## **LRB – FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS**

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FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

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resolution establishing the 2009 Local Solid Waste Charge in accordance with Section 79-6 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.

## **Background**

- 1. The Solid Waste Charge was established in conjunction with the adoption of 2001 Budget. The 2001 fee was \$11 per quarter per dwelling unit (\$44 per year).
- 2. In 2002, the Solid Waste Charge was increased to \$18.75 per quarter (\$75 per year) per dwelling unit.
- 3. In 2006 the Solid Waste Charge was increased to \$33.00 (\$132 per year) per quarter per dwelling unit.

## **Discussion**

- 1. This resolution increases the 2009 Solid Waste Charge to \$42.25 (\$169 per year) per quarter per dwelling unit.
- 2. If the resolution is adopted, approximately 100% of the City's 2009 budgeted solid waste collection costs will be recovered through the 2009 Local Solid waste

## Fiscal Impact

The Budget Office estimates the 2009 Solid Waste Charge will generate approximately \$31.84 million revenue, an increase of \$6.84 million from the estimated \$25 million the 2008 Solid Waste Charge will generate. At this point, the Comptroller' Office has not recognized the 2009 revenue increase.

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