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**CITY OF BEAUFORT**  
DEPARTMENT REQUEST FOR  
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

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*\*\* (Deadline for Submission - Wednesday Noon  
Prior to Tuesday=s Meeting) \*\**

**TO:** City Council

**DATE:** June 11, 2009

**FROM:** City Manager

**AGENDA ITEM TITLE:** Resolution setting fees for solid waste services for a five year period.

**MEETING DATE:** June 23, 2009

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*BACKGROUND INFORMATION: (Attach additional pages if necessary)*

The City Council has determined that it is in the City's best interests to award a five year contract to Waste Pro for Solid Waste Services.

As a result of this award the City needs to set the rates for the term of the contract.

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**APPROVAL BY CITY MANAGER:**  APPROVED  NOT APPROVED

**CITY ATTORNEY APPROVAL REQUIRED**  YES  NO

**PLACED ON AGENDA FOR:**

**REMARKS:**

**Council action:**

Approve a resolution setting the rate for solid waste fees for residential pickup at \$13.50 per month.

RESOLUTION

Approve a resolution setting the rate for solid waste fees for residential pickup, including recycling, yard debris and white goods for a fee of \$13.50 (current fee is \$14.00 for both trash and recycling) per unit per month for the five year term of the contract with Waste Pro.

WHEREAS, the City has an obligation to ensure that solid waste services are handled appropriately; and

WHEREAS, the City has received a proposal that will meet its needs for residential solid waste services; and

WHEREAS, the proposal provides a more efficient effective process for handling solid waste; and

WHEREAS, it is the City's desire to provide these services at a rate that covers the costs of the services provided by Waste Pro as well as the costs to administer and manage the contract including the billing, existing debt service payments, reserve for cart/bin replacement and reimbursement of the advance by the General Fund,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Beaufort, South Carolina hereby awards a five year contract for solid waste services to Waste Pro.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Beaufort to be affixed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009.

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BILLY KEYSERLING, MAYOR

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SHIRLEY D. HUGHES, ACTING CITY CLERK