

May 12, 2020

Mr. Charles Maynard
City Manager
City of Desert Hot Springs
65950 Pierson Boulevard
Desert Hot Springs, California 92240

Via electronic mail cmaynard@cityofdhs.org

RE: ONE-YEAR EXTENSION OF FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

Dear Mr. Maynard:

We appreciate our relationship with the City of Desert Hot Springs and the opportunity to render an important service to a community with great potential.

Pursuant to Sections 4.03 and 11.01.2 of the Franchise Agreement, we are hereby advising you of our intention to extend the term of our Franchise Agreement for Solid Waste and Recycling Materials Collection and Diversion Services to June 30, 2035.

On March 18, 2014, the City Council approved our Franchise Agreement that provided for an Investment Payment of \$1,000,000.00 to the City at a time of financial emergency. The Agreement includes opportunities for our continued investments in the City in exchange for additional one-year extensions.

Five previous one-year extensions have been exercised and accompanied by Re-Investment Payments of \$100,000.00, \$110,000.00, \$120,000.00, \$130,000.00, and \$140,000.00 respectively. The Re-Investment Payment for this sixth one-year extension is \$150,000.00.

We are requesting that this extension of term be acknowledged by an action of the City Council at one of its regular meetings in June 2019, and that the City Clerk provide us a certified copy of that action.

We will deliver our Re-Investment Payment of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000.00) within ten (10) days following the City's acknowledgement.

Please let me know if you have any questions or require any additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

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Rick Wade President

cc: Jerryl Soriano, City Clerk

Luke Rainey, Deputy City Manager