



# CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

# R-19

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November 1, 2016

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
City of Long Beach  
California

## RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to execute all documents necessary to amend Contract No. 34210 with Los Angeles Truck Centers, LLC, dba Los Angeles Freightliner, of Whittier, CA, for the purchase of ten additional Autocar ACX 64, CNG-fueled, refuse collection trucks, with related equipment and accessories, for an additional amount of \$3,303,658, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$6,607,316, inclusive of taxes and fees. (Citywide)

## DISCUSSION

On February 9, 2016, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 16-0011, authorizing the City Manager to execute a contract with Los Angeles Truck Centers, LLC, for the purchase of ten Autocar ACX 64, CNG-fueled refuse trucks, under the same terms and conditions afforded to the City of Claremont, CA.

City Council approval is requested to amend the contract with Los Angeles Truck Centers, LLC, for the purchase of ten additional Autocar ACX 64, CNG-fueled, 29 cubic yard side-loading refuse collection trucks for use by the Public Works Department (PW). Procurement of the additional ten units was approved in the FY 16 replacement plan. The units being replaced are 12 years old and have exceeded their seven-year recommended life cycle. Sufficient replacement funds have been collected to replace the ten units.

City Charter Section 1802 provides an alternative procurement method by permitting the City to purchase or otherwise obtain services, supplies, materials, equipment, and labor with other governmental agencies by purchasing under their contracts on a voluntary and selective basis when authorized by a Resolution of the City Council.

The Fleet Services Bureau and the Purchasing Division of the Financial Management Department investigated procurement options, and the City of Claremont's contract with Los Angeles Truck Centers, LLC, of Whittier, CA (not an MBE, WBE, DBE, SBE or Local), was determined to provide the best price. Additionally, this procurement method, as authorized under the Charter, allows for timely acquisition and delivery. The City of Claremont's contract was competitively bid in December 2014. Since there are no dealers for this type of equipment in Long Beach, chassis and body service, parts, and warranty support will be provided by Los Angeles Truck Centers, of Whittier, CA, and Ray Gaskin Service, of Fontana, CA.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Monica J. Kilaita on October 12, 2016 and by Assistant Finance Director Lea Eriksen on October 11, 2016.

SUSTAINABILITY

These new refuse trucks are in full compliance with California Air Resources Board and local district air quality regulations, which require use of alternative fuel refuse trucks to reduce air toxic and criteria pollutant emissions. These trucks have near-zero emission engines that are 90 percent lower than the current Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) limit. This engine also meets the 2017 EPA greenhouse gas emission requirements with a 9 percent reduction from the low emission engines currently in use.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action is requested to adopt the attached Resolution and authorize the City Manager to execute an amendment to Contract No. 34210 on November 1, 2016, to ensure that the purchase of the new refuse trucks can take place expeditiously.

FISCAL IMPACT

The cost of this contract amendment will not exceed \$3,303,658, and is budgeted in the Fleet Services Fund (IS 386) in the Financial Management Department (FM). Purchase costs have been collected through regular capital replacement charges to the Refuse Fund (EF 330) in the Public Works Department (PW). There is no local job impact associated with this recommendation.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



JOHN GROSS  
DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

APPROVED:



PATRICK H. WEST  
CITY MANAGER

1 RESOLUTION NO.

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING CITY MANAGER TO  
5 AMEND CONTRACT NUMBER 34210 WITH LOS ANGELES  
6 TRUCK CENTERS LLC FOR THE PURCHASE OF TEN  
7 ADDITIONAL CNG-POWERED REFUSE COLLECTION  
8 TRUCKS THROUGH THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE  
9 CITY OF CLAREMONT AND LOS ANGELES TRUCK  
10 CENTERS, LLC, DBA LOS ANGELES FREIGHTLINER

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12 WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Long Beach (the "City"), Section  
13 1802, permits the City to purchase services, supplies, materials, equipment and labor  
14 with other government agencies by purchasing under their contract on a voluntary and  
15 selective basis when authorized by resolution; and

16 WHEREAS, Resolution No. RES-16-0011, authorized the City to purchase  
17 ten (10), Autocar ACX 64, CNG-fueled, refuse collection trucks, by virtue of the City of  
18 Claremont Contract for the purchase of these trucks ("Claremont Contract"); and

19 WHEREAS, the City desires to purchase ten (10) additional Autocar ACX  
20 64, CNG-powered refuse collection trucks ("Trucks"); and

21 WHEREAS, it was determined and remains that the City's participation in  
22 the Claremont Contract will facilitate acquisition of these Trucks as well as provide  
23 considerable cost benefits to the City; and

24 WHEREAS, if the City must go to formal bid rather than participate in the  
25 Claremont Contract, considerably more funds would be required;

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

28 Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated

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1 herein by this reference.

2 Section 2. The City Manager of the City is hereby authorized to amend  
3 the agreement with Los Angeles Truck Centers, LLC, dba Los Angeles Freightliner, to  
4 purchase ten additional (10) Autocar ACX 64, CNG-powered refuse collection trucks for  
5 the total of twenty (20) Autocar ACX 64, CNG-powered refuse collection trucks of  
6 substantially the same type and kind purchased by the City of Claremont pursuant to the  
7 Claremont Contract, except as modified by mutual agreement of the City and Los  
8 Angeles Truck Centers, LLC, dba Los Angeles Freightliner, and the purchase by the City  
9 shall be on the same terms and conditions afforded to the City of Claremont in total  
10 contract amount not to exceed Six Million Six hundred Seven Thousand Three Hundred  
11 Sixteen Dollars (\$6,607,316), inclusive of taxes and fees.

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

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

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18 Ayes: Councilmembers: \_\_\_\_\_

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22 Noes: Councilmembers: \_\_\_\_\_

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24 Absent: Councilmembers: \_\_\_\_\_

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City Clerk