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To: Municipal Services Committee

From: Danielle Block, Director of Public Works

Date: February 7, 2024

Re: Recommendation Resolution #12-R-23 Closure of the Whitman Yard Site

The Public Works Department continued correspondence with the Town of Grand Chute regarding the resolution to close the Whitman Yard Site. Through a meeting with the Town Administrator and the Town Director of Public Works, they confirmed, again, that a closure of the Whiteman Yard Site would prompt the need to renegotiate the existing Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). While they were unable to comment on a specific dollar amount, they expressed a desire to calculate the loss of service, acreage, and impact to their residents. This impact would likely result in a decrease of the contribution amount.

Based on staff's analysis to date and the risks associated with the MOU renegotiation, staff does not recommend approval of Resolution #12-R-23 at this time. Staff will continue to maximize efficiencies in the operation of both City Yard Waste Sites.