

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF McDOWELL**

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into this 12th day of March 2012 by and between the County of McDowell, a North Carolina Municipal Corporation, hereinafter referred to as "the County", and the City of Marion, a North Carolina Municipal Corporation, hereinafter referred to as "the City".

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, McDowell County and the City of Marion are political subdivisions of the State of North Carolina, both having the power and authority to enter into this agreement and the signatories hereto have been authorized to execute this document on behalf of the McDowell County Board of Commissioners and Marion City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City has requested that the County accept the City's commercial cardboard recyclables and split the revenues from the sale of said cardboard on an equal, 50 percent County, 50 percent City basis; and

WHEREAS, the County is willing to accept said cardboard and equally split the revenues from the sale of the cardboard subject to the execution of an Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties wish to reduce their agreement to writing and agree to the following:

1. The County and the City mutually agree that this Contract shall become effective on July 1, 2012 and it shall continue in effect until terminated by the consent of both parties.
2. The County agrees to accept the City's commercial cardboard recyclables at the designated location at the McDowell County Transfer Station.
3. The County agrees to pay the City on a quarterly basis for 50 percent of the revenue received from the sale of the commercial cardboard recyclables.
4. The County agrees to make the quarterly payments to the City within 30 days after the close of each quarter.
5. This Agreement may be modified by mutual, written agreement of the parties. Any termination of this Agreement must be made in writing and delivered no later than December 31 of any year prior to the July 1 effective date of the termination. This six month notice of termination must be sent via first class mail or facsimile to the following:

For County:

Charles Abernathy
County Manager
60 East Court Street
Marion North Carolina 28752

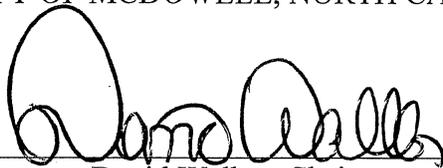
For City

Bob Boyette
City Manager
PO Drawer 700
Marion, NC 28752

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

COUNTY OF MCDOWELL, NORTH CAROLINA

BY: _____



David Walker, Chairman
McDowell County Board of Commissioners

(SEAL)

Attest:

BY: _____

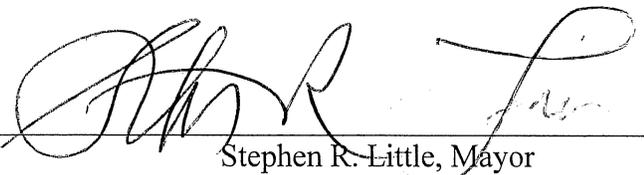


Carrie Padgett, Clerk to the Board



CITY OF MARION, NORTH CAROLINA

BY: _____



Stephen R. Little, Mayor

(SEAL)

Attest:

BY: 
J. Robert Boyette, City Manager/Clerk

