

Solid Waste Working Group
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Mary Lou Tighe: Chair Ross.

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00:00:11.429 --> 00:00:12.179
Greg Ross: I am here.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Vice chair firm.

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00:00:14.009 --> 00:00:15.089
Mary Lou Tighe: Here you're.

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00:00:18.180 --> 00:00:18.570
Becky Tooley: here.

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Mary Lou Tighe: commissioning glassman.

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00:00:22.200 --> 00:00:23.370
Commissioner Steven Glassman: But morning here.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Good morning, vice mayor good.

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Tom Good: i'm present Thank you.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Thank you, Commission McMahan.

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Tom McMahan: On press on Thank you.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Thank you, Commissioner mayor see.

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Bob Mayersohn: i'm here.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Commission having on.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Okay, well, that was the one I missed will wait for her to join us and may Ryan is not able to be with us today and.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner scooter may be listening in on his behalf I turn.

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Greg Ross: And housekeeping I just want to find.

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Greg Ross: out who is 954-709-0010.

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Marc Wexler: morning there well mark wexler waste connection.

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Greg Ross: Thank you very much more.

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Sely Cochler: And then I just let and Sabrina having Anna.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Thank you so.

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Greg Ross: And we'll wait a moment Sabrina are you on.

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Greg Ross: bring them with a roll call, are you there.

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Greg Ross: Here terrific Thank you very much, so we've got everyone, we can begin and I want to say thank you again, very much for your past work and for going over the IRA that we gave.

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Greg Ross: To you a couple of days ago I know.

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Greg Ross: At the south Florida regional planning Council beeman I both are on that and we had discussions on what.

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Greg Ross: items are topics to bring up at the next tri county or quad county if you will Monroe dade broward and palm beach.

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Greg Ross: Regional Planning Council and and being was good enough to suggest a solid waste and and it was a heck of a discussion regarding that and some other topics, but we'll work things out because everybody likes talking trash.

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Greg Ross: So, having said that.

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Greg Ross: beam he have here welcome.

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Beam Furr: All right, good morning everybody I think today's gonna be a good discussion it's you know we've gotten gone long ways, it does is this will be a part of where we have to kind of.

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Beam Furr: figure out the right words so that everybody, you know so all they're all the lanes we're all in our own lanes, where we can be.

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Beam Furr: The county is always going to have this ultimate responsibility that you know as much as you know, there's no way to get rid of it.

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Beam Furr: it's statutorily, we have to do it it's much like.

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Beam Furr: Four cities, you know if you've got you are responsible for your public safety, you might hire bso but, and if you don't like the way they're doing it.

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Beam Furr: Then you have the USA, you know what we're gonna do we have fun somewhere else but you've still got that responsibility, and I just want us to all think of that you know when with today.

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Beam Furr: When we try to figure out how to.

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Beam Furr: Word this so that we, you know we.

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Beam Furr: We do this right the county is going to have to be you know I think we're all have to recognize the Kelly still has those responsibilities.

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Beam Furr: And contracts and things so you know that said i'm just kind of just kind of a primer i'm looking forward to figuring out the right wording so that we so that we've got our lanes kind of set and look forward to the discussion today.

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Greg Ross: And that's why we've got four excellent.

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Beam Furr: attorney I know.

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Beam Furr: lot of semantics.

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Greg Ross: I appreciate that and let me go ahead and start with the legal counsel update and that really I assume is the I la is there anything Mike Jamie nathaniel or matt anything additional over and above.

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Michael Cirullo: Now.

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Greg Ross: I dont.

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Michael Cirullo: la and the discussion.

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Michael Cirullo: Of the powers and authority, which is where you left off at your last day.

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Greg Ross: Alright, well, I i'm going to start with the Article six, the powers in authority, let me just get there, there you go.

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Greg Ross: Okay.

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Greg Ross: And we'll go through.

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Marty Sherwood: 6.11.

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Greg Ross: I had to i'm sorry oh Marty you're you're.

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Greg Ross: you're on Mike you should thank you very much alright so 6.11 it's a short one anyone have any difficulties with that.

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Beam Furr: Sure, I think we were trying to fit I think one of.

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Beam Furr: we're gonna need to discuss here is how the.

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Beam Furr: The distinction here where where the entities.

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Beam Furr: Control is and where the county's role is as well.

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Beam Furr: So the wording here and I don't I don't know if we want to put that up or if we just want to talk about it, first because we may need to just have a discussion.

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Beam Furr: And because this entity is going to have to figure out how to coordinate with the county with regard to landfill with future with the contracts that are already in place up to 2038.

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Beam Furr: How, you know, like.

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Beam Furr: If we're going to be using the landfill lady maybe later to.

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Beam Furr: Put a burner on how do we coordinate on that.

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Beam Furr: Issues like when this when the wastewater treatment plant sends its.

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Beam Furr: sludge.

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Beam Furr: To the landfill or if it's you know.

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Beam Furr: And then, and have or if it's going to be ever sent to the business, a lot of coordination here, so we need to figure out, so the language, the language, right now, we could say a couple ways we and matt Maybe you can put that up, so we can just look at where we're.

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Beam Furr: Okay, I see.

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Beam Furr: Somebody asking for a draft on the screen.

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Matthew Haber: Okay, would you like me to share my screen for of the of the of the draft filing.

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Matthew Haber: yeah yeah.

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Beam Furr: Because the very first part, talks about.

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Beam Furr: The one part that.

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Beam Furr: The entity can't do control all disposal like it's it can control, and let me, let me go backwards i'm sorry i'm rambling a little bit, but when we first started doing this.

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Beam Furr: There were three main things that we were looking at we had asked arcade us to look at.

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Beam Furr: One should we keep the Alpha to 50 the answer was a resounding yes.

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Beam Furr: They showed us if we you know we if we wanted to get to the 75% recycling, how would we do it they've kind of showed us away and what governing structure would would get us there, so they get to that 75% and we have worked our way to where we are right now, which is the I like.

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Beam Furr: The the idea of the the genesis and the impetus of all this was.

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Beam Furr: How do we get the, how do we create a recycling program that can essentially take care of most of the trash in this county.

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Beam Furr: This entity can do that they can they can you know, the way that we're kind of going about it, they can assess they can.

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Beam Furr: Design build all kinds of just determined tipping fees determining all kinds of contracts what they can't do, and this is where we need to be clear.

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Beam Furr: They they they can have responsibility for all of disposal, because you can't you can't see that, so our language has to reflect that it has to reflect that you know if this is if this group ever went belly up.

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Beam Furr: The county immediately has to take over and has to have that as its backup, we have to be able to have in the in the IRA those kind of.

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Beam Furr: thoughts and protections that give you know that make sure that the county can.

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Beam Furr: step in, you know, on all the recycling things that we might do with this entity, as well as.

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Beam Furr: You know continue with the contracts that we have with we'll have greater with waste management, all those kind of things, so I say that.

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Beam Furr: Because the very first part here says, provide for the disposable disposal of all solid waste we're gonna have to, we need to probably see provide for the coordination.

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Beam Furr: or something like that, because it's because it's not you're not providing for the dispose the disposal of all solid waste.

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Beam Furr: So we have to get it, we have to have our semantics that this in.

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Beam Furr: To make sure that we're saying we're saying all that I know i'm rambling a little bit, but hopefully you're getting the point.

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Jamie Cole: Where you're you're muted.

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Greg Ross: Thank you jb.

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Greg Ross: i'll go ahead before I even say anything Jamie go ahead.

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Jamie Cole: Okay, if I can just comment on what beam is saying that, I think that is really the crux of the issue that the attorneys were talking about and we're concerned about um.

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Jamie Cole: But it's not just a county issue it's also a city issue, because each city currently basically handles the disposal.

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Jamie Cole: Of all solid waste and recyclables for with that that are generated within its jurisdictional boundaries, so what.

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Jamie Cole: You know I will tell you, when this was presented to one city that that I represent.

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Jamie Cole: They the question was asked, are we giving up our autonomy as to what's going to happen for disposal and recycling for the sodom for everything in our city, and I said.

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Jamie Cole: Yes, that's exactly what you're doing you know the city and the county all the cities in the county are agreeing that this new entity is going to handle disposable recyclables just like.

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Jamie Cole: You know the solid waste authority does in palm beach county or you know in other places, so the idea was that everyone is giving up their their autonomy now.

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Jamie Cole: There does need to be a provision in here, as you, as you mentioned that deals with the situation of what happens if you know if this entity disappears, you know what will happen with.

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Jamie Cole: The disposal, you know in one particular city that city is going to have that responsibility to handle it and if any city doesn't join this or if any city does.

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Jamie Cole: You know, in that scenario doesn't do anything the county does have that ultimate responsibility as well, so I think we're gonna have to recognize that in here but you're thinking about what's gonna happen if the entity, you know goes belly up.

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Jamie Cole: I mean we got much more serious problems, I mean if the entity goes belly up and we've issued dots of bonds I don't know what happens, I mean I you know I.

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Jamie Cole: If we're going to start building facilities and doing things like that I, you know it going belly up i'm not sure how an Anti like this goes belly up, I mean it has the power to assess.

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Jamie Cole: So it can just keep increasing the assessment to make sure it doesn't belly up you know I don't know how that how that happens, but you know I do think you're you're.

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Jamie Cole: it's an interesting point that we need to address as to how we're going to deal with the scenario.

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Jamie Cole: I always say more about if any cities don't join it said there's a city that doesn't join and that city also refuses to take care of disposal solid waste.

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Jamie Cole: That does fall within the county's responsibility, so the county is still responsible but 611 only talked about disposal solid waste and processing recycle bulls.

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Jamie Cole: within each party's jurisdiction, so if there's a city that doesn't join it's not a party, so the county would still have that responsibility anyway so i'm not sure that that that issue really is a problem.

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Jamie Cole: But I do think this is a fundamental question about what we're doing um you know I do think that it was the assumption among.

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Jamie Cole: Many cities and many city officials have been going along with this, that you know we're all in this together, and that the county.

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Jamie Cole: And all the cities are basically equal in this and that the county doesn't have.

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Jamie Cole: some kind of super powers, because of that ultimate responsibility, and you know I think that's a policy issue that needs to be discussed by everyone, because, as the lawyers as we're going through this language, the attorneys for the county started.

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Jamie Cole: Suggesting language that was contrary to that, based on you know the thought that the county has altered responsibility and obviously the attorneys there Mike Michael and I.

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Jamie Cole: Had issues with that because that's, contrary to what we thought was was happening, so I do think we need to have a discussion now, it may be, you know, there is a.

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Jamie Cole: transfer powers provision in the constitution of Florida that does talk about the transfer of powers and meeting referendum, if you do that.

