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Hi Sean,

I hope all is well with you. I am sure you are working on your 2018 Budget, as we are, so I wanted to reach out and make sure you have the trash disposal numbers you need for 2018.

In accordance with the existing Inter-municipal Agreement for the Processing and Disposal of Municipal Waste between Lower Merion Township and the Borough of Narberth I am providing written notice that the Township intends to increase the service fee from \$66.33 per ton to \$67.65 per ton effective January 1, 2018. The increase reflects the Township's increased disposal costs through its existing contract with Covanta for disposal at the trash-to-steam plant in Plymouth Township. The change in the service fee would be effective with the first quarter invoice you should receive in April 2018.

The Township's administrative fee will increase \$5.00/ton in 2017 to \$5.50/ton in 2018. The Township has not raised this fee since the Agreement was instituted in 2015 and believes the modest cost increase is necessary due to the cost increases experienced by the Township's Solid Waste Fund. Based on the Borough's average quarterly tonnage, the annual additional cost would be approximately \$1,000 or \$250 per quarter.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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