

Legislation Text

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Setting the recycling service fee for 2014, and authorizing Public Works to request \$589,209 in SCORE grant funds from Ramsey County to support the curbside recycling program under contract with Eureka Recycling. (Public hearing held November 6)

WHEREAS, the request of the SCORE grant funds from Ramsey County and setting the recycling service fees for 2014 will allow the City to continue and expand the curbside collection of recyclables program currently under contract with Eureka Recycling through 2014; and

WHEREAS, in order to continue service in 2014 for weekly curbside collection of recyclables, single sort recycling, increased education and public information, and support expanded plastic collection, the City Recycling Service Fee in 2014 shall be set at \$52.26 per unit in residential buildings with one to three units including condominiums, and \$32.50 per unit in residential buildings with four or more units, for support of the citywide curbside and multi-family / city buildings recycling collection programs conducted under contract with Eureka Recycling; and

WHEREAS, this represents a 35.0% increase in the 2014 City Recycling Fee rates; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the proper city officials are hereby authorized and directed to request SCORE state recycling grant funds from Ramsey County in the amount of \$589,209 in 2014 for support of the citywide curbside and multi-family recycling collection programs conducted under contract with Eureka Recycling; and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Saint Paul does hereby adopt the 2014 City Recycling Service Fees as referenced above.