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Jamie Cole: Though so we might need to further analyze that issue as to whether or not any powers are technically being transferred.

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Jamie Cole: If the ultimate responsibility still stays with the cities and the county if you know within their jurisdictions if.

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Jamie Cole: Things don't happen, I think it's not a transfer of power, so I think we're Okay, but you know it's something that certainly can be talked about, but I do think there's just a.

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Jamie Cole: fundamental question that needs to be addressed and that is, you know is everyone in this together i'm equally, or is this going to be a scenario where the county has some type of you know super powers or ultimate powers beyond what each city has.

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Jamie Cole: Because I think that's you know, a fundamental question.

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Greg Ross: I appreciate that matt.

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Matthew Haber: um I just have a couple of requests for for the group and, I think, in some ways they really are aligned with what Jamie was saying.

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Matthew Haber: This is a policy question that we're trying to understand, and so the lawyers need direction from the working group, and so my request is you know for a global discussion about what what is the working groups intention for this authority, what is it going to do.

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Matthew Haber: You know, regardless of whether or not it goes belly up I you know, there are.

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Matthew Haber: I don't think we've had truly the conversation of what is the full extent of the authorities jurisdiction, going to be and so like independent of what Article six currently says, I think that's the conversation that we're looking to have right now.

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Matthew Haber: The other request is is really that we get specific when we're talking about some of these authority, some of these powers and services and operations.

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Matthew Haber: Because if we're talking about something like you know operating a solid waste disposal facility, you know owning and operating a landfill that's very distinct from.

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Matthew Haber: Having the power to direct flow control right, you know both involved disposal, you know if it's flow control, you have an entity that is saying.

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Matthew Haber: We are determining.

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Matthew Haber: The final resting place and transportation of any ways that's been collected.

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Matthew Haber: If its operation of a facility and that's clearly a major.

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rley: frustrated, how are you today man.

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rley: This is yeah this is Ross.

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rley: Thank you.

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Matthew Haber: Go ahead well, those are really my my two requests right number one is is clarity on where this group.

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Matthew Haber: wants the authority to work in essence like what is the full scope of his jurisdiction and to within that to be very clear about what operations we're talking about my concern with 6.1 point one.

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Matthew Haber: And even other parts of Article six is that it is, it is not so specific you know we have members of the TAC we have Members of solid waste and recycling services, we have folks available, who really.

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Matthew Haber: Are expert and and what these operations are and how they're distinct from one another and so to the extent that we're putting pen to paper, I would like to have the clarity that they can provide to us.

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Greg Ross: I can appreciate that Mary Lou do I have any other hands, if not i'd like to chime in.

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Mary Lou Tighe: No, Mr charity don't.

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Greg Ross: Okay, so what what beam brings up is interesting because I hate to use the legal term of we're splitting hairs or talking about how many angels dance on the head of a pin.

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Greg Ross: But what we can't lose sight of is that this is our Charter and we even in Item number one a 6.11 refer to the master plan of operations, and I think matt that's what you're.

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Greg Ross: Really, referring to is what really goes into the master plan of operations, how it gets done as opposed to what we have the power to do as an authority now i'll ask this of the attorneys.

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Greg Ross: I think what beam is asking is does the county have the authority to delegate the disposal of solid waste and and, if so, then they delegated it to the authority and that needs to be placed in there, I guess, with caviar that would satisfy.

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Greg Ross: As indicated, if someone goes belly up but that I think is the initial question can they delegate.

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Greg Ross: And, and I believe that they can, and if they can then it goes back to what we all agreed to when we started out with this is we're not going to be dependent on the county this is really an independent iowa.

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Greg Ross: And everyone is in it together, no one has more jurisdiction than the other and that's where everybody is literally unified is as one.

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Greg Ross: But if i'm wrong then I want to hear it now because i'm not sure why this is being discussed now and not you know, three months ago.

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Greg Ross: When when we were discussing what powers and where we were headed, so I have, I have two additional hands, let me first.

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Greg Ross: Go to my name.

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Mary Lou Tighe: yeah Mr chair, you have Mister Mister Mister call and Mr kids Pittsburgh in the morning.

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Mary Lou Tighe: and

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Then.

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Michael Cirullo: You go on.

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Michael Cirullo: mike's Rollo try to answer the question without getting bogged down, and like you said you know the minutiae whatnot my understanding, would be if there's a will there's a way we there may be, it may be as easy as in our local agreement, it may be, as difficult as a referendum.

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Michael Cirullo: But the real issue is, if there is a if there's a will to structure, a certain way, then there's.

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Michael Cirullo: I believe very likely and legal method to get it done again, it depends on the consensus we may build as attorneys how difficult or easy that method is like that that's just my that's my view.

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Greg Ross: Thank you very much Jamie.

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Jamie Cole: it's I you know I agree with with Michael we we will find a way, if this is what you know, once you tell us how you want to do it, but.

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Jamie Cole: It seems to me that it's not just a county issue, it is also a city issue, I mean the city and the county are all going to have to delegate their power to handle dispose on of solid waste and processing recyclables to this entity.

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Jamie Cole: Just like we do with the bsl agreements, although I do think we are going to both at the city and county level have some kind of reservation of.

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Jamie Cole: of powers i'm ultimately because, ultimately, each city in the county is responsible for their solid waste, you know the county the city's first and then, if the city is also don't do it, then the county.

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Jamie Cole: So I mail without looking at it too deeply, yet you know it's my initial thought that that the cities and the county cannot delegate that authority and most likely will need to reserve some ultimate responsibility.

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Jamie Cole: And then the question is, do we is that enough to avoid the referendum requirement my my initial thought is it probably is but we'll have to look at it, you know a little bit further and further that.

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Greg Ross: Fair enough nathaniel.

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00:21:47.070 --> 00:22:05.550

Nathaniel Klitsberg: Thank you mayor, I will also agree with with mike's comment and partially agree with James so the way that you frame the question, there is an interesting one, when you talk about delegating the responsibility or delegating the power is very different than just.

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00:22:07.020 --> 00:22:11.070

Nathaniel Klitsberg: agreeing to allow somebody to or another entity to perform.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: The service, while still having the ultimate responsibility, our view and again will certainly look at it more is that for the county to delegate it statutory obligation that a referendum appears to be required to delegate the obligation.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: So, and that, I believe, is what Commissioner first been talking about it's what Max spoken about it's one thing for the county to enter into an agreement to have the authority take on certain.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Responsibilities just like any other contract, but the county again remains by statute ultimately.

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00:22:53.460 --> 00:23:06.900

Nathaniel Klitsberg: The obligated party to provide for disposal capacity and to provide for disposal for the municipalities within the jurisdiction, I think that to matt's earlier point as well we're also, to some extent, combining.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: flow and capacity so again, to answer your question at this point, our view is that to delegate the obligation appears the referendum will be required, but to mike's real his initial point if there's a will there's a way.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: And we just need to get a better understanding of the will of the group with regards to this so that we can figure out the mechanism by which it can be done.

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Beam Furr: Okay Greg can I build on that for a minute.

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Greg Ross: yeah sure, and then I have.

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Greg Ross: Commissioner, have ilana.

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Beam Furr: Okay i'm what i'm what i'm hearing nathaniel say is we, the county can contract with this authority.

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00:23:53.310 --> 00:23:53.910

Beam Furr: To.

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Beam Furr: So that much like what we contract like we contracted with we'll return right it's the exact same time, so we contract with this authority to you know.

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00:24:07.410 --> 00:24:09.960

Beam Furr: Take care of the flow controls.

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00:24:11.520 --> 00:24:13.620

Beam Furr: Doing assessments building the.

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00:24:15.480 --> 00:24:24.870

Beam Furr: Recycling you know facilities, all those kind of things city, you know this entity running it determining tipping fees, it can all be contracted out.

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00:24:25.710 --> 00:24:38.190

Beam Furr: What the county and needs to hold on to and reserve, and I think these are the words what Jane was referring to the county has to reserve it protect its ability.

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Beam Furr: In case you know, for, for you know, like the landfill this the county can't give up that landfill they've got a hold on to it.

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Beam Furr: And i'll give you an example, what if the county gave it to the sanity and insanity all of a sudden said, well, we want to sell it we can't do that.

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00:24:55.890 --> 00:25:07.140

Beam Furr: Like that's you know that's not gonna that's not gonna happen because the county has to make sure it is looking long long long term forever.

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00:25:07.680 --> 00:25:24.750

Beam Furr: To make sure it's got the ability to take take care of disposal so it's got a its got a kind of reserve those things in all of the citizens interest of this county, which is all the cities interesting so it's it's it's you know it's.

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00:25:25.860 --> 00:25:36.930

Beam Furr: But I think the idea that we contract, you know this is this is essentially a contract with the entity to take care of these things, some places it may need to say it's a coordination.

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Beam Furr: It can contract all of that processing part of can contract all the flow, it may need to, we need to have need may need to have language and there were coordinates.

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00:25:47.880 --> 00:25:55.680

Beam Furr: And I think those are the words the coordinates with the sit with the county to to use the landfill.

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00:25:56.220 --> 00:26:03.720

Beam Furr: It coordinate coordinates with the city on those contracts with with the wheel of greater with waste management, because they're already there.

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00:26:04.350 --> 00:26:20.970

Beam Furr: You know, those are the kind of things and coordinates with you know with the you know if we decide to do a burner on the landfill your coordinates there, those are the kind of things it contracts out a lot of stuff but uh coordinates with others, but I hope that makes sense.

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Greg Ross: It does and i'll call on Commission I have ilana followed by an American.

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Sabrina Javellana: Thank you, thank you sure, so I have a lot of questions, so I was under the assumption this whole time that the cities, would be delegating or authority for disposal services.

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Sabrina Javellana: Along with the county to and now i'm confused on that aspect, now I thought so i'm hearing, I think, from my cello that it could be done potentially through an IRA or.

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Sabrina Javellana: A referendum, and if it can be done through an IRA would this be sufficient, and we have to add like a new section.

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Sabrina Javellana: To do that, or if we find that all has to be done through a referendum is every single city that wants to participate going to have to put this to to a vote to the residents So those are my first question and then, when it comes to the.

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00:27:18.060 --> 00:27:31.680

Sabrina Javellana: Landfill are there, certain deed restrictions or or stipulations that could be put on the property, so that it can't be sold for excellent years or without permission from the county.

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00:27:34.170 --> 00:27:36.210

Sabrina Javellana: So those are my Those are my questions for now.

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Greg Ross: Which one well you know what i'm going to end Bob I apologize, but matt coming up after you he might be able to answer a Commission to have a lot of questions.

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Bob Mayersohn: No problem.

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Matthew Haber: I apologize um so let me take down there we go.

