STATE OF ALABAMA		
COUNTY OF BALDWIN	)	

#### RESOLUTION #2019-122 OF THE BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION

PROVIDING FOR SOLID WASTE LANDFILL TIPPING FEES AND COMMERCIAL ACCOUNT LATE FEES, SPECIFICALLY AMENDING A BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION POLICY RELATED THERETO TO ACCOMPLISH THE SAME.

WHEREAS, Baldwin County Commission Policy #7.4 provides for the processes/procedures related to Solid Waste Landfill Tipping Fees and Commercial Account Late Fees; and

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Mandatory Public Participation Solid Waste Program is authorized pursuant to certain actions of the Baldwin County Commission and remains compliant with Section 22-27-1, et seq., <u>Code of Alabama 1975</u> (Solid Wastes and Recyclables Materials Management Act), and without limitation; and

WHEREAS, at this time, the Baldwin County Commission desires to amend Baldwin County Commission Policy #7.4; however, for said policy to be amended and to be compliant with the aforesaid applicable Alabama law, specifically Section 22-27-5 (a) and (e), Code of Alabama 1975, and without limitation, a resolution must be adopted by the Baldwin County Commission to accomplish the same; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION, IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, that, in compliance with Section 22-27-1, et seq., <u>Code of Alabama 1975</u> (Solid Wastes and Recyclables Materials Management Act), specifically Section 22-27-5 (a) and (e), <u>Code of Alabama 1975</u>, and without limitation, Baldwin County Commission Policy #7.4 is hereby amended to read in its entirety as set forth in Exhibit "A" (deletions set forth in RED as struck through and inclusions set forth in BLUE as double underlined) hereto and shall become effective immediately.

DONE, under the Seal of the County of Baldwin, at the County Seat in Bay Minette, Alabama, on this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August 2019.

Charles F. Gruber, Chairman

ATTEST:

Wayne A. Dyess, County Administrator



### **BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION**

POLICY #7.4				
Subject	Solid Waste Tipping Fees and Commercial Account Late Fees			
Date Adopted	August 6, 2019 February 19, 2019			
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	September 17, 2013	BG1		
	June 3, 2014	BF2		
	October 4, 2016	BH1		
	February 19, 2019	BL3		

#### **POLICY STATEMENT**

This policy outlines the Baldwin County Solid Waste Department's Landfill Tipping Fees and Commercial Account Late Fees established by the Baldwin County Commission (see Resolution #2019-122031; August 6, 2019February 19, 2019 regular meeting).

#### PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENT

1. The rates set forth in the table below are the established Solid Waste Landfill Tipping Fees of the Baldwin County Commission.

#### **Landfill Tipping Fees**

(Minimum charge of \$4.00 per load)

COMMODITY	RATE PER TON (UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)
ASBESTOS	\$40.00
CARRION	\$40.00
C&D	\$18.00
C&D SPECIAL HANDLING	\$25.00

\$18.00/TON or \$4.50/YARD (plus \$1.00/Ton for each ton over the 7.5 ton threshold)	
\$33.00	
\$25.00	
\$18.00	
\$15.00 PER GALLON	
\$2.00 PER GALLON/EACH	
\$30.00	
\$20.00	
\$40.00	
\$10.00 PER ITEM	
\$3.00 EACH	
\$10.00 EACH	
\$18.00	

<sup>\*</sup>BCSWMP refers to the Baldwin County Solid Waste Management Plan

# Transfer Station Commercial and Municipal Tipping Fees

(Residential, Non-Commercial Customers utilizing the transfer station will continue to be charged the Landfill Tipping Fee gate rates, with a minimum charge of \$4.00 per load)

COMMODITY	RATE PER TON (UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	
C&D	\$33.00	
C&D CY		
(Option For Customers	\$33.00/TON or \$8.25/YARD (plus \$1.00/Ton for each	
With Approved Containers Only **)	ton over the 7.5 ton threshold)	
COMMERCIAL GARBAGE	\$48.00	
COMPOST	\$25.00	
CUT/SHREDDED TIRES	\$33.00	
COMMERCIAL PAINT	\$15.00 PER GALLON	
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE	\$2.00 PER GALLON/EACH	
RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE (*BCSWMP Participants)	\$30.00	
SPECIAL HANDLING/		
INDUSTRIAL WASTE	\$55.00	
COMMERCIAL E-WASTE	\$10.00 PER ITEM	
TIRES <20 INCHES	\$3.00 EACH	
TIRES >20 INCHES	\$10.00 EACH	
WHITE GOODS/METAL BCSWMP refers to the Baldwin County Solid Waste Management Plan	\$33.00	

In the event the scales are not operational or the debris event results in the Baldwin County Commission activating the county's debris removal and disposal services or other approved

<sup>\*\*</sup> To have the option to choose between Tonnage or Cubic Yard rate, Customers must submit an application for container stickers (by size for each group of containers). BCSW will provide stickers. Containers without stickers will be charged the applicable tonnage rate.

county contractor, the following cubic yard rates shall apply as the Baldwin County Commission's Landfill Tipping Fees and Transfer Station Tipping Fees

COMMODITY	Cubic Yard Rates (based on a 4:1 ratio Tons: Yards)	
	Landfill	Transfer Station
C&D AND VEGETATIVE DEBRIS	\$4.50	\$8.25
MSW – MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE (Residential)	\$7.50	\$7.50
MSW – MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE (Commercial)	\$8.25	\$12.00
SPECIAL HANDLING / INDUSTRIAL WASTE	\$10.00	\$13.75

On October 1, 2008, Baldwin County Solid Waste began assessing a late fee to any outstanding balance carried by a commercial account. Commercial accounts are defined as those customers who have applied for and been extended charging privileges at County maintained landfills. Those customers are billed monthly with the expectation that their account will be paid in full prior to the next billing.

#### 2. Account Late Fees

**COMMERCIAL:** A two percent (2%) late fee, with a minimum late fee of \$10.00, will be imposed on all commercial charge accounts that become delinquent as defined by the following:

- a. Payment is due by the 5<sup>th</sup> of each month.
- b. If payment is not received by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month, a 2% fee will be applied to any outstanding balance.

#### **WAIVING OF LATE FEES:**

- 1. Customer Courtesy A one-time ten dollar (\$10.00) late fee waiver, per collection account may be administratively waived by the Senior Accountant.
- 2. System Error Late fee(s) of ten dollars (\$10.00) or more billed due to system error and/or system limitations may be administratively waived by the Senior Accountant with subsequent review of the Development and Environmental Director.
- 3. Administrative (Other) —Late fee(s) of ten dollars (\$10.00) or more may be administratively waived for accounts with good historical payment history due to extenuating circumstances as deemed necessary by the Senior Accountant with subsequent review of the Development and Environmental Director.

4. **Baldwin County Commission Waiver** – The Baldwin County Commission reserves its right to waive any late fees for any reason as it determines appropriate and as approved in session assembled.

## FORMS/ATTACHMENTS/EXHIBITS

1. N/A