

Bethany Beach Plans to Launch Voluntary Recycling

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BETHANY BEACH, Del. (AP) - Bethany Beach officials say they have reached an agreement with Delaware's Solid Waste Authority and expect to begin a voluntary recycling program next year.



The six town council members changed language in the 2-year agreement before approving it.

They also agreed to contract recycling services even if the authority only recognizes the original language. Town residents who would participate will receive a 35- or 65-gallon container for their recyclables.

The town will pay the authority \$36 annually for each subscriber for weekly Friday pickups. The funds will be returned to the town when residents pay an additional amount in their yearly trash bill.