

R-20-015

TOWNSHIP OF MONTCLAIR

RESOLUTION RENEWING CONTRACT WITH BIGBELLY SOLAR, INC. FOR THE PROVISION AND SERVICING OF FORTY (40) SOLAR POWERED SIDEWALK WASTE BINS WITH AUTOMATIC COMPACTION AND APPROXIMATELY 150 GALLON CAPACITY AND FOR THE UPGRADE OF ALL SEVENTY (70) SOLAR POWERED SIDEWALK WASTE BIN STATIONS IN THE TOWNSHIP TO INCLUDE HOPPER JAM SENSORS AND NEW SIDE PANELS OF THE LATEST DESIGN

January 21, 2020

WHEREAS, on October 12, 2016 the Township of Montclair opened and read bids for the provision and servicing of solar powered sidewalk waste bins with automatic compaction and approximately 150-gallon capacity, as prescribed by law; and

WHEREAS, as authorized by Resolution R-16-220, the Council of the Township of Montclair, in the County of Essex, the Township entered into an agreement with Bigbelly Solar, Inc. on December 6, 2016 for the provision and servicing of forty (40) solar powered sidewalk waste bins with automatic compaction and approximately 150-gallon capacity in the amount of \$5,701 per month for a period of three years (“40 bin Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, as authorized by Resolution R-17-219, the Council of the Township of Montclair, in the County of Essex, the Township entered into an agreement with Bigbelly Solar, Inc. on November 3, 2017 for the provision and servicing of thirty (30) additional sidewalk bins of similar design and capacity for a period of five years (“30 bin Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, the Township desires to renew the 40 bin Agreement, such that it will expire on December 30, 2022, which is the expiration date of the 30 bin Agreement; and

WHEREAS, Bigbelly Solar, Inc. has agreed to reduce the cost of the 40 bin Agreement to \$4,452 per month, and to upgrade all sidewalk waste bin stations (70 stations in total) with hopper jam sensors and new side panels of the latest design; and

WHEREAS, funds for this purpose have been provided for in the 2020 budget identified by account number 01-201-32-465-185 in the accounting records of the Township; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Township of Montclair, in the County of Essex, that the Township of Montclair enter into an agreement with Bigbelly Solar, Inc. renewing the contract for the provision and servicing of forty (40) solar powered sidewalk waste bins with automatic compaction and approximately 150 gallon capacity, and for all sidewalk waste bin stations (70 stations) to be upgraded with hopper jam sensors and new side panels, in the amount of \$4,452 per month commencing February 1, 2020 and ending December 30, 2022; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the amount of the contract is not to exceed \$53,424.00 per year for a total not to exceed amount of \$102,396.00 subject to the adoption of the municipal budgets for year 2020 through and including year 2022, otherwise, the contract cannot exceed the amount available for the temporary budget periods.