

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA APPROVING RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA (1) APPROVING WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BID REQUIREMENT; (2) APPROVING THE AGREEMENT WITH THE LIVING COAST DISCOVERY CENTER TO PROVIDE COMPOST PROGRAM SITE MAINTENANCE AND COMPOST PROGRAM EDUCATIONAL SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA; AND (3) AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE SAID AGREEMENT WITH OPTION FOR THREE, ONE-YEAR EXTENSIONS

WHEREAS, The Living Coast Discovery Center was previously part of the City of Chula Vista operations, as the Chula Vista Nature Center; and

WHEREAS, in 2010, the Chula Vista Nature Center became a stand-alone entity, the Living Coast Discovery Center; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the transfer to the Living Coast Discovery Center, the City's Environmental Services Section built a compost demonstration site and outside lecture shelter to host classes and which included the use of the Nature Center Auditorium for evening composting workshops; and

WHEREAS, The Environmental Services Section managed weekly composting workshops, Master Composting courses and compost public education with the assistance of the Living Coast Discovery Center staff and the compost demonstration site; and

WHEREAS, The City finds that the Living Coast Discovery Center has the unique and specialized qualifications, including holding the City's compost program demonstration area in their property and possessing the unique expertise and experience to provide education services that includes previous maintenance of the program's member network and the connections to local school districts for the purpose of hosting tours and presentations on their property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it approves the agreement for the City of Chula Vista's backyard composting program, between the City and The Living Coast Discovery Center, in the form presented, with such minor modifications as may be required or approved by the City Attorney, a copy of which shall be kept on file in the Office of the City Clerk, and authorizes and directs the Mayor to execute same."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, does hereby

- 1) Based on the findings in the above recitals which are hereby incorporated herein presented in support of this action, waive the competitive bid requirement
- 2) Approve the agreement from the Living Coast Discovery Center to provide compost program site maintenance and compost program educational services for the City of Chula Vista's backyard composting program.
- 3) Authorizing the City Manager or designee to execute three, one-year options to extend said agreement as needed.

Presented by

Approved as to form by

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Eric Crockett, Director  
Economic Development Department

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Glen R. Googins  
City Attorney