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## Melissa Meslo

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Good evening, City Council -

I request that the following questions be entered into the public record regarding county-wide AB939 implementation fee and the HHW collection program:

- a) Projected annual costs in 2022 is \$2,541,568. What are the projected costs expected to increase in CY2023 and CY2024?
- b) 78.8% of projected annual costs are consumed by personnel, benefits, counsel, and county overhead. How many people are employed by this program and what are the highest salaries paid out of this program? What can be done to minimize these expenses?
- c) Is the city compelled by law to participate? If yes, can the city vote to opt out?
- d) If the city cannot opt out, how will these new fees appear in the utility bills assessed upon residents and businesses?

Thank you for entering these questions into the public record and I look forward to receiving answers promptly to my questions.

Sincerely yours,

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