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Matthew Haber: To the Commissioners question, I think this is where we do need to include more specificity in the power section and not leave that up to the master plan.

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Matthew Haber: Because I think that there are a lot of operations and a lot of powers that were referring to his disposal that are that are distinct from each other, so what the municipalities are.

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Matthew Haber: are in essence pledging to this authority, they are, they are saying that the authority can direct the final they can they can the authority can pick the final resting place of.

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Matthew Haber: of any municipal municipal solid waste that's collected in their jurisdictions that's called flow control, and so a lot of what.

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Matthew Haber: This agreement is about, and a lot of the words.

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Matthew Haber: You know in it are about especially economic flow control this idea that we want to not just.

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Matthew Haber: Through ordinance which the parties would be obligating themselves to pass by joining this file a.

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Matthew Haber: But, but through economic incentives to encourage where their waist and.

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Matthew Haber: And so that in the constitutional sentence is not a delegation of power it's a contract right it's not.

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Matthew Haber: So entirely different from the from the cities, who maintain open markets and who select taller.

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Matthew Haber: So I so that's a very distinct thing from talking about the powers to operate and own particular kinds of infrastructure.

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Matthew Haber: And, and so you know again like I want to make sure that when we're talking about this, the cities and the county are all in essence by contract by contract pledging their flow.

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Matthew Haber: To this authority and to the decisions of this authority in no way are those governments, giving up their their ultimate responsibility regarding flow it's a contractual pledge, and the way.

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Matthew Haber: that this agreement is currently drafted it's not the authority that creates flow control ordinances but it's the municipalities and the county that agree, by virtue of signing this agreement to adopt flow control ordinances the the difference between.

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Matthew Haber: county government and amenable government in a statutory sense is only the county is obligated to provide.

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Matthew Haber: A solid waste disposal facility, you know, in essence, a enough capacity for all of the incorporated and all the incorporated unincorporated areas to put their trash and absent, a referendum we can't.

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Matthew Haber: We can't delegate that authority, and so what the county's concern is.

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Matthew Haber: In essence, how can we.

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Matthew Haber: find a way to collaborate with this authority with all the governments present while still maintaining our ability to meet our statutory obligation and again it's different because.

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00:31:34.380 --> 00:31:49.590

Matthew Haber: With flow control it's a contractual agreement with disposal there is this obligation if we also move into the world of recycling the county doesn't have that kind of obligation, all of the parties here.

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Matthew Haber: are pretty much on the same statutory footing when it comes to handling recycled materials they're processing.

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Matthew Haber: You know recycling programs standards any of that right we're all the same, so it's really just this one place where the county has a concern that it's trying to address collaboratively with this group.

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00:32:11.970 --> 00:32:22.860

Matthew Haber: And in terms of the requirement for a referendum, I do want to make sure that we're clear it wouldn't be an issue for flow control it's just this one issue with the county with disposal.

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Greg Ross: Thank you matt i've got commissioned merrison Kevin Keller and Jamie call you mentioned medicine yeah.

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yeah.

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Bob Mayersohn: And I think I mean, like all of us, this is kind of a a.

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Bob Mayersohn: New nuance that I wasn't aware of.

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Bob Mayersohn: And I guess, my concern is or question is, and I bring it out to being.

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Bob Mayersohn: Where does the county Commission sit on this, I mean I I don't know where I know I haven't taken a pulse of some cities, but I don't know where all city stand on it um but i'm concerned about the overall I guess i'll call it oversight or authority that the county has which.

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Bob Mayersohn: before it was my understanding, this was more of a collaborative process with no side, having more authority than the other.

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Bob Mayersohn: So I guess i'm asking is, where does the county stand on it is the county willing to as I think Mike said look there's or Jamie said the same thing look there's a will there's a way.

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Bob Mayersohn: But is it is it something where the county is is going to say no, our authority is our authority, we have to have that.

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Bob Mayersohn: versus know we're willing to give it up in some way or some form that will allow this entity to be truly independent so.

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Bob Mayersohn: I don't know if i'm making myself clear yeah just but It just seems that you know, this is the first time we've heard of it.

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Beam Furr: i'm happy to respond.

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Greg Ross: Is Thank you.

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Beam Furr: Okay um I don't it's not really the first time because we've talked about before that the county needed to hold on to the landfill we've that's been kind of.

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Beam Furr: A train of thought throughout this, I think the county Commission is ready to to let to have this authority really run them, you know essentially determine help on all the flow control doing the assessment deciding what things get built.

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Beam Furr: To you know, especially with regard with all the recycling.

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Beam Furr: Facilities I think there's there's a there's a sense that this is going to be a real team effort here that this, you know that this entity can and could.

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Beam Furr: Really.

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Beam Furr: kind of.

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Beam Furr: determine the way trashes dealt with in this county.

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Greg Ross: The.

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Beam Furr: The the the reservation part of it, that the county will feel the end at the same time, is to make sure that we reserve our ability.

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Beam Furr: And, and the sites that we have and the and the contracts that we have that we have to still deal with those when there's a hurricane where's all that stuff go.

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Beam Furr: goes out to that landfill and i've seen it after a hurricane and it gets there's truck after truck after truck after truck on there.

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Beam Furr: So there's there's those kind of things that the county is still going to have responsibility for, but I do think the county Commission is ready to.

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Beam Furr: Hold hands with this entity and say you guys, you know let's do it.

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Beam Furr: You know here.

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Beam Furr: You know figure out how to how to do it like a contract essentially and and go for it that's that's my sense.

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Greg Ross: appreciate that Kevin Keller.

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SWRS: And matt stone most of my thunder here, you know, in this situation, here we have the county and the cities, we have you know the flow control part of it.

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SWRS: Just like to see these would be pledging through contract to do flow control with the authority so will the Khan Academy for the the flow control for the the.

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SWRS: unincorporated areas, but the counties in a unique position with the statutory obligation and and where we have to have make sure that there is capacity and that's something that the misspellings don't have and all we're asking is that that the lines reflect that.

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SWRS: situation and I think, Commissioner, for, as you know, eloquently said, where we're at with this we're trying to do it, but the language needs to reflect the county has unique responsibility and even.

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SWRS: Jamie indicated multiple times here that you know, ultimately, the county is responsible, and we, the language needs to reflect that.

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Greg Ross: appreciate that Jamie.

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Jamie Cole: So I sent I put in the chat the exact language from the Florida Constitution so everyone can actually see what we are talking about.

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Jamie Cole: um, by the way he talks about you know, taking any functional power transferring or contracting, so I mean the word contracting doesn't really solve our problem.

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Jamie Cole: I mean the issue really is whether you're transferring a function or or a power um I think that, like we we started at the beginning, when when like when I first spoke and we said we need to know what the.

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Jamie Cole: What the goal, the policy goal of everyone is if it is for everyone to be basically equal and to try to.

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Jamie Cole: You know, do it the way we've been talking, I think I think there's a way to do it, and I think we can probably avoid her our friend um but we'll we'll have to look at that it may be, we need a referendum, but you know my gut feeling is.

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Jamie Cole: We won't but you know I think part of the question is how far do we want to go.

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Jamie Cole: You know, there was some talk, when we were talking about lawyers about having giving the county super.

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Jamie Cole: Power voting and things like that, if i'm not hearing that today on really hearing today is that you need to reserve the ultimate obligation to deal with.

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Jamie Cole: disposal and and that's certainly can we just put that in we can put that language in it's relatively easy, I do think that if we were going to be.

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Jamie Cole: Transferring ownership of property, for example, if the landfill was going to become owned by this entity and I don't know if that is there isn't.

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Jamie Cole: I guess, there would have to be some provision in there that it can't be sold without the county's consent and maybe there needs to be a provision in that at the end of the.

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Jamie Cole: The end of the entity, it would go back to the county I mean there's things that we can put in like that um, so I think we just need to really hear from the group what you want, and then we as lawyers will come up with a legal way to do it.

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Greg Ross: Fair enough nathaniel.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Thank you and Jamie I appreciate you putting the the constitutional provisions up there, I mean and again.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: it's not splitting hairs for for all the lawyers that are in the group, the question of whether or not the mere transfer of power can also constitutes the transfer of the.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Of the underlying obligation associated with that power is really what we're what we're talking about here when we're getting into into potentially into the weeds about this.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: What I think is.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: You know, right now, we're talking more about the one potential thing that is the the hangar.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Which is again the county's underlying staff.

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Luciano Isla: money.

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Luciano Isla: Money please.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Can you mute.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: So we're talking about the one particular issue that, for which there is a statutory obligation that is placed upon the county but to both Commissioner mayor since point, Commissioner, first point, and some others.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Talking about what things from a vision standpoint and obviously also getting into into the dirt on it a little bit of what are the things that the always working group, once the authority to be able to do are so many things that we that can be done in part.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: There may be one particular thing related to ownership and operation of.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: disposal capacity and spousal facilities that relates specifically to capacity versus recycling, as Commissioner for he was talking about, I understand that attack yesterday spent a fair amount of time.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Talking about.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: recycling facilities mercs and I wonder whether or not we can get some direction from the group regarding all of the things or a list of some of the things that they want the authority to be able to do since there seems like there's so many of those that.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Are can be done via IRA without it.

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Greg Ross: Thank you i've got Tom good and then matt.

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Tom Good: Thank you, Mr Mayor chair appreciate you recognizing me.

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Tom Good: So i'm hearing a lot of the legal conversation.

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Tom Good: I certainly think that.

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Tom Good: perspective that I have.

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Tom Good: Having been involved with this for some very long time.

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Tom Good: Is that.

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Tom Good: Cities do want.

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Tom Good: As Commission mayors and said equality.

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Tom Good: You can relate that to autonomy.

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Tom Good: The.

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Tom Good: i'm finding is very disturbing this conversation and it's shaking the foundation of the expectation for either autonomy or equality and that's why a lot of a lot of cities have been participating, at least to this point because they believe that it was heading in that direction.

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Tom Good: We talked about control of an asset.

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Tom Good: Control of an asset has everything to do with a time.

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Tom Good: Whether that's through a contract or or through an ownership of an asset.

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Tom Good: This, it was an it was an expectation that this authority that we're trying to put together had that autonomy and if it wanted to contract, it could contract and if it wanted to contract with the county it could contract with.

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Tom Good: But that's to access county assets, not on track with the county get into a contract the county has with somebody else that doesn't make any sense, why would the authority, not just have a direct access to the contract.

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Tom Good: To the authority so.

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Tom Good: it's it's very, very, very important that this authority has control.

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Tom Good: Of the assets or access to assets.

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Tom Good: I don't I don't know that I guess, I actually agree with this whole concept of the statutory requirement.

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Tom Good: In the operative word is required.

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Tom Good: Because if it was statutory requirement of the county for disposal the county would be doing it right now we wouldn't even be in this conversation.

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Tom Good: The Statute does say responsibility and the power.

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Tom Good: But if there are other alternatives that exist.

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Tom Good: The county doesn't have to execute.

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Tom Good: Because it's not a requirement.

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Tom Good: And I think that's what this authority does.

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Tom Good: It does provide.

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Tom Good: The alternative and against all the settings.

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Tom Good: With the hopes of the county participating your autonomy to determine what's going to happen to its disposal.

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Tom Good: of its waste.

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Tom Good: I am, I do have one question, though, like I there's a lot of questions I have bringing this up right now.

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Tom Good: Can I say it's very disturbing it does does indicate to me that there's a huge change in the expectation and direction.

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Tom Good: But I do have, I have a very important question asking that is that the county has to be a part of this agreement.

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Tom Good: In order for it to be over.

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Tom Good: You know, like for Jamie to answer that if we could Mr miniature.

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Greg Ross: me if you're capable.

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Jamie Cole: So I think, can you repeat the question again decide make sure I have it.

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Tom Good: It does the county have to be a part of this inner local agreement in order form and authority.

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Jamie Cole: Well, no, I guess it doesn't mean that a group of cities could get together and do it without the county but the county does have.

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Jamie Cole: ultimate responsibility, so it would greatly limit what the group of cities could do, for example, you know, three or four cities could get together and do an IRA.

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Jamie Cole: To do a.

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Jamie Cole: You know, solid waste contract so rather than each city doing its own hauling contract, it could do a joint contract, you know, three or four cities fit together by eileen and do that.

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Jamie Cole: But we're not gonna be able to do, nearly the types of things that we're talking about doing go building facilities or.

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Jamie Cole: controlling the flow for the whole county I just don't think it would be nearly as effective as what we're trying to accomplish here, I think this what we're trying to do here needs the county and it needs.

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Jamie Cole: pretty much all the cities, be without it it's really doesn't make that much sense.

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Tom Good: Any work.

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Tom Good: Together, so the short answer is no, thank you.

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Greg Ross: matt Haber.

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Matthew Haber: Before I say anything I want to ask Commissioner, for if he wants to speak first.

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Greg Ross: Their name.

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Matthew Haber: Commissioner you're muted.

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Thank you matt.

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Beam Furr: nathaniel had asked.

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Beam Furr: Is this is kind of a visioning thing of what are we trying to what are we actually trying to do, what do we want this entity to do, and you know, I think it goes back to how this started with.

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Beam Furr: Those three questions you know what trying to get 75% recycling using the Alpha 250 and like much like what Jamie just said, all of us kind of working together to kind of decide, you know how the trash is dealt with, I want to see.

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Beam Furr: All the cities involved and the county I want to see all of this stuff go as much as it can be to be recycled because that's, the only way because we only have one burner, right now, so we need that I want to see the this entity, be able to determine determine what's going to be built.

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Beam Furr: How it's going to be built, where it's going to be built and make sure that we have that control.

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Beam Furr: Over costs, because I think that's what's been driving this thing, and I think this entity can do that, and I think the county can contract that out.

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Beam Furr: I think they can contract all of that out because it's it's under the umbrella of recycling program it's not under the umbrella of disposal and if we make that distinction, I think you can see that we can kind of.

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Beam Furr: find a way through this because I think this entity really can in and i'm hearing you know control issues, I understand that.

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Beam Furr: I totally understand that and I, and I think that there's a way where the entity can control, much of what is dealt with if you've got 75% of all the garbage go in there.

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Beam Furr: And then, when it's you know after it's done, it has to go, it has to go be disposed of that part that can't be recycled there's a there's a middle ground here.

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Beam Furr: I think we've been talking from the get go that there's going to be, you know it's going to be important for this entity to contract or you know if wherever the.

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Beam Furr: excess of the can't be recycled or where we're going to build something that they're going to have to deal with the county to just you know to.

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Beam Furr: find space for that, and I think from the get go we've said the county is willing to do that as looking forward to doing that is looking to coordinate that because it's in the county's interest.

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Beam Furr: it's not you know it's in the county is all the cities so when it's in it's in all of our interest to build these facilities.

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Beam Furr: In a way, that you know benefits us all, so I do think there's a way to do this, I think you know I wouldn't get hooked up on I wouldn't I understand that everybody's trying to get concerned on the control issues, but I think I think there's a way where you can control.

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Beam Furr: A whole lot.

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Beam Furr: That without you may not control, the lack of the the the the reserve part that the county has to hold on to but making sure it has has disposal capabilities.

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Beam Furr: In case this did didn't work out much like what palm beach did just so you know palm beach did start off with all the cities.

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Beam Furr: When they did their their waist authority at some point, they said, the city said, you know what we're going to hand it over the county so there's precedent that the county has is cognizant of that you know we have to be, we also have to be cognizant of matt i'll turn it back to you.

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Matthew Haber: yeah Thank you um.

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Matthew Haber: So i'm trying to because because Commission first had a lot of what I was thinking.

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Matthew Haber: So absolutely agreed, and I think you know what's happening here is from the lawyers perspective, we really want to understand the collective vision.

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Matthew Haber: Of this group, so that we can go ahead and reduce that to the best possible legal language, and I only speak for myself i'm not exactly sure on what the collective is looking to do from.

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Matthew Haber: The county's perspective, you know I think what we are trying to do with this group right now.

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Matthew Haber: is to say hey you know we're all working together, but, but we, as the county do have this concern and we'd like to address it in collaboration with you like how, how can we address this concern together we're doing this very openly.

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Matthew Haber: And just you know final thing to add some specificity to what Nathaniel and Commissioner for were saying.

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Matthew Haber: You know, we have some real problems or challenges also ahead of us as a as a lower see lowercase C county you know we need.

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Matthew Haber: To reduce tipping fees, we want to reduce wait times and we really need to increase our recycling rate and that's going to be a lot of hard work.

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Matthew Haber: And it is not work where where the county is looking for any special right it's everything, I think that this group has been talking about you know it is.

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Matthew Haber: it's it's flow control it's setting a special assessments to support that it is you know, setting up recycling and materials recovery facilities.

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Matthew Haber: it's it's handling the actual processing of that recycled materials I've seen in the chat.

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Matthew Haber: You know other things related to what is the term I'm looking for Compostable material we've talked a lot about recycling programs we've talked about reuse and reduction, this is a lot of work that really requires the collective and so I'll leave it at that.

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Greg Ross: Thank you very much, Tom good.

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Tom Good: Thank you, Mr Mayor chair.

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Tom Good: So when we talked about what is this what is this.

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Tom Good: Group want to do I, you know I think it's a collective vision of all the cities, you know in this group is representing all the cities, so you know I certainly speak on behalf of.

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Tom Good: Some of what I know what other cities are looking for.

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Tom Good: Now, a lot of things that we've been talking about so far has been.

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Tom Good: already tried.

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Tom Good: Very tried doing this through a dependent district, called the resource recovery board.

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Tom Good: and

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Tom Good: When you talk about why.

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Tom Good: It didn't have sustainability, most of the criticism.

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Tom Good: Is on not only the asset we paid for a lot of that serve.

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Tom Good: and never, never was able to own the asset and that's what cities, want to do you want to be able to.

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Only assets.

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Tom Good: i'm hearing a lot of conversation i'm not going strictly one way i'm being open minded i'm just not hearing much difference much differentiation of what we had before.

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Tom Good: And so i'll still stay open and listen and see what there is a differentiation but it's clear to me that cities want autonomy they want to be equal any want to have control of the asset, so you know that their dollars are being spent wisely that's all thank.

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Beam Furr: Here, can I jump in here from it.

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Greg Ross: Absolutely, Commissioner.

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Beam Furr: So Tom so to your point let's say the entity.

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Beam Furr: decides, they want to build a murph recycling facility a glass recycling facility.

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Beam Furr: Collectively, that entity is going to be have.

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Beam Furr: Really total control of that.

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Beam Furr: Because you're going to be able to I mean, especially if you do out of the out to 50 or you know and other places i'm not sure what you know the county is not going to have some kind of veto power on that you're going to be able to decide what you build.

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Beam Furr: What kind of the size of it, the cost of it, how it's going to be paid for what, how are you going to pay for it back, that is all that's.

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Beam Furr: A lot of autonomy there, I mean it's you know, whereas it I understand exactly what you're talking about with the rv in the because in the end we didn't own that which was a you know big mistake we will the cities in this entity will essentially control these.

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Beam Furr: All of these facilities that had built.

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Beam Furr: You know it's that's a that's a lot of autonomy, you know in terms, I mean from the get go, we would be deciding.

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Beam Furr: You know, really, the blueprint.

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Beam Furr: For solid waste in this county.

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Beam Furr: that's a that's a lot of autonomy deciding where that deciding where the money gets spent.

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Beam Furr: that's a lot of autonomy.

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Beam Furr: deciding what gets built.

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Beam Furr: And all those things, and you know.

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Beam Furr: That is that there's a big difference in my mind between what this is and what they are being is only because I see with with regard to the.

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Beam Furr: Governing Board and the Executive Board, where the decision making power is in determining the blueprint here.

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Beam Furr: Is is in the hands of this entity, by and large, yes, the county still will have other place and reserve the landfill for where some of this stuff may happen.

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Beam Furr: Just because it can't the you know the county may is going to hold on to that lands, because we know we may need to build a burner out there, we know we need that land.

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Beam Furr: hurt come hurricane season, and you know you've got to find a place for you know, God forbid, you gotta you know hundreds or thousands of houses or got knocked down and you gotta have a place for stuff to go.

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Beam Furr: um so yeah we're gonna, we need to reserve that pistol capacity, but the autonomy of this entity I can't I really think needs to be considered the the autonomy to determine flow control.

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Beam Furr: Really that between that and determining how the money gets spent and what gets built.

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Beam Furr: there's a lot there.

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Beam Furr: there's a lot there and I, and I just I, I asked for you think about that think about how that gets done, this is a, this is a team effort here.

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Beam Furr: So that's all I got.

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Greg Ross: Thank you, Thomas your hand up from before or do you have another statement.

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Tom Good: Yes, thank you, Mr miniature so so thank you Commissioner for two things one, I just want to you know you several times have made reference to the landfill and.

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Tom Good: I Are you assuming that this authority is going to take possession at landfill because I don't, but do you know the county landfill no.

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Beam Furr: I am not so.

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Tom Good: Good that's that we have county I, I just want to make it clear, because I don't have any of that dream.

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Beam Furr: But.

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Tom Good: No question is any.

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Beam Furr: Tom, but I do think it's going.

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Beam Furr: To need to be used by this entity.

