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WHEREAS, the Bureau of Sanitation (BOS) was directed by Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa to convert the City Los Angeles fleet of Solid Resources Collection Vehicles (SRCV) to clean-burning natural gas powered vehicles; and

WHEREAS, for solid resources collection fleets operating in the South Coast Air Basin, the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Fleet Rule 1193 requires operators to acquire alternative-fuel heavy-duty SRCV when procuring or leasing these vehicles to reduce air toxic and criteria pollutant emissions; and

WHEREAS, the SCAQMD released program announcement PA2012-03 for Heavy-Duty Natural Gas Truck Projects, on September 9, 2011, to co-fund projects to replace heavy-duty diesel solid resources collection vehicles (SRCV) with those equipped with new natural gas engines that are certified at more stringent emissions standards; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles City Council adopted a resolution authorizing the Director of BOS, or designee, to apply for available grant funding under the SCAQMD Heavy-Duty Natural Gas Truck Projects to support the BOS Clean Fuel Program (C.F. 11-1703); and

WHEREAS, the BOS submitted an application to SCAQMD with the proposed project to purchase 10 qualified natural gas powered heavy-duty SRCV with 2010 compliant engines and certified with enhanced NOx emission reduction; and

WHEREAS, the BOS was notified that its grant application has been selected for grant award of up to \$250,000 under the Heavy-Duty Natural Gas Projects to help offset the purchase cost of 10 new natural gas powered heavy-duty SRCV.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that by adoption of this Resolution, with concurrence of the Mayor, that the City Council authorizes the Director of the Bureau of Sanitation, or designee, to execute all necessary contracts, agreements, amendments and payment requests for the purposes of securing grant funds in the maximum amount of \$250,000 from SCAQMD, and to implement and carry out the purposes specified in the grant application.

RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES AT ITS MEETING OF MAY 1 4 2013 BY A MAJORITY OF ALL ITS MEMBERS.	PRESENTED BY	•
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