City of Alexandria, Virginia

MEMORANDUM

DATE: MAY 8, 2008

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

FROM: JAMES K. HARTMANN, CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A FEE FOR WHITE GOODS PICK-UP SERVICE

ISSUE: Establish a fee for residential white-goods pick up.

RECOMMENDATION: That City Council adopt the attached resolution authorizing the establishment of a fee for residential white-goods pick up as approved in the FY 2009 operating budget adoption.

DISCUSSION: The residential white good pick up fee was approved in the FY 2009 operating budget adoption. The proposed fee is a flat fee of $20 for each pick up. The City currently offers year round collection of white goods (washers, dryers, refrigerators, etc.) at no charge to residents. This proposed fee would not affect the service provided during the annual spring-clean up, and items would be collected during the spring at no charge during that time.

FISCAL IMPACT: This fee will generate approximately $42,960 of revenue in FY 2009, but would become immediately effective upon adoption by Council.

ATTACHMENT: Proposed Resolution

STAFF:
Richard J. Baier, P.E., Director, T&ES
Antonio Baxter, Chief, Administration
Bruce Johnson, Director, OMB
Morgan Routt, Budget Analyst, OMB
RESOLUTION NO. ________

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BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA

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ADOPTED:

WILLIAM D. EUILLE __________ MAYOR

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RESOLUTION NO. 2278

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ADOPTED: May 13, 2008

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