

**Buncombe County Board of Commissioners** 

**Request for Board Action** 

Meeting Date: 3/26/2019

**New Business** 

**Department:** Solid Waste **Presenter(s):** Dane Pedersen

Contact(s): Dane Pedersen, Ron Venturella, Max Taintor

**Subject:** Request authority to negotiate with prospective solid waste franchise hauler

**Brief Summary:** The next phase of the Solid Waste Franchise agreement entails commencing negotiations with one of the applicants who responded to the Request for Proposal (RFP). Following the evaluation conducted by the scoring panel and subsequent interviews with both vendors, Solid Waste and County Management request to begin negotiations with a hauler.

The Board of Commissioners' approval is required to begin negotiations.

When negotiations are complete, staff will return to the BOC with a draft contract and a request for a Franchise Ordinance. A Franchise Ordinance must be passed at two regular BOC meetings.

**Recommended Motion & Requested Action:** Request for board approval to begin negotiations.

**County Manager's comments and Recommendation:** Recommends approval.