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TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES

Your

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

COMMITTEE

reports as follows:

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Public Comments	<u>XX</u>	—

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Board of Public Works (BPW) request for authorization for renewal of an agreement with Rehrig Pacific Company to provide automated recycling containers and ancillary services.

Recommendation for Council action:

AUTHORIZE the Bureau of Sanitation (BOS) to execute renewal option #1 of Contact No. C-102987 with Rehrig Pacific Company to provide automated recycling containers and related services.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The BPW reports that previously (the container purchases have been funded by Sanitation Equipment Charge revenue bonds. However, \$20 Million had been appropriated in the Solid Waste Resources Revenue Funds (Schedule 2) to purchase containers in Fiscal Year 2006-07. Expenditures in future years could be made from either bond issuances or from appropriations; however, a decision to use bond proceeds or appropriations had not been made.

Summary:

In a report dated November 13, 2006 (Revised November 17, 2006), the BPW request authorization for renewal of an agreement, for the term of December 1, 2006 through November 30, 2011, with Rehrig Pacific Company to provide automated recycling containers and ancillary services. The BOS reports that the Automated Container Systematic Replacement Program was launched on July 15, 2002 to replace containers approaching the end of their ten-year life cycle. The program began in July 2003 and as of August 30, 2006 the East Valley, North Central and West Valley Collection District rollout were 100% complete and South Los Angeles rollout started. As of July 2006, the City has received \$250,756.07 in credit from the recycling of old containers which were applied towards the purchase of new containers from Rehrig.

At a regular meeting held on February 7, 2007, the Energy and Environment Committee considered this matter, and having provided an opportunity for public comment, moved to approve the recommendation of BPW.

This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

MEMBER
PERRY:
GARCETTI:
GREUEL:
LABONGE:

VOTE
YES
YES
YES
YES

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ADOPTED

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