

**DAVIE, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. R**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH BROWARD COUNTY FOR THE DESIGN OF A REGIONAL BIOSOLIDS MANAGEMENT FACILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, the Biosolids Solutions Working Group created in 2023 consists of Coral Springs Improvement District, Cooper City, Fort Lauderdale, Hollywood, Margate, Miramar, Pembroke Pines, Plantation, Sunrise, and Town of Davie with Broward County Water and Wastewater Services as the leading municipality; and

WHEREAS, the study evaluated options including processing and disposal strategies, technological treatment options, holistic alternatives for sludge treatment, and the feasibility of constructing a regional biosolids management facility that could be under public or private control and ownership; and

WHEREAS, the study found that the best option is to design and build a regional facility to thermally dry the biosolids to meet Class A or AA standards; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie wastewater treatment facilities (Systems II & IV) currently produce Class B biosolids hauled to land application sites at an average annual cost of \$225,000; and

WHEREAS, concerns with emerging contaminants such as PFAS state and federal regulations are becoming more stringent on biosolid land application limits reducing the number of available land application facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Senate has approved Senate Bills (SB) 290 and 1309

- SB290 bans land application of Class B biosolids and only allow Class AA biosolids to be land applied by July 1, 2028.
- SB1309 limited Class B land application statewide.

WHEREAS, 6,000 wet tons per year of biosolids or 2.2% of the regional tonnage will meet future needs and allow for growth; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie's share of the design cost is 2.2% of \$50M or \$1.1M to be paid biannually over a 2-year period; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie is desirous of entering an interlocal agreement for the design phase of the regional biosolids management facility.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA THAT:

Section 1. Legislative Findings/Recitals. The above recitals are hereby adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Davie as its legislative findings relative to the subjects and matters set forth in this Resolution.

Section 2. The Town Council of the Town of Davie does hereby approve the interlocal agreement to fund a share of design phase cost of the regional biosolids management facility.

Section 3. Severability. If any provision of this Resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, it is the intent of the Town Council that such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application and, to this end, the provisions of this Resolution are declared severable.

Section 4. Conflicts. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with any of the provisions of this Resolution are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED by the Town of Davie Town Council on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_, 2026.



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Mayor Judy Paul

Authentication:

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Evelyn Roig  
Town Clerk

Motion:		
Second:		
Vote	Yea	Nay
Mayor Paul		
Vice Mayor Whitman		
Councilmember Alfonso		
Councilmember Starkey		
Councilmember Luis		

Approved by the Town Attorney  
as to form and legal sufficiency:

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Allan T. Weinthal