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Tom Good: At some point sure sure and and.

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Tom Good: Maybe through a contract.

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Correct correct.

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Tom Good: Right, so the second question I have i've heard everything you said about the autonomy, but still when it comes down to it, the dollars that are spent in order to build these assets in the end, does the entity own the asset, or does it not only asset.

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Beam Furr: that's something we would have and that's a very good point and I, I think that needs discussion of how assets would be determined if if this thing went belly up, how does it, how do they get what happens here I that's a good question Tom i'm not sure because.

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Beam Furr: The because.

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Beam Furr: Because the reality is those things are still going to be used by all our citizens still.

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Beam Furr: they're not good, they don't you know they're not going away we're still going to be using them so and they're paid for by all our citizens.

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Beam Furr: So good question I don't know.

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Tom Good: It just so you know I.

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Tom Good: When I operate in these conversations i'm really not being anywhere reactive to the belly up term because I agree with attorney Cole you know that you know this is la that what we're putting together will be.

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Tom Good: You know I just don't think it'll allow that to happen.

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Tom Good: You know it's just like any city will any city go belly up know they'll just they'll they'll find revenue in other ways, so but um but thank you for that, because it is very important that the ownership of the assets that are paid for through this authority.

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Tom Good: is a very important issue.

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Tom Good: For the conversation to.

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Beam Furr: yeah, can I ask you just I just want you to I want us to think, because you brought up a good point and I haven't gotten to that one point of okay let's say we buy all these entity buys all this.

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Beam Furr: And 40 years from now, this ends.

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Beam Furr: How, how do you envision what would happen to those assets, I mean does the county the county probably need here's here's the county either needs to find a way to.

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Beam Furr: take control of those at some point does it buy it does a buy it from the entity is a given tip from the entity to the county so that the county can maintain the that's the issue.

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Beam Furr: How does, how do you how do you have a continuity or continuum of services from this entity.

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Beam Furr: In the in the you know possibility that it after 40 years and so that's part of it, because that's what happened at the end of the rv that's you know the end we didn't know what happens here, we will, at least at least the county will own this.

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Beam Furr: Together somehow whether it's through the city or the county together private private industry would not the public, somehow, it will be owned publicly.

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Beam Furr: that's I think that's a given.

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Beam Furr: And that's The thing that I think we should all recognize that at the end of this somehow publicly we all own this that's that's an important part.

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Greg Ross: And i'll have Jamie Cole response respond to that.

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Jamie Cole: And so I think that has to be a given, I think that was the biggest complaint that I heard about the rb system was that basically all of the tipping fees.

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Jamie Cole: Over all those years were were paid over to to a private company in the private company, at the end on the asset, so it has you know, I think that is clearly an issue now, the whole litigation, we had.

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Jamie Cole: That led to this was over the other assets at the end of the rb the rv agreements, said that all assets will be equitably distributed.

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Jamie Cole: Among all the parties that's what it said and that's what we ended up fighting about it at the end, so I do think that we need to be very clear as to what's going to happen at the end.

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Jamie Cole: And I you know the assets at the end of with the IRB were just it was just the Alpha do 50 property and money was really all that there was to actually distribute.

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Jamie Cole: This time if we're talking about actually potentially building a facility.

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Jamie Cole: I think this gets a little bit more complicated because if if, for example, if each of the cities are there taxpayers are putting money in.

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Jamie Cole: To a facility and that's by building the facility, there needs to be some ability, assuming that facilities going to keep operating after this and today.

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Jamie Cole: They need to be able to keep getting the advantage and the benefit of that facility, just like the county would want so there has to be.

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Jamie Cole: No, no, maybe we deal with different types of assets differently um but take Center facilities bill, you know I think it's going to have to just have to be some provision for continuing to to operate and for the benefit of all Members of this this group.

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Greg Ross: You know, and again just trying to be fair and equitable.

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Greg Ross: When you buy something and for whatever reason 40 years down the road it's going back to the county, then you appraise it and proportionately give out the proceeds.

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Greg Ross: Equal proportion to what was paid for so it's not rocket science on how to do it, but I think jamie's right, not every.

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Greg Ross: piece of parcel or something that's built as opposed to least can be handled one way it's not one one case fits all uh, but I think.

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Greg Ross: What i'm hearing overall is still the autonomy, equality and the reservation which, if you want to circle back to an hour ago.

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Greg Ross: Mike and Jamie said it in the very inception, and that is yes, that would be easy to reserve the rights for the county and that's understandable to statutorily you go back to the responsibility and the power.

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Greg Ross: I don't have difficulties, and I think when they were as a will there's a way I think it's more contractual I don't think we'll need a referendum, and I think that.

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Greg Ross: In and hear you talking about 6.11 you want certain items listed man, I think, was the one who's requesting for more specificity of clarity.

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Greg Ross: And yet, if we do put something in have three different items if we don't put the fourth in then it's excluded and that wasn't our intent.

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Greg Ross: So you have to look back to the mission statement of what we're trying to do and keep it as simple as we possibly can, but having said that i've got Jamie Cole and Tom good.

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Jamie Cole: i'm sorry I did not take my hand down.

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Greg Ross: Oh i'm sorry okay Tom good, please.

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Tom Good: Yes, thank you, Miss me check again I, I just want to point out one you know we keep talking about flow at the end of the entity, you know and Jamie rightfully points out that.

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Tom Good: There needs to be a benefit that continues to go back to those taxpayers, but we keep saying the county and I just want to make clear I don't know that it's the county only.

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Tom Good: That the assets might go to it could be a totally different entity that decides to take it or it could be a regionalisation, or it could be a change in law, the law that gave the county the responsibility and the power and you know it was probably about 34 years ago.

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Tom Good: Which means that it could it could change in the next 40 years certain so it doesn't need to be addressed but I don't want us to be focused on the county.

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Such Thank you.

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Greg Ross: There i'm telling.

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Greg Ross: You i'm talking to myself again I realized that.

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Greg Ross: I said some really good stuff.

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Greg Ross: Am I missing anyone Tom if you could take your hand down Marilyn Am I missing anyone.

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Mary Lou Tighe: know Mr Cheney and.

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Greg Ross: Then let's get back to 6.11 after having discussed it for an hour does anyone have a proposal.

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Greg Ross: That matt you've indicated you like a little more clarity, do you want to put the mission statement in there.

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Greg Ross: For the clarity I i'm trying to keep it in a charter level a 30,000 foot level, and if I start, including things in there, then you're prohibiting others.

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01:08:25.380 --> 01:08:37.050

Greg Ross: And, and I don't think that's what we want to do so, I guess what i'm looking for is direction from the attorneys on how that can be handled.

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Matthew Haber: Oh man for asking direction from you and you're asking direction.

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Matthew Haber: um so you know, in terms of crafting more specific language that is still not at the level.

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01:08:56.010 --> 01:09:07.200

Matthew Haber: Of like a master plan you know we can certainly suggest that, I mean easy things that that we can do in here is, we can remove the word all in front of solid waste.

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Matthew Haber: We can include requirements to coordinate with with our county we can make certain things, subject to that statutory obligation and to tom's point to the extent that it is still in Florida statutes.

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01:09:23.610 --> 01:09:27.900

Matthew Haber: But I think that there's still a larger question of.

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01:09:28.980 --> 01:09:44.850

Matthew Haber: What actually is, in this agreement, so I can, and we have drafted some options, but I don't I don't know that I understood the group to come to a resolution on the question of.

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Matthew Haber: What is this authority going to do.

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01:09:50.520 --> 01:09:51.090

Greg Ross: hey Jamie.

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Jamie Cole: Thanks yeah um I don't think we need to actually get into the specific lengthening of the lawyers, we need the guidance, then we can work on the language and I don't we don't need to the group of 40 or 50 people to do that, but the real question is.

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Jamie Cole: If there's two ways we could draft one way, we could drop this is, we could draft it.

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Jamie Cole: and give you know it's based on what i'm hearing from everyone, it sounds like we want to have is as close to possible the county and the city is all kind of equal and having you know pretty much everyone giving up their autonomy to the screw.

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Jamie Cole: during the term of the agreement, at least.

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Jamie Cole: And we could draft that one way, we could draft is, we could just say that, and it may or may not need a referendum, so I guess we'd like to get some input on how everyone feels about it, if it needs a referendum.

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01:10:44.190 --> 01:10:52.560

Jamie Cole: I mean we certainly can do it, and we could transfer 100% of all the all the authority and all the responsibility we could transfer everything to this entity.

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Jamie Cole: In which case, by referendum there's no doubt about that so that's one option is, we can draft it that way, and have our friend.

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Jamie Cole: The second is, we can draft it going as far to that as we possibly can, while still feeling comfortable that we don't need a referendum, and I think we can get pretty far I mean, I think we can.

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01:11:11.430 --> 01:11:24.090

Jamie Cole: Almost get to everything but we'd have to have some reservations in there, so that would be the second option, you could direct us to try to get as close to we close as we can, without feeling that we need a referendum.

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Jamie Cole: And then, once we know the answer to which one of those two you would like, we can you know we can the lawyers can go ahead and play with this to try to get to that accomplishment now.

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Jamie Cole: I don't know how everyone feels about our friend, or maybe it's a good thing, maybe it's a bad thing I don't know I mean it's obviously another step that we weren't planning on doing.

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Jamie Cole: Now I guess the third option is, we could just basically give to the county more powers than the city so.

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Jamie Cole: I think it's, contrary to what most of the cities were thinking this is going to be so I don't think that's a good option for the cities, but I guess that is the third option, because that gets to be much more like a dependent district that we kind of decided against.

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Greg Ross: And I appreciate those three options, let me see what Nathaniel has to say.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: So I don't think that we're looking for the the third option Jamie and just to sort of.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: add some more color to what you were just indicated, as well as that, I think that, based on whatever direction that we get from from the group if we're going with the.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: The the transfer of certain powers and authority, while it still needs to recognize that there's that statutory responsibility.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Which is non delegate bowl, in our view, at least at the moment we do it as non downloadable Apps and the referendum, so if there's a desire to go the referendum route, obviously we can.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Draft in in that way and if there's a desire not to go the referendum route we should be contemplating potentially including language in 611 or in this section.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: which indicates that it is providing for the disposal of solid waste, not necessarily the all as well as indicating somewhere in there to matt's earlier point of some specificity.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: Subject to the county's unique statutory responsibility and without interfering with that because I don't think that there's anybody that wants to interfere with a.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: statutory obligation that the county or the anybody ultimately hats so again there's there's many ways to I don't know whether or not skin a cat is still a phrase that you can use in 2022 but i'll go with it.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: or i'll just go with mike's original if there's a will there's a way, but I think that we do need to have that level of specificity in in the agreement so that.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: 25 years from now, when likely nine or very few of the people that are on this phone call are going to be participating in this discussion necessarily.

