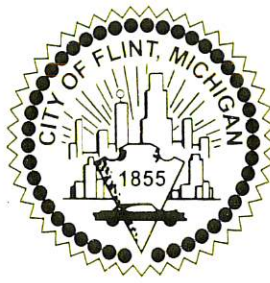




CITY OF FLINT



Sheldon A. Neeley  
~MAYOR~

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Sheldon Neeley  
Mayor of Flint  
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Dear Genesee County Commissioners and Michigan Department of Environment Great Lakes and Energy,

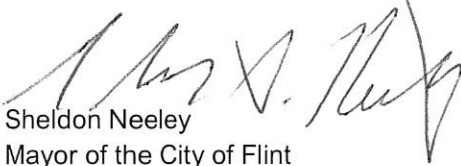
I have asked the various departments of my administration to support the Priority Waste development project taking place at the intersection of Pierson Rd. and Dort Hwy in our city. The Priority Materials Recovery Facility, MRF, and Transfer Station, are a major development initiative that stands to bring significant benefits to our community. As Mayor of Flint, I firmly believe that this project will play a pivotal role in shaping the future of recycling and garbage management in our region, enhancing our economic vibrancy, and improving the quality of life for our residents.

The MRF Transfer Station aligns with our city's long-term goals of diverting waste products from the landfills, increasing recyclable products into the circular economy of Michigan, revitalizing an underserved commercial zone of our city with a 40-million-dollar development, creating 100 jobs, and enhancing the tax base. This project represents a forward-thinking approach to development, fostering innovation and sustainability, and providing valuable opportunities for local employment and business growth.

Not only will this development enhance the perception of our city as a model for sustainability, but it will also serve as a catalyst for further investment in recycling as a replicable design that can be built elsewhere in Michigan. I am confident that the Priority MRF Transfer Station will contribute to making Flint a more dynamic, accessible, and prosperous place for all who live, work, and visit here.

Therefore, my support for this important project should be an indicator for everyone to increase their level of partnership with Priority to expedite approvals and permits. I encourage Priority to continue moving forward with their plans. Our city is excited to be a part of this transformative endeavor, and we stand ready to collaborate and assist in any way necessary to ensure its successful completion. Thank you for your commitment to Flint and for your continued efforts to improve and enhance our community.

Sincerely,

  
Sheldon Neeley  
Mayor of the City of Flint