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February 28, 2019

San Leon Municipal Utility District
443 24th St.
San Leon, TX 77539
Attn: Ms. Janice Hoffman, Office Manager via email: slmud1@slmud.org

Re: Freedom of Information Request for documents from San Leon MUD

Dear Ms. Hoffman,

Thank you for your all of your assistance to date which has been greatly appreciated & helpful.

This request is made under the Freedom of Information Act. I hereby request copies of the following records:

- 1) A copy of all proposals to the San Leon MUD from Sprint Waste Services for the time period September 2018 thru December 2018. Inclusive of copies of all email communications between San Leon MUD staff and Sprint Waste Services.

The request for records pertaining to Sprint Waste Services is made to better understand the financial condition and decision making of the San Leon MUD (SL MUD) in consideration of the proposed Bond Election in May of 2019. This request is submitted in good faith for the benefit of the land owners within the SL MUD district.


I am a property owner and water service customer of the SL MUD.

I request a waiver of all fees for this request. Disclosure of the requested information to me is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government. I am willing to pay fees for this request up to a maximum of \$10. If you have any questions regarding this request please contact me immediately at 713-825-2372 or email dj@flagshiptec.com . Paper or electronic records are acceptable. Please email electronic records. Alternately I will pickup paper copies of records at the SL MUD office.

Time is of the essence in consideration that the SL MUD is proposing a Bond Election which is scheduled for May 4, 2019.

I look forward to your prompt response.

Respectfully submitted,



David Jetelina

RE: FOIA_Sprint Waste Services

Date 3/6/2019 4:47 PM
From amiller@slmud.org on behalf of Andrew Miller
Actionable/To djetelina@flagshipotec.com
FYI/CC sdoncarlos@rsg-llp.com; slmud1@slmud.org; manchaca@gmail.com

Good afternoon!

Per your request, attached are PDF transcripts of the email communications between Sprint Waste Services and San Leon MUD, inclusive of the 2 proposals for waste haul services. At the time that these proposals were received, significant work would've been required to facilitate their proposed haul off method and these improvements may or may not have been compatible with the upcoming plant expansion. Due to these factors (plus the inability to meet their proposed minimum haul off requirements), we tabled the discussion until the current contract with Impact comes up for renewal, at which time we will entertain proposals from Impact, Sprint, and other waste hauling services to ensure operational efficiency and the best fiscal management practices possible. If you have any additional questions or concerns, please let me know!

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Andrew Miller
District Manager
San Leon MUD



On 2019-02-28 12:29:57-06:00 Janice Hoffman wrote:

From: David Jetelina [mailto:djetelina@flagshipotec.com]
Sent: Thursday, February 28, 2019 11:46 AM
To: Janice Hoffman <slmud1@slmud.org>
Subject: FOIA_Sprint Waste Services

Hello Janice,

To follow-up in regard to my meeting w/ Mr. Manchaca and Mr. Miller on February 25, 2019 please find the attached FOIA request pertaining to Sprint Waste Services.


I look forward to your response.

Should there be any questions or need of clarification please do not hesitate to contact me via phone.

All the best,

David J.

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San Leon Sludge Proposal

Date 11/8/2018 3:24 PM
From clyle@sprintwaste.com on behalf of Charles Lyle
Actionable/To amiller@slmud.org
FYI/CC jhill@sprintwaste.com; zdivin@sprintwaste.com

Andrew,

Thank you for contacting me the other day regarding the San Leon MUD's sludge disposal. I have attached two proposals for you to this email. One for liquid hauling and another for dewatering services. We were able to come to the plant on Tuesday to look around and speak with Mike about the services you need. In the past we have performed liquid hauling services for the district. The largest haul per month was sixteen loads and the smallest was six. Speaking with Mike he believed it would require twelve per month to service the plant. We believe the greatest cost benefit for the district would be to dewater using our mobile units. Speaking with Mike he believed currently the district would not be able to provide the minimum quantity due to air issues in the plant. After speaking with him some more he agreed that with the installation of two valves the issue would be solved and we would be able to dewater the appropriate amount. We would be able to assist in the installation of the valves if needed. From experience with similar sized plants we believe dewatering the proposed amount would last the district multiple months, saving an estimated \$50,000 a year compared to liquid hauling. If you have any questions feel free to give me a call. We look forward to working with the district again. Thank you.

