

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-93

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE LANDIS SEWERAGE AUTHORITY FOR COMPLETION OF A GRANT FUNDED REFORESTATION PROJECT ON LAND OWNED BY L.S.A.

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-4 (Shared Services Act), permits any local unit of the State to enter into a contract with any other local unit or units for the joint provision within their several jurisdictions of any service which any party to the agreement is empowered to render within its own jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland received a No Net Loss Reforestation Grant from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Parks and Forestry, which includes funding for a reforestation project on land owned by the Landis Sewerage Authority; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland and the Landis Sewerage Authority desire to enter into an agreement to provide for completion of said project; and

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Vineland, as follows:

1. THAT, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S. 40A:65-4 (Shared Services Act), the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute a Shared Services Agreement between the City of Vineland and the Landis Sewerage Authority (the "Lead Agency") for the completion of a grant funded reforestation project on land owned by the L.S.A. in an amount not to exceed \$78,000.00.

2. THAT the L.S.A. ("Lead Agency") shall be responsible for complying with the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S. 40A:11-1 et seq.) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey with respect to the activities implemented under said agreement.

Adopted:

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made by and between the CITY OF VINELAND, hereinafter referred to as “City” and the LANDIS SEWERAGE AUTHORITY hereinafter referred to as “the L.S.A.”;

WITNESSETH:

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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of mutual covenants and terms contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Landis Sewerage Authority agrees to complete the reforestation project on L.S.A. land in accordance with the plan approved by the Division of Parks and Forestry, including, but not limited to: purchase of seedlings from State nursery, planting of seedlings, maintenance of plantings, purchase and installation of related materials including fencing to protect the stand, and related professional services if necessary.
2. The Landis Sewerage Authority agrees to comply with all requirements of said grant agreement applicable to this activity.
3. In consideration of said services, the City of Vineland shall reimburse the Landis Sewerage Authority for expenses incurred in completion of the project which shall not exceed \$300.00 per tree, subject to inspection and approval by the State. The maximum amount of funding available is \$78,000.00.
4. All requests for reimbursement must be in accordance with City Ordinance 1048, incorporated herein by reference.
5. This agreement shall be conditioned upon approval of authorizing resolutions being passed by the City and the L.S.A.

CITY OF VINELAND

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Mayor

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

LANDIS SEWERAGE AUTHORITY

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

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