

EMPOWERING MARION FOR SUCCESS

Solid Waste

FY 24/25 – 1st Quarter Accomplishments (October - December):

Improve Solid Waste Infrastructure and Update Solid Waste Master Plan

- 1. Performed preventative maintenance on 25% of our compactors at the recycling centers.
- 2. Provided final electrical drawings to facilities to perform repairs to Canal, Dunnellon and Martel recycling centers.
- 3. Created work orders to install generator connections at all recycling centers ahead of next years storm season.
- 4. Worked with Stantec to analyses the needed changes to the solid waste assessment.
- 5. Provided 1x1 presentation to Board members, seeking feedback on assessment criteria.
- 6. Developed and opened bids on a new excavator for the transfer station.
- 7. Reviewed and provided comments on the 30% drawings for the transfer station repairs.
- 8. Worked with IT to select new scale software to enhance the customer experience at Baseline.
- 9. Developed a project with Facilities to design and engineer a new scale complex to enhance throughput at the Baseline facility.
- 10. Hired two class A truck drivers to provide redundancy for semi operations.
- 11. Ordered 80% of our 2025 capital assets
- 12. Implemented community service tracking software.
- 13. Completed recycling composition study for recycled materials.
- 14. Launched the Solid Waste SharePoint site.
- 15. Upgraded inbound scale load cells to prevent obsolescence.

FY 24/25 – 2nd Quarter Goals (January - March):

Improve Solid Waste Infrastructure and Update Solid Waste Master Plan

- 1. Hold public workshop on disposal options and assessment needs.
- 2. Meeting with Greenway to discuss and clean up ownership rights for a parcel in the yard waste area.
- 3. Finalize escrow payment for sand mine property, after all environmental permitting has been resolved by prior owner.
- 4. Finalize and close out Hurricane Milton expenses and focus on reimbursement.
- 5. Begin the 25/26 budgeting process.
- 6. Fill Business Technologist position.
- 7. Advertise and interview for Operations Manager.
- 8. Finalize path forward for transfer station repairs, inclusive of floor, push walls, and elevated trailers.
- 9. Finalize procurement of new scale software and hardware.
- 10. Replace leachate sump pump to ensure efficient operations.