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Nathaniel Klitsberg: That there is a recognition of what the real authority or the real powers of the authority were intended to me so that's my only comment that regard.

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Greg Ross: I appreciate that, and so, having heard that I think we all agree, the option number three is not really a true option to be looked at.

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Greg Ross: Those really option one referendum and option to bring it to the point right before the need of a referendum.

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01:14:32.970 --> 01:14:51.990

Greg Ross: I I, for one, obviously like to make things as simple as possible, and that is not required the referendum, but but work around which makes it a whole lot easier for the authority to do what it needs to do, but having said that, before I continue with that matt you've got your hand up.

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Matthew Haber: it's just to to reiterate the request that you know even in.

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Matthew Haber: Even in the option, where we're not doing a referendum, but we are just kind of going up to the ledge of the referendum.

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01:15:07.410 --> 01:15:26.190

Matthew Haber: it's to rearrange my requests and wouldn't Daniel just said it's a level of specificity regarding the intentions of what this authority is going to undertake so that 2030 years from now, our successors really get what the purpose was.

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Greg Ross: i've got to be honest man I think how nathaniel phrased it was as good as we can do at this point, I think we all agree.

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Greg Ross: If you take the word all out it really helps us tremendously and then subject to, and that was what Jamie and nathaniel both referring to.

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Greg Ross: The reservation of rights, if you will, pursuant to the Statute, I get it, I don't see a great problem with it, but I want to know in your mind matt is that sufficient.

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01:15:59.730 --> 01:16:05.910

Matthew Haber: That is sufficient for the disposal aspect of this i'm actually getting to stuff that I think is.

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Matthew Haber: Not just about the county's obligation and any place that the county has a concern, but something that I think even vice mayor good.

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Matthew Haber: referred to and prior meetings which is, we want to talk more specifically in ways that this language does not and i'm talking about all of Article six, not just 6.1 point one.

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Matthew Haber: But about what the expectations are even words in terms of setting standards for recycling programs because there's language further down where, if you read it.

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Matthew Haber: Just it's it's black letter language and context it looks like it could even prevent a city from adopting a you know more progressive recycling standards and its programs and so that's kind of what i'm you know, in terms of the disposal issue I think we've figured out where we're going.

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Matthew Haber: But I just wanted to reiterate this request that as we're thinking through this, we think it through with specificity.

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Greg Ross: Alright, then let me come back to asking everyone not taking a vote but informally a consensus is everyone agree that you want to avoid the referendum and go with option two or are you up for option one, so let me do it very simple.

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Greg Ross: Who here is for opt in one history can yes.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner, have a lot coming on it has her hand raised.

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Greg Ross: I don't know.

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01:17:32.580 --> 01:17:40.860

Mary Lou Tighe: I mean getting take that down so you can do this straw poll, and then will recognize her for the question that probably would be helpful.

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Mary Lou Tighe: And then you see.

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Greg Ross: Fair enough, let me do the straw poll, and that is to ask who here is in favor of the option number two which would not require a referendum, if you would please raise your hand.

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Greg Ross: Mary Lou have you gotten their responses.

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Mary Lou Tighe: i've got, for instance for.

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Greg Ross: anyone else option to.

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Greg Ross: Okay, if you would take your hands.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Down Mr chair that now, is it.

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Mary Lou Tighe: 123 and now at five.

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Greg Ross: Okay.

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Greg Ross: And then i'll ask who hears in favor of the referendum option one.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Just one moment here i'm condition ariana Can you clarify your vote.

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Sabrina Javellana: For the for option to without a referendum.

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Mary Lou Tighe: So.

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Mary Lou Tighe: we've now gotten to six on that.

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Greg Ross: Okay, and who here is in favor of option one requiring the referendum.

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Mary Lou Tighe: 21.

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Greg Ross: Okay, that doesn't add up, because we have more people.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Well, we only have eight.

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Mary Lou Tighe: So i've got seven votes so i'm missing one.

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Greg Ross: The becky totally vote.

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Becky Tooley: No, I did not.

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Becky Tooley: Because I would like to see some more information before I vote.

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Tom Good: And I did not vote either Mr Mayor chair for the same reason.

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Sabrina Javellana: Okay, I also have a question before I.

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Sabrina Javellana: Go ahead.

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Sabrina Javellana: um OK, so my question was Why would it potentially need to go to a referendum when.

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Sabrina Javellana: We contract out certain services like fire and police with agencies like she has so and that doesn't have to go to a referendum, I kind of see some similarities in in this situation here is that.

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Sabrina Javellana: Those are.

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Sabrina Javellana: Those are services, but you know we're required to offer under law, so we don't have both when we decided to merge with the so for different services.

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01:20:07.140 --> 01:20:10.860

Greg Ross: I think that's exactly what Jamie Cole was saying and Jamie if you would.

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Jamie Cole: um yeah I can answer that bit there's actually a lawsuit between I think it was Fort lauderdale and for our or for learning and so on, that exact issue.

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Jamie Cole: It was for lunch own power, many years ago and the Court ruled that because it's temporary and because for lauderdale was retaining ultimate control that that it did not constitute a transfer powers, so it wasn't an issue.

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Jamie Cole: Now we may I, it seems like what we can do, based on what i've heard from everyone.

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Jamie Cole: We can go ahead and drop this you know we'll do some more research on this issue, to see how far we have to go because it's also an interesting issue because.

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Jamie Cole: The county is not transfer its powers to some in you know independent other local government or an entity to which it's not a party, you know the county is part of the.

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Jamie Cole: entity, so it might be some arguments, but we will go ahead and look into the issue, for then we'll go through this and drafted as far as we can go and then you'll see what it looks like and, if you think it doesn't go far enough, you can always change your mind.

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Jamie Cole: And do the referendum route later, but it seems like that's probably the best way to go, at this point.

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Greg Ross: I appreciate it and that's what we'll do, and in light of the fact that we have 14 minutes left i'd like to try and move on we've got the unless anyone has anything more on this issue right now.

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Sabrina Javellana: A question just on this articles, I guess, article states or or kind of like the landfill.

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Sabrina Javellana: topic that we were talking about should we have a section or an article in here about real property, so we can address that or is that something else for the governing board.

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Greg Ross: And Jerry can can you give me that question again.

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Sabrina Javellana: Yes, um should we to address the landfill situation and anything else that may come up should we have a section about real property and how that's least and and the sale of it and transfer or should not be.

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Sabrina Javellana: For different document or friendly authority to deal with.

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Jamie Cole: me or I can, and I can say yes we're gonna have you're muted me Ross but yes, we are going to have to have a provision.

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Jamie Cole: Dealing with real property and we're going to have to talk a little bit about what we're doing, for example, alpha 250 second to be owned by this entity.

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Jamie Cole: Is there any other properties at the county currently owns it can be owned by this entity, we haven't really got into the.

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Jamie Cole: You know the weeds on that, and it may just be, we have a provision that says the the authority has the power to own property.

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Jamie Cole: And then have a provision as to what happens to that property at the end, and it may be, if the you know the property is, for example, I like alpha 250.

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Jamie Cole: We might say that alpha 250 properties given by the you know.

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Jamie Cole: At the end that property will the proceeds that property go to the people who put it in in the first place, or if the county.

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Jamie Cole: puts in a piece of property, maybe they get it back at the end there, you know we can deal with that issue I don't they will do it specific properties.

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Jamie Cole: But I do think we need to have the authority as the have the power to own real property or at least real property and then we need to deal with what happens with it at the end.

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Beam Furr: And I jumped in there.

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Beam Furr: I I totally agree Jamie I think the end as a should have the power to purchase own do all that, but I do think the that the county will need the right of first refusal.

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Beam Furr: In the if it is going to be.

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Beam Furr: district, you know up for sale or something because account is going to want need and want to preserve those capabilities.

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Greg Ross: And that only helps us.

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Greg Ross: You know.

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Greg Ross: Everybody.

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Greg Ross: Right over the wire that I don't think there's any.

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Greg Ross: difficulty with that at all right right.

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Beam Furr: I mean that's actually the way the Alpha 250 is right now.

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Beam Furr: Go alone, but the county has a right of.

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Beam Furr: First refusal.

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Greg Ross: are very good i've got Tom and then we'll move on to the next generation.

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Tom Good: Yes, Mr Mayor chair Thank you again, I just want to state that i'm I object to that with the county having first read reviews, I think we need to keep it in focus that it could be another entity that could be a change in law, I think there's a way that it probably could be written but.

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Tom Good: But straight up like that i'm i'm jack thank.

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Greg Ross: Thank you very much, all right we'll move on to the waist generation study we've got with us today Stacy demers and Vito Quinn, as well as Kevin Keller Kevin you want to kick it off.

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SWRS: I certainly well.

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SWRS: And there's you know, we held a project kickoff meeting last Tuesday February 22 you know, because you were President, as well as tech represented Melissa oil.

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SWRS: Yesterday at the attack me our consultant consultants presented an overview of the project and stress the importance of receiving the request of all our information just just so we're clear to date information that we've received that has only been from seven minutes of valleys.

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SWRS: And so we will be working with the League of cities to escalate, so we can get this information, because you can't do a study without the information.

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SWRS: And just as a reminder to the municipalities to you know work with their halls to get us this this information because it's critical to the success of the study.

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SWRS: And with that I believe we have Peter Quinn and Stacy denver's from sex on the line I don't know if they have anything else to add.

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Stacey Demers: hi Thank you Kevin I was gonna say I gave the presentation to the Pack, I have the same presentation, I can get to this group I know there's a lot of overlap, I know you guys have already had a lot of discussion so maybe you.

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Stacey Demers: are okay with with skipping that.

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Stacey Demers: But the main point is, you know, let me know what would you like to do on, but I have a great presentation that I gave yesterday, I can do again, or you know Kathy.

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Greg Ross: I before that decisions made by Kevin I got Tom good whose hand is raised time.

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Tom Good: This, Mr Mayor, I understand it, you you do a very good job of running meetings and keeping us on time and if this presentation is going to take too long, maybe it's not a bad idea, then, just to have it sent to all the US always working group folks and.

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Greg Ross: which I can appreciate Stacey how long will it take.

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Stacey Demers: Oh, I can go through in about 10 minutes.

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Greg Ross: terrific you go for it.

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Stacey Demers: Okay i'm going to share my screen.

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Stacey Demers: And let me know if you all can see my screen.

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Greg Ross: Yes.

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Stacey Demers: Okay, so i'm a you know, like Kevin said i'm with that says engineers and we're solid waste consultants i'm working with my colleague Edith Quinn, who heads up our management services division, but.

