

A RESOLUTION CLARIFYING THE POSITION OF THE COUNTY OF SCOTLAND AS TO WASTE DISPOSAL

Whereas, the Scotland County Board of Commissioners recognizes its duty to provide for responsible disposition of locally generated waste; and

Whereas consideration has been given to potential plans to allow disposition within Scotland County of waste generated on a regional, multi-state or national basis; and

Whereas the Scotland County Board of Commissioners has determined that it is not in the best interest of the County or its citizens nor is it consistent with protection of public health, safety and welfare to allow for or engage in more expansive plans for local disposition of waste generated on a regional, multi-state or national basis; and

Whereas, the continued use of County resources to pursue more expansive potential plans would not be proper stewardship of public funds;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that:

1. Scotland County cease all efforts to plan for or locate a facility within Scotland County for the disposition of waste generated on a regional, multi-state or national basis.
2. Scotland County terminate any and all efforts to condemn additional property adjacent to or in the vicinity of its existing landfill on Patterson Road.
3. Scotland County discontinue the employment of engineering firms, outside legal counsel and all other firms or companies engaged to assist with the condemnation and/or more expansive plans for disposition of waste.
4. Scotland County's Manager shall instruct staff to proceed with mandatory efforts to provide for continued responsible disposition of locally created waste and shall report to the Scotland County Board of Commissioners at least quarterly on these efforts.
5. Scotland County's Manager shall inform Waste Management Advance, Waste Industries and all other waste management companies with which the County has had communication of this resolution and the intent of the County.

Commissioner Bob Davis made a motion to adopt this resolution on June 7, 2010 at a regular meeting of the Scotland County Board of Commissioners. The motion was duly seconded by Commissioner John Alford. The motion was passed upon the following vote:

For: Commissioners John T. Alford, Betty Blue Gholston, Bob Davis, Joyce McDow, Clarence McPhatter II, and J. D. Willis

Against: (None)

Absent: Commissioner Guy McCook