

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADOPTING SOLID)	RESOLUTION NO. 25-5489
WASTE FEES AT THE METRO TRANSFER)	
STATIONS AND METRO'S COMMUNITY)	Introduced by Chief Operating Officer Marissa
ENHANCEMENT FEE FOR FY 2025-26)	Madrigal with the concurrence of Council
)	President Lynn Peterson

WHEREAS, Metro Code Chapter 5.03 establishes the fees for solid waste disposal at Metro Central and Metro South transfer stations; and

WHEREAS, Metro's solid waste disposal fees pay for cost of operating the transfer stations, including the costs related to transportation and ultimate disposal of solid waste; and

WHEREAS, ORS 459.284 authorizes a local government to impose and collect a community enhancement fee on waste disposed under certain conditions, and Metro Code Chapter 5.06 establishes a community enhancement fee in an amount not to exceed \$1.00 on each ton of putrescible waste delivered to eligible solid waste facilities in the Metro region; and

WHEREAS, Metro Council finds that it is in the public interest for Metro to collect a community enhancement fee of \$1.00 per ton on all solid waste received at Metro's transfer stations; and

WHEREAS, Metro's costs for solid waste disposal services have changed; and

WHEREAS, the proposed fees comply with Metro Charter Section 15 ("Limitations on Amount of User Charges"); now therefore,

THE METRO COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Solid Waste Fees. The Metro Council approves the schedule of solid waste fees as set forth in Exhibit A and the fees become effective on July 1, 2025.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 15th day of May 2025.

Lynn Peterson, Council President

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Carrie MacLaren, Metro Attorney