

RESOLUTION 2023 – 32

**A RESOLUTION OF INTENT TO ESTABLISH THE LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY
LANDFILL FEE RATES BEGINNING JULY 1, 2023**

WHEREAS, Section 7-13-232 (1) and (3) (a) (i), MCA, states the Board may establish by resolution, rates for service charges; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis and Clark County Landfill serves the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District, the Marysville Solid Waste Subservice Area, and the City of Helena; and

WHEREAS, the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District Board and the Board of County Commissioners in Resolution 2022-39 established the current landfill fees.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors for the Scratch Gravel Solid Waste District voted on April 13, 2023, and recommended changes in the landfill fees to maintain and operate the County landfill, purchase equipment, make debt service payments, and to maintain adequate cash reserves.

WHEREAS, any comments or protests to the proposed fee changes shall be addressed in writing to the Lewis and Clark County Clerk and Recorder's Office, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, MT 59623, prior to June 28, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. local time; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clark County that it does hereby establish its intention to set the following landfill fee rates to be effective on July 1, 2023;

*Municipal Solid Waste Tipping Fee – Class II	<u>\$24.00 per ton</u>
Special Loads Solid Waste Tipping Fee – Class II	
Liquid Waste	\$ 7.00 per ton
Compost	\$10.00 per ton
Dead Animal	\$25.00 per animal
*Asbestos, ½ ton minimum	\$60.00 per ton
^Contaminated Soil, ½ ton minimum	\$30.00 per ton
Wastewater Sludge and Bar Screenings	\$50.00 per ton
Mattress Fee	\$10.00 plus tipping
Box Spring Fee	\$10.00 plus tipping
Passenger/Light Truck Tire (on rims)	\$10.00 plus tipping
Passenger/Light Truck Tire (off rims)	\$ 5.00 plus tipping
Truck Tires (on rims)	\$25.00 plus tipping
Truck Tires (off rims)	\$15.00 plus tipping
*Construction and Demolition Waste – Class IV	
Acceptable Materials	<u>\$21.00 per ton</u>
Unacceptable Materials	\$50.00 per ton
Violation Fee	\$75.00
Minimum Fee 0-500 pounds	<u>\$ 5.25</u>
<u>Demolition Fee</u>	
Mobile/Manufactured Housing	\$250 plus tipping
Travel Trailers and Boats	\$150 plus tipping
Accounts Receivable Reactivation Fee	\$25.00



Covered Loads Violation Fee – 2 nd Offense	\$50.00
Sale of Special Material –	
Bentonite Clay	\$ 7.00 per ton
^* Finished Compost, ½ ton min. when avail.	\$60.00 per ton

* MSW Class II; Construction and Demolition, Class IV; Contaminated Soil; and Asbestos rates may be adjusted based on operational assessment that may include volumes, analytics, contract terms and fiscal impacts.

^*\$60.00 per ton based on 1,300 pounds per cubic yard.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clark County that a public hearing to hear all comments or protests on the landfill fees will be held on June 29, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 330 of the City-County Building, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, Montana.

DATED this 13 day of June 2023.

LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Tom Rolfe, Chair

ATTEST:



Amy Reeves, Clerk of Board

