

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2021-110

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: February 23, 2021

Committee(s) of Reference: TEU, F

Date of Analysis: February 22, 2021

Type of Action: Authorizing a non-residential solid waste collection and transportation franchise

Bill Summary: The bill authorizes the granting of a Non-Residential Solid Waste Collection and Transportation Franchise to GFL Solid Waste Southeast, LLC.; and provides for project oversight by the Department of Public Works, Solid Waste Division.

Background Information: GFL Solid Waste Southeast, LLC., applied for a non-residential solid waste collection and transportation franchise under the provisions of Chapter 380, 19 Part 6, *Ordinance Code*. GFL Solid Waste Southeast, LLC is a subsidiary of GFL Environmental, Inc., a publicly-traded company organized in Ontario, Canada. The applicant is the fourth largest diversified environmental services company in North America.

GFL Solid Waste Southeast, LLC has acquired existing customer routes from Advanced Disposal Services and/or Waste Management, including branch location at 7580 Philips Highway in Jacksonville. The applicant proposes to landfill all Class I franchised waste collects at the City's Trail Ridge Landfill and estimates it will collect approximately 4,500 tons per month or 54,000 tons per year of solid waste. The applicant will begin operations with 13 solid waste trucks and a safety manual to guide daily operations.

Policy Impact Area: Solid waste collection and transportation

Fiscal Impact: Non-residential franchise hauler applicants must pay a non-refundable \$1,500 application fee. Approved non-residential franchise haulers pay a monthly franchise fee equal to 17% of gross receipts.

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