

RESOLUTION NO. 2022- ~~86~~

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE QUALIFIED PURCHASING AGENT TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLABLES COLLECTION SERVICES.

WHEREAS, on January, 2019, the City of Vineland has entered into a Shared Services Agreement with the Atlantic County Utility Authority (ACUA) for solid waste and recyclables collection services (Collection Services); and

WHEREAS, the ACUA has been unable to meet the contractual terms of the Share Services Agreement and has not been able to provide consistent and reliable collection Services to the residents of the City which have caused concerns for the health and welfare of the residents; and

WHEREAS, representatives of the ACUA have previously appeared before Vineland City Council and stated that they are presently unable to meet their obligations as set forth in the Shared Services Agreement and further could not guarantee that the ACUA could meet the contractual terms of the Shared Services Agreement in the future for the balance of the term of the Agreement so as provide consistent collection of solid waste and/or recyclables to the residents of the City.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Vineland has determined that the Atlantic County Utilities Authority has breached their Agreement with the City to collect solid waste and recyclables in the City of Vineland and the Qualified Purchasing Agent is hereby authorized to advertise for bids to be received for solid waste and recyclables collection services.

Adopted:

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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City Clerk