



# CITY OF LONG BEACH

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

# R-14

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October 17, 2017

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
City of Long Beach  
California

### RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to execute a contract with Rehrig Pacific Company, of Los Angeles, CA, for the purchase and delivery of refuse and recycling containers on the same terms and conditions afforded to Miami-Dade County, Florida, in an annual amount not to exceed \$900,000, for a period of five years, with the option to renew for one additional five-year period, at the discretion of the City Manager.  
(Citywide)

### DISCUSSION

City Council approval is being requested to enter into a contract with Rehrig Pacific Company for the purchase and delivery of refuse containers to support the Public Works Department's ongoing residential and commercial refuse operation. The Public Works Department, Environmental Services Bureau (ESB), is requesting to purchase containers to replace damaged and aged ones that have exhausted their useful life, or deploy new refuse or recycling containers throughout the City, as needed.

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.

ESB, with the assistance of the Purchasing Division, investigated procurement options and learned that Miami-Dade County, Florida, had completed a competitive bid process for waste carts, recycling carts, and related products and services and the bid was awarded to Rehrig Pacific Company. Rehrig is willing to extend its pricing under this bid to the City. ESB has used this vendor in the past and received effective and efficient service and products. This cooperative purchase agreement will facilitate the continuous acquisition of refuse and/or recycling containers and provide cost benefits to the City.

The use of cooperative purchasing contracts provides agencies with opportunities for greater efficiencies in acquiring goods, reduces the City's administrative burden of conducting a competitive bid process, and provides greater cost savings by leveraging multiple-agency buying volumes.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Amy R. Webber on October 2, 2017 and by Budget Management Officer Rhutu Amin Gharib on September 27, 2017.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action to adopt a Resolution and award a contract concurrently is requested on October 17, 2017, to ensure the contract is in place expeditiously.

FISCAL IMPACT

The total annual contract cost will not exceed \$900,000. Sufficient funds to support this contract are budgeted in the Refuse/Recycling 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,



CRAIG A. BECK  
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

ATTACHMENT: RESOLUTION

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APPROVED:



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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE REFUSE AND RECYCLING CARTS THROUGH THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE, FLORIDA AND REHRIG PACIFIC COMPANY, IN AN ANNUAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$900,000, FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE (5) YEARS

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

WHEREAS, the City desires to purchase refuse and recycling carts ("Carts"); and

WHEREAS, the County of Miami-Dade, Florida has a contract for the purchase of waste carts, recycling carts, cart parts, bins and related products and services, Contract No. 00254 ("Miami-Dade Contract"); and

WHEREAS, the City's participation in the Miami-Dade Contract will facilitate acquisition of these Carts as well as provide considerable cost benefits to the City; and

WHEREAS, if the City had to go to formal bid rather than participate in the Miami-Dade Contract considerably more funds would be required;

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

Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

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Section 2. The City Manager or designee of the City is hereby authorized to enter an agreement with Rehrig Pacific Company to purchase refuse and recycling carts of substantially the same type and kind purchased by the County of Miami-Dade, Florida pursuant to the Miami-Dade Contract except as modified by mutual agreement of the City and Rehrig Pacific Company, and the purchase by the City shall be on the same terms and conditions afforded to the County of Miami-Dade, Florida in an annual amount not to exceed Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$900,000) including tax and shipping, for a period of five (5) years, extending until the warranty on the commercial trash containers expires. The contract may be extended for one (1) additional five-year period at the discretion of the City Manager

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

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017, by the following vote:

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

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

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

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City Clerk