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July 5, 2016

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
City of Long Beach  
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt Resolution of the City Council of the City of Long Beach Supporting the Labor Negotiations between Covanta and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 11 on Behalf of the Employees of the Southeast Resource Recovery Facility.

DISCUSSION

Pursuant to your request of June 21, 2016, this office has prepared and submits the above-described resolution for your consideration.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES PARKIN, City Attorney

By

AMY R. WEBBER  
Deputy City Attorney

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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH SUPPORTING THE LABOR NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN COVANTA AND THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS, LOCAL 11 ON BEHALF OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE SOUTHEAST RESOURCE RECOVERY FACILITY

WHEREAS, the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers ("IBEW"), Local 11 represents over twelve thousand (12,000) electricians, communications and systems installers, transportation systems journeymen, civil service electricians, apprentices, construction wiremen and construction electricians across Los Angeles County; and

WHEREAS, during an election supervised by the National Labor Relations Board, eighty percent (80%) of the employees of the Southeast Resource Recovery Facility ("SERRF") voted in the affirmative to join IBEW, Local 11; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach has a strong record of standing with working men and women who choose labor representation; and

WHEREAS, SERRF supports our public safety by safely destroying 17,000 pounds of narcotics each month; and

WHEREAS, SERRF, which recycles over 825 tons of metal each month that would otherwise go to landfills, is an asset to the City of Long Beach;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows:

Section 1. The City of Long Beach along with the Mayor supports the good faith negotiations between Covanta and the International Brotherhood of Electrical

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1 Workers, Local 11 on behalf of the employees of the Southeast Resource Recovery  
2 Facility.

3 Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption  
4 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

5 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City  
6 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016,  
7 by the following vote:

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9 Ayes: Councilmembers: \_\_\_\_\_  
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13 Noes: Councilmembers: \_\_\_\_\_  
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15 Absent: Councilmembers: \_\_\_\_\_  
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