




MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Linda Gorton
Urban County Council

FROM: 
Tracey Thurman, Director
Division of Waste Management

DATE: April 25, 2023

SUBJECT: Request Council Authorization to Enter Into a Sole Source Agreement between Lexington's Division of Waste Management and Strategic Materials for the Transportation, Recycling and Reuse of Glass received at the Materials Recovery Facility (LEX-MRF)

Request: The purpose of this memorandum is to request approval for a sole source agreement with Strategic Materials for the transportation, recycling and reuse of glass from the Material Recovery Facility (LEX-MRF).

Authorization to: Approve a sole source agreement with Strategic Materials.

Why are you requesting? This program allows recovered glass materials to be recycled and reused in bottle glass, fiberglass and other alternatives related to sustainable materials management. Recovered glass accounts for approximately 11% of the total material shipped each year.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget year?

The cost for this FY is: N/A

The cost for future FY is: N/A

Are the funds budgeted? Yes

The funds are budgeted or a budget amendment is in process: Yes

Cc: Nancy Albright, Commissioner, Environmental Quality and Public Works

