

RESOLUTION NO. 2003 - 166

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA ESTABLISHING THE RATE OF THE ANNUAL SOLID WASTE NON AD VALOREM DISPOSAL ASSESSMENT PURSUANT TO ST. JOHNS COUNTY ORDINANCE 89-20, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE 99-27.

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County determined it necessary to regulate solid waste accumulation, collection, transport, and disposal within unincorporated St. Johns County in order to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of St. Johns County; and

Whereas, in exercise of the regulatory authority granted to Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County by Section 125.01, Florida Statutes, Chapter 67, Laws of Florida, the Board enacted St. Johns County Ordinance 89-20, establishing a solid waste collection municipal service benefit unit for the disposal of residential waste; and

Whereas, the Board established a non ad valorem assessment for solid waste disposal and procedures for establishing and changing the rate or amount of such solid waste disposal assessment through its enactment of St. Johns County Ordinance 89-20; and

Whereas, St. Johns County Ordinance 89-20 was enacted in concurrence with the requirements of Florida Statute 197.3632; and

Whereas, the procedures for changing the rate or amount of the solid waste disposal assessment were unchanged by the Board's amendment of St. Johns County Ordinance 89-20 through the enactment of St. Johns County Ordinance 99-27; and

Whereas, the costs of operation and maintenance of the County's solid waste disposal system have changed and the rate or amount of the solid waste disposal assessment must also be changed.

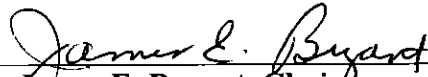
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida as follows:

1. The above recitals are hereby adopted as legislative findings of fact.
2. The rate or amount of the Disposal Assessment levied pursuant to St. Johns County Ordinance 89-20, as amended by Ordinance 99-27, shall be \$45.35 for the tax year 2003 and for each year thereafter until modified by subsequent County resolution or ordinance.
3. Such rate or amount shall be charged, assessed and levied each year on and for each residence, dwelling unit, and habitat, whether occupied or not, (the "unit of measurement") located upon Non Exempt Residential Property on January 1 of the year in which levied; all in the manner provided by St. Johns County Ordinance 89-20, as amended by Ordinance 99-27, and Florida Statute 197.3632.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, State of Florida, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2003.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By:

  
James E. Bryant, Chair

ATTEST: Cheryl Strickland, Clerk

By:

  
Deputy Clerk

RENDITION DATE 9-12-03

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