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County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Brian M. Balbas, Public Works Director/Chief Engineer
Date: November 1, 2022

Subject: APPROVE and AUTHORIZE a Contract with Zero Foodprint, a California Nonprofit Corporation for Public Benefit, Countywide

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Public Works Director, or designee, to execute a contract with Zero Foodprint, in an amount not to exceed \$30,000 for compost broker pilot project services for the period November 1, 2022 through October 31, 2023, Countywide.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Work performed under this contract is funded 100% by the Department of Conservation and Development SB 1383 Grant.

BACKGROUND:

The Public Works Department is responsible for compliance with Senate Bill 1383 regulations regarding recovered organic waste product procurement requirements, as described in the California Code of Regulations Title 14, Division 7, Chapter 12, Article 12 – Procurement of Recovered Organic Waste Products (14 CCR 18993.1 et seq.). Zero Foodprint, a California nonprofit corporation for public benefit, provides compost and mulch procurement and transportation coordination services for the purposes of facilitating compliance with SB 1383. For that reason, the Public Works Department selected Zero Foodprint to perform compost broker services for a one (1) year pilot term. Public Works

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **11/01/2022** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: November 1, 2022

Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

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cc:

anticipates that these services will assist in determining the feasibility in complying with SB 1383 utilizing organic waste derived compost and mulch, in addition to complying with the regulations. This Contract includes modified insurance language, which was approved by Risk Management.

Government Code Section 31000 authorizes the County to contract for services including the type of compost broker services that Zero Foodprint provides.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Without the approval of the Board of Supervisors, Public Works Department will be unable to obtain compost broker services from Zero Foodprint to comply with SB 1383.