Charles Lyle
Sprint Waste Services
1820 Candle Ridge Park
Houston, TX 77073
Phone: 281-512-7840





Sprint Waste Services

P.O. Box 940820 • Houston, Texas 77094 • Telephone (713) 316-5050

November 8, 2018

RE: San Leon MUD

Dear Andrew:

Sprint Waste Services will provide liquid sludge transportation and disposal services for San Leon MUD at their WWTP located at 1103 27th St. Liquid sludge will be transported in tanker trucks loaded to the maximum weight allowed per DOT regulations, 6400 gallons. Dispatch (713-316-5050) must be notified 24 hours in advance for hauling. Sprint Waste holds a TCEQ Sludge Transporter Registration (No.23833) allowing for off-site transportation of the sludge. Prior to hauling any sludge, Sprint Waste must receive current analytical testing of the sludge (TCLP, PCB). These tests are required for legal hauling and disposal of the sludge and must be no older than one year.

Sprint Waste will provide the above services at the rate of **\$704.00 per load**. This price includes all equipment, labor, materials, transportation, and disposal costs associated with the job.

Sprint Waste Services will provide necessary sludge disposal information for the annual DMR reporting on behalf of the district and submit it to you for your review and approval.

Sprint Waste Services stands prepared to meet your needs for a cost effective, efficient and environmentally sound residuals management program. If you have any questions or need any additional information, I can be reached at (281) 512-7840 or clyle@sprintwaste.com

Sincerely,

Charles Lyle
Account Manager
Cell: 281-512-7840
Office: 713-316-5050
Sprint Waste Services



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November 8, 2018

RE: San Leon MUD

Dear Andrew:

Sprint Waste Services will provide sludge dewatering and disposal services for San Leon MUD at their WWTP. Liquid sludge will be dewatered on site using mobile belt press units. The cake material will be transported in end dump trailers and disposed of at a TCEQ approved disposal site. Dispatch (713-316-5050) must be notified two weeks in advance for dewatering. Sprint Waste holds a TCEQ Sludge Transporter Registration (No.23833) allowing for off-site transportation of the sludge. Prior to hauling any sludge, Sprint Waste must receive current analytical testing of the sludge (TCLP, PCB). These tests are required for legal hauling and disposal of the sludge and must be no older than one year.

Sprint Waste will provide the above services at the rate of **\$0.055 per gallon with a minimum of 150,000 gallons**. This price includes all equipment, labor, materials, transportation, and disposal costs associated with the job.

Sprint Waste Services will provide necessary sludge disposal information for the annual DMR reporting on behalf of the district and submit it to you for your review and approval.

Sprint Waste Services stands prepared to meet your needs for a cost effective, efficient and environmentally sound residuals management program. If you have any questions or need any additional information, I can be reached at (281) 512-7840 or clyle@sprintwaste.com

Sincerely,

Charles Lyle
Account Manager
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Office: 713-316-5050
Sprint Waste Services

San Leon Sludge Porposal

Date 12/13/2018 10:02 AM
From clyle@sprintwaste.com on behalf of Charles Lyle
Actionable/To amiller@slmud.org
FYI/CC jhill@sprintwaste.com; zdivin@sprintwaste.com

Andrew,

Thank you for speaking with me earlier regarding clarification of the cost savings from our proposals. First off the estimated savings of \$50,000 is a comparison of our own two proposals, liquid hauling compared to dewatering. We arrived at this number based on the following:

Liquid hauling: The plant operator estimated 12 loads a month (this corresponds with our previous hauling of between 9-16 loads) 12 loads x \$704(liquid haul price) x 12 months = Estimated Budgetary yearly cost of **\$101,376.00**

Dewatering: Minimum of 150,000 gallons.

150,000 gallons x \$0.055 (dw price) x 6 (every other month based on our experience with similar sized plants) = Estimated Budgetary yearly cost of **\$49,500.00**

As I discussed with you earlier the cost savings come from efficiency increses from belt pressing the sludge. For example liquid hauling requires twelve separate trips verses the same amount of liquid being processed into three to five end dump trailers by dewatering. If you have any other questions or need help with anything else, feel free to give me a call.

Thank you,

Charles Lyle
Sprint Waste Services
1820 Candle Ridge Park
Houston, TX 77073
Phone:281-512-7840



San Leon Proposal

Date 12/18/2018 11:32 AM
From amiller@slmud.org on behalf of Andrew Miller
Actionable/To zdivin@sprintwaste.com

Good morning sir!

I seem to have misplaced your phone number, but fortunately had your email already in my address book! Would you be available to discuss the two proposals sometime today? Wanted to make sure I understood the processes involved with both, as well as determine what we need to do for valving to facilitate the mobile belt press unit. My cell is 832.797.2262; thanks, and have a blessed day!

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Andrew Miller
District Manager
San Leon MUD