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TITLE: Discuss Update to Yard Waste/Composting Program

COUNCIL GOAL: Operational Excellence (2B: Balance Available Resources to Accommodate the Growth and Maintenance Needs of the City); Enhance the Quality of Life on McKinney (5E: Develop sustainable quality of life improvements in the City of McKinney)

MEETING DATE: November 7, 2023

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

CONTACT: Steve Tilton, Assistant City Manager
Ryan Gillingham, Public Works Director
Eric Hopes, Environmental Services Manager

RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION:

- Provide direction regarding future yard waste/composting program and services

ITEM SUMMARY:

- Review and discuss update to yard waste//composting program and services

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Texas Pure (Plano) interlocal agreement with NTMWD providing yard waste and composting service to the member cities will expire in April 2026.
- Texas Pure reported it is operating at a deficit and the ILA with NTMWD and MOU with member cities must be modified to address the deficit.
- Texas Pure set higher yard waste diversion rates based on revenues and expenditures, and therefore the City decided to seek bids in the commercial market for the same services.
 - Results in lower cost of operation
 - No change to services for residents
 - McKinney will remain a member city and continue to partially participate in the regional yard waste program by allowing residential drop-off in Plano until April 2026.
 - Residents will also be able to drop-off at the selected contractor's facility

in Celina.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

- N/A

BOARD OR COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

- N/A

SUPPORTING MATERIALS:

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