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Stacey Demers: i'm in charge of the waste generation study, and so I wanted to just kind of give a brief overview about that.

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Stacey Demers: Some people say well what is a waste generation study.

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Stacey Demers: Well, part of it is you know we we we kind of get an idea and by averages we try to get an idea of the.

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Stacey Demers: waist generated pounds per year for different entities so for like the residential single family sector we're looking at pounds per house per year.

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Stacey Demers: For the multifamily set sector we look at pounds per dwelling unit per year.

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Stacey Demers: And a lot of our project, it becomes a little bit a lot of the work and time and effort goes into looking at the non residential sectors so commercial businesses and churches.

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Stacey Demers: And it's the same thing you know it's a similar idea it's pounds per square foot per year and the waist generation will vary depending on the land use, and it will.

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Stacey Demers: It will vary depending on land use and the size of the business OK, so the type of business and the size of the business so there's two factors at play and so normally you know for for non residential.

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Stacey Demers: generators we divvy that up into like a low medium and high generationally and Just to give you an idea, this is a summary of previous studies we've conducted.

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Stacey Demers: But low generation usually that's two pounds per square foot or less Okay, an example with the banks and nursing homes usually find that those are low generators.

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Stacey Demers: medium generators are usually somewhere between two and and five pounds per square foot per year and the typical is auto repair shops and something like the lumberyard.

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Stacey Demers: and high generators those those are usually over eight sometimes they can be up to 20 pounds per square foot per year.

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Stacey Demers: And typical high generators with fast food, restaurants and grocery stores, and these are just examples and broward county I believe there's like 89 ladies codes will probably consolidate those similar ones and.

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Stacey Demers: Probably something like 45 to 50 plan these groups, and then the idea is to try to coordinate with the haulers.

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Stacey Demers: So we can measure how much waste is generated per square foot by these various.

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Stacey Demers: types of generators and so part of that just the processes, and this is the niners of that non residential sector but we're going to look at the county's possibilities.

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Stacey Demers: are going to establish like I totally between 45 and 50 languages groups, the second step we're going to correlate the parsons to.

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Stacey Demers: haulers customers and you know that that sounds easy i'm going to get into the next slides can talk a little bit about some the issues.

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Stacey Demers: So the reason we need to correlate the hall that parcel with the customers, because that the parcel database will have landis' person will have the occupied square footage.

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Stacey Demers: The hollers will be able to tell us how much waste is generated and we need the service information, so we can extrapolate that we're going to do some field studies we're going to actually measure the quantity of waste.

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Stacey Demers: A few times we're going to do this in in wintertime and in summertime so we get the seasonal variation but we're going to get the weights and then.

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Stacey Demers: there's a lot of correlation trying to match the holler customers with the correct parcel so we can get that data to create these nice generation rates.

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Stacey Demers: Just to give you a brief example of why this is typical there's the personal database has about 57,000 businesses Okay, so you can imagine, going through those and there's some.

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Stacey Demers: there's some easy ways we can match, you know we can look for somewhere address the same address you know and that'll that'll match a bunch of them.

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Stacey Demers: But the situation you know there's many interesting situations and i'll look at, if you look at the screen that version on the far.

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Stacey Demers: Left okay that looks like a strip mall it has a variety of businesses Okay, each one of those businesses may have their own color.

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Stacey Demers: arrangement, they may have different colors different service levels and.

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Stacey Demers: So when we look at the parcel database, we need to make sure that the cut that we are getting everything in that parcel.

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Stacey Demers: of work, you know all of those stores that might have individual waste collection contracts with.

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Stacey Demers: Maybe the same color maybe different colors, but we need to we're going to assess that parcel, we need to make sure we have the full picture.

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Stacey Demers: And then the middle picture is sort of an example of this is typical for business parks and oftentimes medical office.

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Stacey Demers: condos where you have a single it looks like multiple parcels because each one is own separately.

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Stacey Demers: But, for instance, they make group together and have a single waste Bush and contract for the whole whole property so that's the opposite, we have a single.

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Stacey Demers: single holler customer, but you have multiple parcels and then the far right that's just like physical address discrepancies so, for instance, when you're you know I said we're trying to match the answer easy, but sometimes.

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Stacey Demers: The parcel may have it like on one street, but the customer service address might be on the.

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Stacey Demers: intersecting street name, so a lot of the GIs we're trying to match these types of properties so it's a tedious process, but we do that, so that when we we have the full picture and has the land use the square footage and we have the weight and service level.

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Stacey Demers: And as we move forward on this process callers we're going to be working hours to try to get their customer service data.

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Stacey Demers: name and address of course waste container size and then the waste collection frequency So if you need to know what the certain business has an eight cubic yard dumpster that's picked up.

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Stacey Demers: You know, once a week and so when we do our field studying to get a measurement.

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Stacey Demers: For a single time and if it's disposed will know how to extrapolate that to a full year so that's why we need those types of.

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Stacey Demers: measurements and that type of information and.

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Stacey Demers: And one thing I wanted to make sure that you wanted that you can share with the private hollers is we're not looking for any cost information.

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Stacey Demers: And we can keep this service or more information private, so I just want that to be out there and.

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Stacey Demers: So they can feel more comfortable giving us the service level there's no cost we're not going to work at the cost of service so um anyway, that was my quick presentation i'm going to stop sharing and then I can take any questions.

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Greg Ross: Thank you Does anyone here have a question for miss demers.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Mr Chairman, by spinner good has his hand raise.

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Greg Ross: Rates mirror good.

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Now.

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Tom Good: let's have a quick question, so the study that's being conducted.

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Tom Good: I know it's going to be counting, why is it going to have details enough that it can be broken down by city.

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Stacey Demers: it's it's not really it's a countywide study so, for instance, when I mentioned that the county or we're trying to balance our the generator so that they're throughout the county but it's not.

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Stacey Demers: It won't have the same number of properties for every single city, so it won't be city specific it's looking to be county specific, so we will try to hit every city, but we, we probably will not try to get every generator women episodes.

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01:35:46.590 --> 01:35:53.550

Greg Ross: Thank you i've got two additional and I don't know who was first Convention a bit mayor Tooley or Commissioner for.

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Beam Furr: Go ahead with Mary.

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Greg Ross: Thank you mayor to like.

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Becky Tooley: we've had pushed back from Republic because they really don't want another person writing in their trucks, because of the coven problems that they've had and some other issues so.

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Becky Tooley: Can consultant reach out to them i'm Joanne Stanley.

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Stacey Demers: yeah no I appreciate that you know this is how we've had some arrived in track before that's how we've gotten the information usually the drivers too.

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Stacey Demers: busy with with trying to make sure everything's safe and the operation that's why it's right, that is a free 30 days, and we did this, and I understand that concern and i'm working time final through this.

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Becky Tooley: Thank you.

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Greg Ross: Jennifer.

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Beam Furr: To two things at the end of this just so i'm clear this is you're going to be able to kind of provide us the.

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Beam Furr: variation that we're going to be able to put into an equation, based on what we decide how much money we need correct.

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Stacey Demers: And yeah i'm like calling nita you know I don't know if you want to speak to that.

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Beam Furr: And those you're not coming up with it, you will not be coming up with the assessment you'll be coming up with a part of the equation that helps us get the assessment.

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01:37:20.910 --> 01:37:21.450

Beam Furr: yeah this.

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Stacey Demers: waste generation study will tell you, yes it'll it'll help lead you there and I think part of our efforts are some optional tasks that management services can help with that.

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Beam Furr: Once we decide what we need to once the Executive Board Governing Board decide what they want to build etc, how many what kind of resources they need then they'll plug that into this that's how this works right.

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Beam Furr: yep.

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Greg Ross: So you have something to add to that.

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Greg Ross: Video muted.

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Greg Ross: It was brilliant what you said, but now.

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Vita Quinn: You know you think you're smart i'm the only outcome of this is the waste generation rate by land use code.

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Vita Quinn: It is just giving you information on how people dispose in a way that can be associated with property data.

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Vita Quinn: It does not provide you a methodology for a special special assessment, which is separate, as is a revenue requirement for your authority which could come, yes, from a capital project that your funding it could come from the desire to charge for msw disposal at landfill facilities.

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Vita Quinn: In that way, but all three of those things have to come together to equal revenue.

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Beam Furr: Okay, and I just saw.

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Beam Furr: That we may have this as an optional service at the back end of this.

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Vita Quinn: that they have to happen pretty quickly.

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Vita Quinn: there's no back end of this because, then you will be pushing out at least one more fiscal year possibly two depending on the timing.

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Beam Furr: Okay um the I there's a question that I in the chat that i'm interested in as well, will it be broken down by type of waste true garbage component, you know what's component Compostable.

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Stacey Demers: Know it's going to be targeting nsw to be targeting municipal solid waste it's not targeting recyclables and it's not hurting.

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Stacey Demers: they're separated organics with composting and it's not targeting that see me.

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Okay.

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Vita Quinn: engaged us, though, for the waist composition study that does that, but it doesn't do an individual account or household level.

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Beam Furr: Okay, but on it on a broad level at the end of this, we will have a composition.

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Stacey Demers: So yeah yeah and let me just tell you the composition will be a general composition is.

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Stacey Demers: toward single family homes and then the composition for commercial haulers.

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Beam Furr: Okay, very good, very good.

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Greg Ross: Thank you i've got Kevin Keller, and then Commission I have ilana.

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SWRS: yeah just a reminder, we have this is a multi faceted project that we have a gauge sex with.

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SWRS: There is the waste generation study, which gives you the way the ways compensation waste composition or waste characterization study, which gives you the makeup of the ways, which is a separate part of the study and then there's some optional services.

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That.

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SWRS: You know that go with the funding aspect, the financial aspect of that, but as via indicated, you know some of those decisions need to be engaged now so they can be the time I can run together.

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SWRS: But at this stage, right now, what Stacy is in charge of that she's she's totally focused on the waste generation study and what they need, and she just gave you the overview of what we really need to see the hall or information and that's what we need to get so they can do their job.

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Greg Ross: Thank you Kevin Commission I have ilana.

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Sabrina Javellana: yeah So my question is on the waste composition study, so it is not going to include food waste because we did early early in this process, we mentioned that we want to see a breakdown of food waste recyclables Compostable goals.

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Sabrina Javellana: You know, things things like all.

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Stacey Demers: The way you.

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Stacey Demers: know we thought.

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Stacey Demers: Cancer question the waste competition study typically looks at what's in the weights, so if they're organic sublease it's like.

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Stacey Demers: Usually it tells you what's being thrown away so if you look at least competition and you might look at the single family households of you.

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Stacey Demers: It may show something like 30% of weights by weight thrown away by single family households in so is comprised of beechcraft so that sounds the waist competition to stay told you what's in the waste stream okay.

