

City Council Agenda Items
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5/7/2013

City Council Meeting Date
Agenda Items Only

Brian Pugh
Submitted By

Solid Waste
Division

Operations
Department

Action Required:

Resolution Authorizing Application for a 2013 ADEQ Recycling Grant through the Boston Mountain Solid Waste District for \$ 30,000 for Indoor Apartment Recycling Containers.

\$ _____ Cost of this request	_____ Category / Project Budget	_____ Program Category / Project Name
_____ Account Number	_____ Funds Used to Date	_____ Program / Project Category Name
_____ Project Number	\$ _____ Remaining Balance	_____ Fund Name

Budgeted Item Budget Adjustment Attached

Don Man 4/19/13
Department Director Date

Previous Ordinance or Resolution # _____

Jo Kelley 4-19-13
City Attorney Date

Original Contract Date: _____

Original Contract Number: _____

Paul a. Becker 4-22-2013
Finance and Internal Services Director Date

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Don Man 4-22-13
Chief of Staff Date


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Donald Jordan 4/23/13
Mayor Date

Comments:

To: Fayetteville City Council

Thru: Mayor Lioneld Jordan
Don Marr, Chief of Staff 
Terry Gulley, Operations Director

From: Brian Pugh, Waste Reduction Coordinator 

Date: April 19th, 2013

Subject: Resolution Authorizing Application for a 2013 ADEQ Recycling Grant through the Boston Mountain Solid Waste District for \$30,000 for Indoor Apartment Recycling Containers.

RECOMMENDATION

Fayetteville City Administration recommends authorizing application for a 2013 Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) recycling grant through the Boston Mountain Solid Waste District for \$30,000 for purchasing indoor apartment recycling containers.

BACKGROUND

Each year the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality issues recycling grants through local Solid Waste Districts to help fund recycling programs. The City has benefited from these grants in the past. The Boston Mountain Solid Waste District compiles the grant pre applications and submits them to their Grant Committee for review. ADEQ no longer requires a signature from the Mayor for the pre application process.

DISCUSSION

This grant will be used to purchase indoor apartment recycling bins or bags for use in apartment complexes that are participating in the Cities apartment recycling program. The City received grants in 2011 and 2012 for outdoor recycling containers at apartments. Staff is currently engaged in a Solid Waste and Recycling Plan that has a goal of providing 30% of the apartment complexes in Fayetteville with recycling service by 2015. These indoor containers will facilitate the recycling efforts by giving apartment residents containers that can be used to store recycling materials until they are taken to the outside containers on site. This effort will help in the educational process of teaching recycling habits to apartment residents.

Agreements with the Apartment owners and managers will make the replacement of lost or stolen containers the responsibility of the apartment complexes. These costs can be recovered through deposit fees secured through rental agreements. Forty six tons of recyclables were collected through the apartment program in 2012.

BUDGET IMPACT

The recycling grant awards are not matching grants, so no City funds are obligated with this request. Upon approval and award of the grant a budget adjustment will be requested to recognize the grant revenue and a capital project will be created.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION APPROVING APPLICATION FOR A 2013 ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY RECYCLING GRANT THROUGH THE BOSTON MOUNTAIN SOLID WASTE DISTRICT OF \$30,000.00 FOR INDOOR APARTMENT RECYCLING CONTAINERS

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby approves applying for a 2013 Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Recycling Grant through the Boston Mountain Solid Waste District of \$30,000.00 for indoor apartment recycling containers.

PASSED and APPROVED this 7th day of May, 2013.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

By: _____
LIONELD JORDAN, Mayor

By: _____
SONDRA E. SMITH, City Clerk/Treasurer

