

Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request



Requested Meeting Date: September 28, 2021

Title of Item: Request Public Meeting to discuss Zoning Ordinance Classification Change. Direction Requested Action Requested: REGULAR AGENDA Approve/Deny Motion Discussion Item CONSENT AGENDA Adopt Resolution (attach draft) Hold Public Hearing* INFORMATION ONLY *provide copy of hearing notice that was published Department: Submitted by: Andrew Carlstrom Planning & Zoning **Estimated Time Needed:** Presenter (Name and Title): Andrew Carlstrom, Environmental Services Director 2 minutes Summary of Issue: In light of the initial May 17 request made by Waste Management for a Conditional Use Permit to operate a Solid Waste Transfer Station inside the Aitkin County Recycling Center, it has been noted that the Aitkin County Zoning Ordinance Classification List does not include a specific line classification for "Solid Waste Transfer Station". It has been argued by opposition to the permit application that Aitkin County's two current classifications of "Solid Waste Site (Hazard, Toxic)" and "Solid Waste Disposal Site" do not suffice for the less intensive use "Solid Waste Transfer Station" which has been permitted under in the past. We are requesting a Public Hearing to discuss adding the third classification of "Solid Waste Transfer Station" in order to add specificity and clarity to the classification list of the Aitkin County Zoning Ordinance. Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments: Recommended Action/Motion: Motion to Approve a Public Hearing for October 26 Financial Impact: Yes Is there a cost associated with this request? What is the total cost, with tax and shipping? \$ Is this budgeted? Yes No Please Explain: