



## Legislation Text

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DPS Landfill Gas Collection & Control System - \$156,000  
Solid Waste  
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Revised

**Authorizing the expenditure of \$156,000 from the Capital Improvement Fund for the design, construction and construction oversight of Gas Collection and Control System repairs, replacement and/or rehabilitation at the Hoffman Road Landfill; authorizing the Mayor to enter into contracts for said purposes; and declaring an emergency.**

### SUMMARY & BACKGROUND:

This Ordinance authorizes the expenditure of funds from the Capital Improvement (CIP) Fund for necessary upgrades to the Gas Collection & Control System (GCCS) at the Hoffman Road Landfill. This Ordinance provides supplemental funding to the \$425,000 authorized by Ordinance 111-19 for GCCS related improvements. The project was bid pursuant to TMC 187 in June 2019 and the resulting bid amount exceeded the authorizing funding limit. This Ordinance increases the total expenditure authorization limit to \$581,000.

The work is required to maintain compliance with applicable provisions of the landfill's Title V air permit and the New Source Performance Standards (NSPS) for Municipal Solid Waste Landfills, for proper operation of the GCCS, and to comply with specific best management practices that have been requested by the United States Environmental Protection Agency. The landfill is a dynamic environment, requiring regular GCCS related work to ensure the system operates effectively and the Division remains in compliance with state and federal rules/permits related to air pollution and operational requirements.

The GCCS improvements are necessary to more effectively collect landfill gas, mitigate risk associated with potential landfill gas-related odors, maintain compliance and increase the potential renewable energy value of the collected landfill gas.

The fiscal impact of this ordinance is as follows:

- The amount of funds requested: \$156,000
- The expenditure budget line item: 5040-24500-8CP1909LANGAS
  - New revenue generated (operational revenue, grants, if any): none
  - Revenue budget line item (if any): none
  - Are funds budgeted in the current fiscal year (yes/no)?: yes, this was included in the approved 2019 CIP budget in mid-year adjustments (Ordinance 392-19)
  - Is this a capital project (yes/no)? yes
  - If yes, is it new or existing (new/existing)? new
  - What section of the City's Strategic Plan does this support:
    - o Excellence in Basic Services (yes/no) Yes
    - o Quality Community Investment (Livable City, Development) (yes/no) Yes

- Workplace Culture & Customer Service (yes/no) no
- Environment (yes/no) Yes

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Toledo:

SECTION 1. The amount of \$156,000 is authorized for expenditure from the Capital Improvement Fund Account Code 5040-24500-8CP1909LANGAS for the necessary activities related to repairs, replacement and/or rehabilitation of the GCCS at the Hoffman Road Landfill.

SECTION 2. That the Mayor is authorized to accept bids and award contracts for the design, construction and construction oversight of Gas Collection and Control System (GCCS) repairs, replacement and/or rehabilitation at the Hoffman Road Landfill upon such terms and conditions shall be approved by the Director of Public Service and the Director of Law.

SECTION 3. That the Director of Finance is authorized to draw his warrant or warrants against Account Code 5040-24500-8CP1909LANGAS in payment of the above authorized obligations upon presentation of proper voucher or vouchers in a total amount not to exceed \$156,000.

SECTION 4. That this Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure and shall be in force and effect from and after its passage. The reason for the emergency lies in the fact that the same is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and property, and for the further reason that the Ordinance must be immediately effective in order for the City of Toledo to ensure that the Hoffman Road Landfill continues to operate in a manner supportive of continuous daily city services to the community and in compliance with the applicable regulatory requirements.

**Vote on emergency clause: yeas 12, nays 0.**

**Passed: September 17, 2019, as an emergency measure: yeas 12, nays 0.**

**Attest:**

**Gerald E. Dendinger**  
**Clerk of Council**

**Matt Cherry**  
**President of Council**

**Approved:**

**September 17, 2019**  
**Wade Kapszukiewicz**  
**Mayor**