

City of Coffman Cove

RESOLUTION 13-08

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE SOUTHEAST ALASKA SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY'S RECOMMENDATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN A REGIONAL SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL AND RECYCLING SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the City of Coffman Cove is a member of the Southeast Alaska Solid Waste Authority (SEASWA), a Municipal Authority formed under the guidance of Alaska Statutes 29.35.800 – 29.35.925, and

WHEREAS, the SEASWA's primary goal is to allow the communities of Southeast Alaska to work together to stabilize the cost of disposal of municipal solid waste while also supporting regional economic development, job creation/retention and environmental stewardship and education, and

WHEREAS, the SEASWA has undertaken a public process to research and identify a regional solid waste disposal and recycling system that meets the Authority's goals, and

WHEREAS, the SEASWA has selected Republic Services, dba Regional Disposal Company, as the potential regional service provider for long-term solid waste disposal and recycling for Authority members and other regional communities, and

WHEREAS, the SEASWA and Republic Services have worked together to develop a draft Master Services Agreement (MSA) and proposed rate structure for the shipping and disposal of solid waste and the shipping, processing and marketing of recyclable materials, and

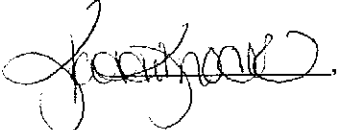
WHEREAS, the SEASWA member communities of Klawock, Petersburg, Thorne Bay and Wrangell are proposed to be the commodity consolidation points and future contracting entities with Republic Services, and


WHEREAS, the SEASWA Board of Directors has unanimously passed a motion on August 24, 2012 that recommends the contracting communities to individually negotiate and enter into an MSA with Republic Services.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Council for the City of Coffman Cove supports the recommendation of the SEASWA Board of Directors and encourages affected SEASWA members to negotiate and execute a Master Services Agreement with Republic Services.

Passed and Approved by the Coffman Cove City Council on September, 20th, 2012.

ATTEST:

 City Clerk

 Mayor