

RESOLUTION NO. 8 - 2015

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS:

WHEREAS, the County in the form of its duly elected governing body has the authority under K.S.A. 19-101 to determine its local affairs and government, and;

WHEREAS, the County passed, on October 27, 2014, Resolution No. 19-2014 by which the governing body adopted the Solid Waste Management Committee's review and revision of the Solid Waste Management Plan, and;

WHEREAS, the County, as a participant in the Southeast Kansas Solid Waste Authority, may choose pursuant to K.S.A. 65-3405(h) to revise its Solid Waste Management Plan at a time which does not coincide with a scheduled annual review by the regional solid waste management committee, and;

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 65-3405(h) states the provisions of the interlocal agreement shall establish protocols for addressing the needs of the county seeking the change in the regional plan, and;

WHEREAS, the interlocal agreement does not provide any protocols for addressing the needs of the county seeking the change in the regional plan, and;

WHEREAS, the County is not seeking to change the regional plan but its own County Solid Waste Management Plan, and;

WHEREAS, the Solid Waste Management Plan of the Southeast Kansas Solid Waste Authority recommends "the management of solid waste disposal should remain a function of the counties and municipalities, in cooperation with the private sector," and;

WHEREAS, the County may choose, pursuant to K.S.A. 65-3405(f), to revise its plan at a time which does not coincide with a scheduled annual review by the county solid waste management committee, and;

WHEREAS, the Solid Waste Management Committee met on February 18, 2015, and voted to recommend revisions to the County's Solid Waste Management Plan so as to revise Chapter 3. B) and Chapter 7 of the Solid Waste Management Plan to reflect:

- 1) the existing landfills meet the needs of the County,
- 2) there is no need for a new solid waste landfill in Cherokee County, and
- 3) no further solid waste landfills should be permitted or built in Cherokee County;

WHEREAS, a notice was published on February 25, 2015, in the Columbus News Report of a public meeting to be held on March 16, 2015, regarding the recommended solid waste management revisions;

WHEREAS, a public meeting of the Solid Waste Management Committee was convened to review the commission's proposed changes at the County Courthouse, 110 West Maple, Columbus, Kansas on Monday, March 16, 2015, at 9:30 a.m.;

WHEREAS, the Solid Waste Management Committee reviewed the proposed revisions, provided comments and recommendations, and an opportunity for public input was provided;

WHEREAS, a quorum of the Solid Waste Management Committee was present and approved the recommended revisions;

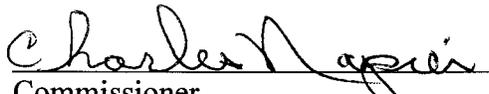
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, the County's Solid Waste Management Plan Five-Year Review Worksheet with the addendum to Chapter 3. B) and Chapter 7 to reflect that the existing landfills meet the needs of the County, that there is no need for a new solid waste landfill in Cherokee County, and that no further solid waste landfills should be permitted or built in Cherokee County is adopted.

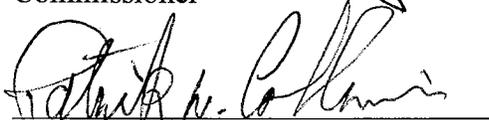
**ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS
MARCH 23, 2015.**

Attest:


Chairman


Cherokee County Clerk


Commissioner


Commissioner

ADDENDUM TO CHEROKEE COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN
FIVE-YEAR WORKSHEET

In addition to the information at Chapter 3. B) and Chapter 7 of the Solid Waste Management Plan, the Cherokee Solid Waste Management committee further states:

- 1) the existing landfills meet the needs of the County,
- 2) there is no need for a new solid waste landfill in Cherokee County, and
- 3) no further solid waste landfills should be permitted or built in Cherokee County,

Approved by a quorum on the Solid Waste Management Committee on March 16, 2015, and adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Cherokee County, Kansas by Resolution 8 - 2015 on March 23, 2015.