

8-28-2024 - Reno City Council Meeting - Item # D.11 Discussion and direction under Article 3.1 (B)

City Council Comment received from Adam Wiley

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Fri 8/23/2024 2:05 PM

To:Public Comment - CC <PublicComment@reno.gov>

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For the past 12+ years, Waste Management has partnered with The Discovery providing support and philanthropic giving that has allowed The Discovery to continue our mission to inspire through hands on science and learning. Over the years, Waste Management has become one of The Discovery's biggest supporters and continues to be a vital lifeline to the work The Discovery does in the community. The Discovery is proud to work with and partner with an entity that values the community while enhancing the livelihood of those who live in Northern Nevada and beyond. In addition, we highly value the work that Waste Management is doing in their quest to enhance and execute a recycling program that mimics the values and sustainability efforts that The Discovery values. This bond truly solidifies our partnership while aligning our missions.

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City Council Comment received from Gary Watson

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Fri 8/23/2024 3:10 PM

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Dear Madam Mayor, Teamsters Union Local No. 533 is the largest labor union in Northern Nevada, we represent numerous members in various industries including Waste Management of Nevada. Our Union represents roughly 260 members employed by Waste Management in the Reno/Sparks and surrounding communities. Our community relies on these essential workers to pick up, remove and process all unwanted solid waste and recyclables, usually on a weekly or by-weekly collection cycle. Our members are providing an essential function for sustainability within Reno. The work they perform is demanding but also rewarding. These jobs provide a good middle-class life for their families and assists with reinvestment along sustainability within our local economy. It is imperative that these jobs are maintained in Reno and the surrounding communities, for the health and safety of the citizens and our economy. Teamsters Local No. 533 is in favor of the 5-year extension, Waste Management and Teamsters Local 533 have built a relationship that desires sustainability within Reno while maintaining good rewarding jobs. Thank you for your consideration.

Gary Watson President Teamsters Local 533

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City Council Comment received from Ronald Cherry

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Mon 8/26/2024 3:53 PM

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While I would not claim Waste Management is perfect (who is), I consider the service they have provided me to be great. At 5800 ft, I get a lot of snow. However, if the plows have been through or the snow is not too deep, WM trucks make it through on chains. They never leave a mess behind or trash on the road. What more can you ask? One time, I did not expect them due to snow and was dragging out my trash out my long driveway after I had seen online that they were coming when the truck drove by early. I am on a cul-de-sac and the truck had to turn around. I pulled my can across the street and pointed to it and to me as the truck came by again. The driver stopped and took it, even though it was not at my address, and waved. Also, they contribute to charities in the community and are very responsive. Although I don't have a vote, I would say "Aye" to keeping them.

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