



CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS

City Council Agenda Communication

Meeting Date: May 16th, 2022

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Agenda Item: Wastewater Treatment Sludge Disposal Contract Authorization

Explanation: The Wastewater Treatment Plant produces approximately 900 tons of sludge each year that needs to be landfilled. The City has been using GFL, formally PDC, for the past 4 years for disposal of this sludge. Staff has sought quotes from GFL and Waste Management, the only two landfills in the area, with the results of these efforts shown below.

GFL- \$35.00 per ton in 2022 and \$40.00 per ton in 2023

Waste Management- \$55.00 per ton.

GFL landfill has been used for sludge disposal for several years, due to favorable pricing.

Fiscal Impact: Sludge Disposal not to exceed the budgeted \$35,000.00.

Recommendation: Staff recommends approval of GFL for sludge disposal for FY 22/23.

Action Requested: Authorization to use GFL in the amount, not-to-exceed, of \$35,000.00 for wastewater treatment sludge disposal as a consent agenda item.