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## **RESOLUTION NO. 2021-83**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) SEEKING ORGANICS, RECYCLING, AND SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICES, AND ADOPTING AN RFP COMMUNICATIONS PROTOCOL

WHEREAS, on October 17, 2011, Council approved the current franchise agreements between the City and Waste Management of Alameda County (WMAC) for collection and disposal of solid waste, recycling services, and green waste collection; and

WHEREAS, the Collection Service Agreement, which includes collection rates, containers, trucks, and special collection programs, is effective until October 31, 2021; and

WHEREAS, staff requested an extension of the current Collection Service Agreement with WMAC until March 31, 2023; and

**WHEREAS,** The Disposal Agreement, which specifies where collected solid waste, recycling, and organics are transferred, processed, and/or disposed of, is effective until October 31, 2031; and

**WHEREAS**, with the release of a Request for Proposals, the City is seeking a hauler which will provide exemplary service at competitive rates, and help the City comply with State regulations, including but not limited to AB 939 and SB 1383; and

WHEREAS, the City has retained the services of HF&H Consultants to assist with the RFP process, including selection of the successful vendor; and

WHEREAS, the proposals submitted in compliance with the conditions specified in the RFP will be reviewed by staff and HF&H, interviews will be conducted, and a

recommendation to the City Manager for the most competitive firm will be made and forwarded to the City Council for action; and

WHEREAS, by adopting the RFP Process Communications Protocol (Exhibit G in RFP packet), Council designates City staff and HF&H consultants as the point persons for communications with RFP respondents, and acknowledges its willingness to adhere to the guidelines as the policy applies to the Solid Waste Services RFP process.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Albany City Council hereby authorizes the release of a Request for Proposals (RFP) seeking organics, recycling, and solid waste collection services and adopting the RFP Process Communications Protocol.

GE'NELL GARY, MBA - MAYOR



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## **RESOLUTION NO. 2021-83**

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,

The 19th day of July, 2021, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Jordan, McQuaid, Nason, Tiedemann and Mayor Gary

NOES: none

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 20th

day of July, 2021.

Anne Hsu
CITY CLERK

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