## RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY County of Camden, State of New Jersey #R 122 -2020

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AN EMERGENCY CONTRACT WITH FOR COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLABLES AS WELL AS A HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY AND SOLTERRA RECYCLING SOLUTIONS, INC., FORMERLY KNOWN AS CENTRAL JERSEY WASTE & RECYCLING, INC.

WHEREAS, the City and Republic Services of New Jersey, LLC ("RSNJ") entered into an agreement dated February 1, 2020, concerning the collection and disposal of solid waste and recyclables in the City; and

WHEREAS, after consultation, the City and RSNJ have determined that it is in their mutual interests to amend the Agreement and modify certain terms and conditions of which will provide for the early expiration of the Agreement on June 20, 2020, in a fair and equitable manner and without the imposition of any form of penalty or assessment made against either Party; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is in need of an emergency services contractor for the collection and disposal of Solid Waste and Recycling effective July 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Solterra Recycling Solutions, Inc., formerly Central Jersey Waste & Recycling, Inc. has agreed to assist the City during this emergency until such time as the City can procure and receive bids in compliance with the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, RSNJ has provided for covenants not to sue any party to which the City awards an emergency contract or the subsequent full term contract for solid waste and recyclable collection and disposal services in the City on the grounds that the party has directly or indirectly interfered with or impinged upon RSNJ's rights under the Agreement with the City.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester City, County of Camden, State of New Jersey as follows:

- 1. The provisions of the **WHEREAS** clauses set forth above are incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.
- 2. The Mayor, or his designee, are hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary to effectuate an emergency services contract with for collection and disposal of solid waste and recyclables as well as the attached Hold Harmless Agreement with Solterra Recycling Solutions, Inc., formerly Central Jersey Waste & Recycling, Inc., nunc pro tunc, and effective as of June 1, 2020.

Daniel T. Spencer, Mayor

Passed by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester this 16st day of July,

2020.

Vanessa L. Parent, RMC