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**NOTICE OF TABLED MOTION TO BE TAKEN UP AT NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED
MEETING OF EXECUTIVE BOARD**

**In Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION – The Lighthouse Restaurant: Failure to separate and divert
food waste**

The Lighthouse Restaurant (the “Respondent”) received a Notice of Violation (NOV) dated February 28, 2025, citing deficiencies observed on multiple occasions in 2024 and 2025 concerning required separation and management of food waste. The NOV further alleged that the notified deficiencies were ongoing, and that Respondent remained out of compliance. The NOV notified Respondent of its right to request a hearing before the Executive Board. Notice of a request for a hearing was received by the Executive Board within the time limit allowed.

At a public meeting held March 17, 2024, the Staff of the District submitted the finding of facts to the Executive Board for consideration in determination of whether the Respondent has committed Unlawful Conduct. District Staff that presented for the District were Sarah Reeves, Executive Director, Joey Catania, Compliance and Safety Manager, and Ethan Hausman, Compliance Specialist. District Staff moved the Executive Board to 1) find Respondent in violation of the Ordinance, as set forth in the NOV; 2) hold the financial penalties in abeyance; and 3) place the Respondent on “probation” for a period of 180 days.

Although the Respondent requested a hearing, no representative of the Respondent appeared at the hearing on March 17, 2025. District Staff reported that the Respondent’s representative had recently been out of the country and was likely attending to the St. Patrick’s Day business.

The Executive Board voted to table the motion until the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Executive Board on April 14, 2025. At that meeting, a motion will be entertained to reopen the record and afford District Staff an opportunity to report any developments in the interim, and Respondent an opportunity to appear and be heard. The Executive Board will then deliberate and issue its decision on the NOV.

District Staff shall deliver a copy of this Notice to the Respondent on or before March 31, 2025.

Notice issued this 26th day of March, 2025.

Executive Board, Chittenden Solid Waste District

By: Paul Ruess

Paul Ruess
Chair, CSWD Executive Board
and Board of Commissioners

