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Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan Completed

New Braunfels, TX – The City of New Braunfels recently completed its Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan (CSWMP) and posted the final report online for public consumption. The City’s consultant for this project, SCS Engineers, and the City’s Solid Waste and Recycling Division (SWRD) presented the results of the CSWMP to City Council, which was approved on Monday, July 8, 2019.

The SWRD provides a variety of services, including commercial garbage collection, operating a drop-off center for recyclables, residential collection of garbage, recycling, and Green Waste, as well as drop-off events for special waste streams.

“This plan provides a suggested roadmap for adding services, improving existing services and keeping pace with the needs that continued growth will warrant,” explained Mike Mundell, Solid Waste Manager. “The needs assessment and menu of options provided a look at what it might cost to implement new programs and improve outreach and education. The approval of Council and staff gives us the support to bring proactive solutions forward for consideration in the future.”

The CSWMP provides solid waste management strategies for consideration including benchmarks, operational improvements, and tactics for increasing diversion over the next 20 years. The final report is available online at www.nbtexas.org/CompSWPlan.

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