



Baldwin County Commission

Legislation Text

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Item Status: New

From: Terri Graham, Development and Environmental Director

Submitted by: Allison Owens, Operations Support Manager

ITEM TITLE

Annual Christmas Tree Recycling Program - 2022

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

- 1) Authorize the Baldwin County Solid Waste Department to conduct a Christmas Tree Recycling Program in 2022 - 2023; and
- 2) Authorize the Baldwin County Solid Waste Department to place information regarding the Christmas Tree Recycling Program on the county website; and
- 3) Authorize the Baldwin County Solid Waste Department to place roll-off waste containers at the following locations for citizens to place their discarded Christmas trees at no charge in the containers from December 26, 2022, to January 16, 2023:

Bay Minette Transfer Station

Spanish Fort Volunteer Fire Department

MacBride Landfill

Baldwin County Central Annex - Robertsdale

Fairhope Satellite Courthouse

Magnolia Landfill

Eastfork Landfill

Foley Satellite Courthouse

Perdido Beach Volunteer Fire Department

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Background: The Christmas Tree Recycling Program is an annual activity conducted by the Baldwin County Commission's Solid Waste Department which allows the citizens of Baldwin County to dispose of Christmas trees at no charge. Citizens are asked to utilize the locations listed in the staff recommendation to dispose of Christmas trees and refrain from placing their discarded

Christmas trees along the roadsides with their household garbage. Christmas trees that are collected not only conserve valuable landfill space but also contribute material to the compost program. Compost created from vegetative materials is available for sale to the citizens of Baldwin County for \$25.00 per ton.

Previous Commission action/date: N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Total cost of recommendation: N/A

Budget line item(s) to be used: N/A

If this is not a budgeted expenditure, does the recommendation create a need for funding?

N/A

LEGAL IMPACT

Is legal review necessary for this staff recommendation and related documents?

No

Reviewed/approved by: N/A

Additional comments: N/A

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS

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Is advertising required for this recommendation? Yes

If the proof of publication affidavit is not attached, list the reason: Advertising will take place after Commission approval.

FOLLOW UP IMPLEMENTATION

For time-sensitive follow up, select deadline date for follow up: N/A

Individual(s) responsible for follow up: Allison Owens, Operations Support Manager to coordinate all advertisements with Administration and other departmental staff.

Charlie Stanford, Collections Supervisor, to coordinate roll-off containers for delivery and retrieval at recommended site locations.

Action required (list contact persons/addresses if documents are to be mailed or emailed):

N/A

Additional instructions/notes: N/A