

TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA

ORDINANCE NO. 963

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SOLID WASTE
DISPOSAL/RECYCLING OPERATING FUND FOR THE
TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, has reviewed the matters pertaining to the solid waste disposal and recycling in the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, has reviewed its contractual relationship with the Lake County Solid Waste Management District, and particularly, as the same is formally established by Joint Interlocal Cooperation Agreement pursuant to the provisions of Indiana Code 36-1-7-1, et. seq., as amended from time to time; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, has determined that as a result of its contractual and statutory relationship with the Lake County Solid Waste Management District, that in consideration for engaging in and acting to implement recycling programs for the purpose of reducing solid waste being deposited in landfills, the Town shall be entitled to and shall periodically receive grant monies from the Lake County Solid Waste Management District; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, has further determined that the grant monies received by the Town from the Lake County Solid Waste Management District shall be required to be used in implementing and engaging in its recycling programs; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, has been advised that in order to utilize any grant funds received from the Lake County Solid Waste Management District, an operating fund and budget is required to be established in order to meet the applicable statutory requirements for expenditure of revenues received for the specific purposes designated; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, has determined that it is in the best interests of the residents of the Town of St. John to establish a Solid Waste Disposal/Recycling Operating Fund for the Town in order to properly receive and utilize any grant funds received by the Town from the Lake County Solid Waste Management District for its recycling programs and activities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA:**

SECTION ONE: That there is hereby established within the Budget and General Fund of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, a Solid Waste Disposal/Recycling Operating Fund.

SECTION TWO: That the Solid Waste Disposal/Recycling Operating Fund for the Town shall be funded solely by any grant monies received by the Town from the Lake County Solid Waste Management District pursuant to any applicable statutory and contractual authority, as the same may be amended from time to time.

SECTION THREE: That the funds within the established Solid Waste Disposal/Recycling Operating Fund may be utilized for any and all recycling programs and activities, and all such related expenditures intended or designated to act to reduce the amount of volume of solid waste being deposited into landfills.

SECTION FOUR: That all existing Ordinances, Guidelines, Regulations, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby deemed null, void, and of no legal effect, and are specifically repealed.

SECTION FIVE: If any section, clause, provision, or portion of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect any other section, clause, provision, or portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION SIX: That this Ordinance shall take effect, and be in full force and effect, from and after its passage by the Town Council of the Town of St. John.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, THIS 25th DAY OF July, 1994.

TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY,
INDIANA, TOWN COUNCIL

Carl Brown
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ATTEST:

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