RESOLUTION 2015-03

Support for a Baldwin County Recycling Cooperative

WHEREAS, the Town of Magnolia Springs recognizes the importance of protecting and preserving our natural resources, and work to make the world a better place by adopting conscientious living habits that will improve our daily lives and bring about a cleaner, safer and healthier environment; and

WHEREAS, although there has been a significant increase in the amount of recycling in Magnolia Springs today, we must continue to focus on other initiatives such as waste reduction, composting, the reuse of products and materials, and purchasing recycled products and packaging; and

WHEREAS, by encouraging businesses, County and State agencies, nonprofit organizations, schools, citizens and visitors to actively recycle, we can further promote recycling as an environmentally efficient and economically smart way of life; and

WHEREAS, local community and county recycling leaders have come together to join in a discussion of a concentrated cooperative effort to share resources to maximize the environmental and economic value of county-wide recycling; and

WHEREAS, local community and county recycling leaders, working together, will need to conduct a feasibility study and develop a draft business plan for the possibility of forming a Baldwin County Recycling Cooperative; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Magnolia Springs desire to work with Baldwin County Solid Waste as lead agency, along with the cities and towns of Fairhope, Bay Minette, Daphne, Orange Beach, Gulf Shores, Robertsdale, Loxley, Perdido Beach and Spanish Fort to expedite the critical need to maximize our recycling efficiency and commodity value through a cooperative effort.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Town of Magnolia Springs that it supports the concept of a Baldwin County Recycling Cooperative.


ATTEST:

Kenneth D. Underwood – Mayor
Karen S. Biel – Town Clerk