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Stacey Demers: Look at as a composition it's not looking by how about the weight it's when you what's in it what's being sent for disposal insulting what's in that.

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Stacey Demers: Does that help me to a will def yeah ways through this has been dispose it, you know it won't go out and find any like if a restaurant is.

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Stacey Demers: Sending food scraps for to be composted you know there's already avenue where it's going to be accomplished it doesn't it doesn't go look at that if it would look at you know what's it what's being exposed.

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Sabrina Javellana: So that's for read it, I would think, thank you very much, I didn't help so for residential but for commercial for like restaurants fast food establishment.

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Sabrina Javellana: Are we going to be tracking their food waste as well.

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Stacey Demers: Well, the waste positions they will tell you, like the currently you'll see the commercial sector, but it won't necessarily say that your restaurants.

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Stacey Demers: Are you know their their makeup of waste is this and more retail establishments look like this it's going to be a general commercial waste competition.

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Sabrina Javellana: Thank you.

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Beam Furr: I think that it's good to the Commissioners.

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Beam Furr: Point I think what we're trying to find out is what kind of facilities would be needed if we know the percentage, we know the cut the number of facilities that are going to be needed, and how many and where they need to be so, I think that see that information if i'm.

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Beam Furr: Trying to read.

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Stacey Demers: you're going to know how much you're going to know how much waste is being disposed in your county by city even and so, therefore, the waist competitions, they will help the estimate.

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Stacey Demers: How much of what's going to the landfill or waste to energy Sony is no recyclable how much is Compostable how much you know doesn't have a market trends are in the market.

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Beam Furr: So I think holidays said that they're.

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Beam Furr: willing to do the composting there right so.

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Sabrina Javellana: If you can find some place.

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Beam Furr: Like.

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Greg Ross: All right, any other questions of SDS.

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Greg Ross: Hearing none, thank you very much Stacy and Vito for the presentation and look forward to working with you.

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Stacey Demers: Okay, thank you, we look forward to.

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Greg Ross: And now we've got the tag report Erin talbert.

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Aaron Tauber: Yes, I thank you chair so so yeah just reporting back texted me yesterday.

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Aaron Tauber: And we did kind of bring up the ask which is basically to kind of review the arcades report look at those facilities.

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Aaron Tauber: The long and the short is, as we, we have a lot of questions there's a lot of clarification that really needs to be had in order to really provide any you know additional information.

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Aaron Tauber: You know everything from you know what's the timeline of the aisle a you know.

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Aaron Tauber: Do we assume that everybody's in it, what once it's executed, how long until the authority is operational.

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Aaron Tauber: You know it's kind of brought up today a discussion of there being a master planning process.

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Aaron Tauber: You know.

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Aaron Tauber: kind of my opinion you know the selection of facilities location of facilities Costa facilities that that is the ideal venue for for that to take place so so the timing of that really would be.

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Aaron Tauber: really important, you know, in the near term, though, you know, we need to look at what, what are the immediate needs, you know we're having issues that will have greater with with long wait times.

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Aaron Tauber: How do we address.

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Aaron Tauber: The North transfer station that's that's slated to close here soon So how do we address the transportation needs of the facilities throughout the county.

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Aaron Tauber: How do we reduce that wait time, even if we add an additional burner, to the will have greater facility, we still have our stacking issues.

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Aaron Tauber: So potentially we we could exacerbate that issue, you know with with an additional burner accepting even more waste what's the status of bulk waste with with with the wheel and greater.

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Aaron Tauber: There was a may cut off for a response from the participating cities.

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Aaron Tauber: As far as whether we're interact with bulk but we were supposed to hear back from I believe the county on on the status of that.

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Aaron Tauber: What materials are we looking to manage are we looking to manage everything, are we looking to manage construction demolition debris you know I think a good number of those questions kind of go back to the question that that matt had was.

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Aaron Tauber: You know what what is the overarching goal, and what is the the authority looking to actually do in order to then lead the process to make that decision on what facilities.

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Aaron Tauber: will be will be built and then how to make sure there's equity amongst the location and amongst the municipality so everybody has equal access to those facilities.

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Aaron Tauber: Now.

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Aaron Tauber: It don't really have time today to look at it, but you know if we look back at there was a tech report back quite a while now actually I like 2000 2000 excuse me.

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Aaron Tauber: Back in May kind of touched upon some of these facility questions and could bring some some kind of clarity there.

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Aaron Tauber: The arcade or support you know part of that the arcade this report is kind of at this point, a little bit outdated all the generation rates that were using the assumptions and the status report have one been exceeded every all their planning was based on the initial.

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Aaron Tauber: Initial 3.6 million tons per year as of 2020 according to the D P reports, you know we're at 4.1 million tons already that was not anticipated till after 2015 so really any of those.

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Aaron Tauber: scenarios that were presented in our status report we're already looking at the timeline as far as as far as our needs which requires more facilities.

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Aaron Tauber: In order to meet that 75% recycling goal.

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Aaron Tauber: So so there's there's a lot of questions there's a lot of moving pieces, a lot of different things that play that would really lead the conversation as to what is needed, Commissioner for.

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Beam Furr: Well, you bring up a good point that.

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Beam Furr: First of all, thank you for the work you're already doing, I really I think all of us appreciate it, and we are going to be relying on a lot of your expertise and and experience on this, but the thing that you brought up was.

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Beam Furr: One of the most important things was a wait time that's happening at we'll break right now that tells me and I, and you know I think all of us need to be aware of it, because of how much garbage is being generated how important it is what we're doing here.

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Beam Furr: What we're doing here is having to figure out how to manage the garbage and when I hear that and i've been hearing about the wait times, it means to me, we have to create those facilities as quick as we can that would take the most out of that waste stream, you know.

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Beam Furr: has many recycling facilities, whatever we need to do to to you know, seeing the facilities those kind of things that can take some of that stuff out of the waste stream as fast as we can to look to reduce those wait times because.

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Beam Furr: I know in my neighborhood some some garbage day is supposed to get picked up it doesn't get picked up because they don't have time to get back.

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Beam Furr: And it's happening not only here it's happening or you know a lot of other places, so what what I think we need to do is figure out.

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Beam Furr: Which facilities would take the most out of the way street in the quickest where can they go and how do we go about that and that's you know that's my thinking, but you know I defer to you all but that's you know from from complaints I get I guess it's I want you to be aware of those.

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Greg Ross: And I appreciate it i'm sorry Aaron.

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Aaron Tauber: Oh no I was just saying exact same thing, I appreciate that that comment.

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Greg Ross: Though I really do I, and the work that you've done Aaron as well.

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Greg Ross: And and an answer to one of your questions and i'm going to say it out loud just to remind everyone the timeframe for the La.

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Greg Ross: candidly is right around the corner, because we have the meeting with the delegates and the alton it's which is literally the kickoff for the La and I think that's it Marilyn when when do we have that said it's at the end of April woman.

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Greg Ross: i'm sorry say again.

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Mary Lou Tighe: April 1.

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Greg Ross: April 1 not April fool's day but April 1 so we're gonna we're going to kick it off and be ready by then so literally we have less than one month to finish that up and we will do that I feel very comfortable with that.

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Greg Ross: But having said that any questions any additional questions of Aaron.

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Greg Ross: Seeing none will move on to the public comment you have any hands raised Mary Lou.

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Mary Lou Tighe: I do not see me, Mr chair, but there are some.

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Mary Lou Tighe: Well stephanie Jackie has her hand raised, and then there are some comments in the chat that I need to read in for public record.

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Greg Ross: Okay appreciate it let's go to stephanie you've got two minutes.

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Stephanie Jofe: hey want to take two minutes I just have some questions in 6.1 does recycling recyclable material include composting aren't just that need to be specified or throw out that section.

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01:52:26.340 --> 01:52:31.200

Greg Ross: I appreciate the question we'll take a look at that is that the only concern you had.

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01:52:31.290 --> 01:52:46.200

Stephanie Jofe: In your pen just one more also quick, will the waste generation study that the type of waste can they actually list what they will be looking at and advance the ways composition study.

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01:52:47.970 --> 01:52:52.680

Greg Ross: I will take a look at that and, obviously, get back to you on that.

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01:52:53.070 --> 01:52:53.520

Stephanie Jofe: Thank you.

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01:52:54.060 --> 01:52:54.570

Greg Ross: Thank you.

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01:52:56.550 --> 01:52:59.040

Greg Ross: And the comments to be read Mary Lou.

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01:53:01.260 --> 01:53:03.870

Mary Lou Tighe: And I believe that stephanie jaffe just.

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01:53:05.370 --> 01:53:08.070

Mary Lou Tighe: Put into record her question so i'll skip on that one.

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01:53:09.840 --> 01:53:24.240

Mary Lou Tighe: Jamie call this is the constitutional provisions we're talking about text section for transferring powers they understand I don't have to read the full content, I just have to cite the reference on it.

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01:53:26.610 --> 01:53:39.270

Mary Lou Tighe: Commissioner, how ilana asked Can someone please share the Statute Leah county and disposal run responsibility Mike cirillo responded with section four or 403 point 706 local government solid waste responsibilities.

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01:53:48.900 --> 01:53:58.980

Mary Lou Tighe: Again stephanie jaffe how other ways to be broken down by type of ways to a true garbage Compostable waste in plastic Alex churches come and have any.

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01:54:00.480 --> 01:54:02.820

Mary Lou Tighe: Other of our county hollis raised objections.

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Mary Lou Tighe: And I believe that is the.

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01:54:08.310 --> 01:54:11.850

Mary Lou Tighe: Balance of the comments in the chat for the public record Mr chair.

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01:54:12.600 --> 01:54:13.680

Thank you very much.

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01:54:15.120 --> 01:54:16.620

Greg Ross: Let me just review.

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01:54:17.730 --> 01:54:21.150

Greg Ross: that there are no other hand, trains I don't see any.

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Greg Ross: Based on that we are at 412 57 I think we can adjourn saying job well done, everyone, we got a lot out of this today and in next two weeks we'll have.

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01:54:37.710 --> 01:54:56.280

Greg Ross: The powers, if you will up and running and discuss it once again, finally, and then we'll be able to have the iowa kickoff on April 1 with the alternates in the delegates again, thank you for everyone's input and for your time as well.

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01:54:57.900 --> 01:55:00.480

Tom Good: Mary you did a great job keeping us on time again today so.

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01:55:00.480 --> 01:55:01.380

Beam Furr: Thank you good job.

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01:55:02.130 --> 01:55:03.120

Greg Ross: Thank you very much.

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Greg Ross: y'all have a good day.

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01:55:05.820 --> 01:55:06.570

Beam Furr: sale at apply.