


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	21-024	Meeting:	January 25, 2021
	Agenda Item:	41	Roll Call:	21-0114
	Submitted by:	Jonathan A. Gano, P.E., Public Works Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving Fifth Amendment and Renewal of contract for single stream recyclables processing services with Mid-America Recycling, LLC.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend Council approval of amendment to contract between the City of Des Moines and Mid America Recycling, LLC and authorizing the City Manager to execute amendment to the processing contract with Mid America Recycling. The amendment provides for extension through October 2021, scheduled to coincide with the opening of the Metro Waste Authority's (MWA) recyclables processing center.

Due to the short term of the contract, the performance bond requirement is eliminated and fees adjusted to reflect current market conditions.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$140,000

Funding Source: PW250432

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The Public Works Department provides a number of services including the curbside collection and processing of recyclable materials. The Public Works Department entered into a processing contract with Mid America Recycling, LLC under Roll Call Number 08-1271, dated July 14, 2008. The contract allowed for an initial seven (7) year period beginning December 6, 2008 and ending December 31, 2015, with up to two (2) additional five (5) year renewals at the City's discretion.
- Due to the impending opening of the MWA recyclables processing facility, the contract term has been shortened accordingly. By mutual agreement, the term may be further extended if there are scheduling difficulties with the opening of the new MWA facility.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 3, 2019

Roll Call Number: [19-0899](#)

Action: [Fourth](#) Amendment to contract for Single Stream Recyclables Processing Services with MidAmerica Recycling, LLC. ([Council Communication No. 19-261](#)) Moved by Coleman to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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