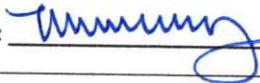


### TOWN COUNCIL MEASURE SUBMITTAL

Date: 06/12/2023	Submitted by: Town Manager	Telephone # 508-699-0100
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**MEASURE DESCRIPTION:**

Utilization of Solid Waste Retained Earnings to Purchase Residential 35 Gallon Trash Carts

Signed:  08JUN23

**PURPOSE AND JUSTIFICATION:**

The Town will be entering into a Contract with Waste Management to collect residential trash in 35-gallon carts. The Solid Waste Division found that it is in the rate-payer's best interest for the Town to purchase the Carts directly using retained earnings. The Department of Environmental Protection will reimburse \$30 per cart (over \$260,000) as part of their waste reduction programs.

Therefore, I respectfully request the Town Council vote to approve expenditure of \$425,038.00 from the Solid Waste Enterprise Fund for the following Capital Purchases:

35 Gal- Eco Trash Carts (9,100)	\$345,618.00
Assembly and Delivery (9,100)	\$ 52,325.00
Spare Lids (100)	\$ 850.00
Spare Axles and Wheels (Allowance)	\$ 1,000.00
Incoming Freight	\$ 25,245.00
Total:	\$425,038.00

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

**ATTACHMENTS:**

**REFER TO SUB-COMMITTEE:**

Finance