

Date November 4, 2024

APPROVING FIRST AMENDMENT TO RECYCLABLES PROCESSING AND MARKETING SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH METRO WASTE AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department provides a number of services including the curbside collection for the processing of recyclables, and requires single-stream recycling services to receive, process and market recyclable materials collected by the Department; and

WHEREAS, Metro Waste Authority is a public entity organized pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 28E for the purpose of providing solid waste services including single-stream recycling through its Material Recovery Facility, and has agreed to provide such services to the City; and

WHEREAS, on September 11, 2023, by Roll Call No. 23-1264, the City Council approved a Recyclables Processing and Marketing Service Agreement, which Agreement is effective retroactively to November 1, 2021 to align with the timing of commencement of services and ends on November 1, 2024, with the option for consecutive one-year renewals, and with the City paying to Metro Waste Authority a processing fee equal to \$85.00 per ton of all material entering the Material Recovery Facility with an outstanding balance to be paid in the amount of \$779,000 and an estimated annual cost of \$765,000, in exchange for the recycling services provided by Metro Waste Authority; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department has negotiated a First Amendment to the Agreement to extend the duration of the initial term from November 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that:

1. The First Amendment to the City of Des Moines and Metro Waste Authority Recyclables Processing and Marketing Service Agreement, in form on file in the office of the City Clerk, is hereby approved and the Public Works Director is hereby authorized and directed to execute said Amendment for and on behalf of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.
2. The Public Works Department Director is authorized and directed to administer and monitor the Agreement, as amended, for compliance with its terms.

Moved by Gatto to adopt.

Second by Voss.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Glenna K. Frank

Glenna K. Frank, Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
GATTO	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
SIMONSON				✓
VOSS	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	6			1

CERTIFICATE

I, Laura Baumgartner, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

Connie Boesen Mayor

Laura Baumgartner City Clerk