

RESOLUTION 2022 - 093

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND APPROVING EARLY TERMINATION OF THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF POWDER SPRINGS AND WASTE INDUSTRIES FOR THE COLLECTION, TRANSPORTATION AND DISPOSAL OF HOUSEHOLD RECYCLABLE MATERIALS; APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT WITH A. GOLDSMITH RESOURCES, LLC FOR THE PURPOSES OF ESTABLISHING A RECYCLING DROP OFF CENTER AT THE CITY PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS the City of Powder Springs (“City”) previously authorized and executed an agreement with Waste Industries to provide residential curbside recycling collection, transportation and disposal at a frequency of every two weeks for a cost of \$1.99 per home per month; and

WHEREAS Waste Industries notified the City of a price increase to \$5.5 per home per month in addition to a fuel fee increase effective July 1, 2022 in order to continue services under the current agreement; and

WHEREAS shortly after notice of the fee increases, Waste Industries also notified the City of its intent to terminate the agreement as of November 1, 2022, at the conclusion of the annual service term, with the applicable fee increases in place and assessed; and

WHEREAS Waste Industries has agreed to waive the fee increases if the City agrees to an August 31, 2022 termination date;

WHEREAS the City finds it in its best interest to accept and approve the early termination of the agreement with Waste Industries effective August 31, 2022 and to evaluate a drop off center at the Public Works facility to provide alternative opportunities for the disposal of household recyclable materials; and

WHEREAS the City has requested and A. Goldsmith Resources, LLC (“AGR”) has agreed to work with the City to develop a drop-off center for recyclables at the City Department of Public Works and possibly temporary drop-off sites at special events and/or other locations, said work to include two Phases: 1) to evaluate options and recommend approach for drop-off center for recycling at Public Works facility and for temporary drop-off centers and 2) to assist in procurement of equipment and/or services to implement the selected approach.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Powder Springs that it approves and authorizes the Mayor or Mayor Pro Tem to execute documentation needed to effectuate early termination of the agreement with Waste Industries for recycling services and to execute an amendment to the agreement with A. Goldsmith Resources, LLC for an amount up to \$17,500 to evaluate options and recommended approach for the drop-off center for recycling at Public Works and for temporary drop-off centers and an amount up to \$8,500 to assist in the procurement of equipment and services to implement the recycling alternative, subject to review and approval by the City Attorney.

SO RESOLVED this 18th day of July, 2022.

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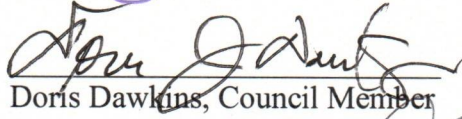
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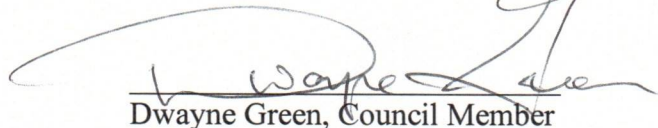
Albert Thurman, Mayor



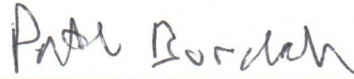
Henry Lust, Council Member



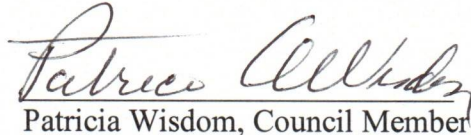
Doris Dawkins, Council Member



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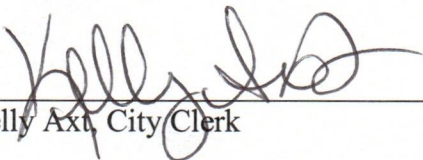


Patrick Bordelon, Council Member



Patricia Wisdom, Council Member

ATTEST:



Kelly Axt, City Clerk