and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners shall proceed to hear and pass upon all protests so made at a public hearing on Thursday, June 21,



2018 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 330 of the City-County Building, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, Montana.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that notice is hereby given beginning the protest period and setting the date of a public hearing for the approval of the fees established by the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District Board of Directors as follows:

<u>Type of Unit</u>	<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>New Rate</u>
Residential	\$96.00	\$88.00

DATED this 7th day of June 2018.

LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


Andy Hunthausen, Chairman

ATTEST:


Paulette DeHart, Clerk of the Board

