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MONROE COUNTY, NEW YORK

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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
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Rochester, New York 14614

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Committee Assignment

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Subject: Authorize a Contract with Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc., to Collect, Transport, and Dispose of Household Hazardous Waste to Support the Monroe County Pure Waters Industrial Waste Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize a contract with Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc., in an annual amount not to exceed \$350,000, to collect, transport, and dispose of household hazardous waste (HHW) to support the Monroe County Pure Waters Industrial Waste Program, for the period of January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year extensions. Escalations on the two (2) additional one-year extensions will be limited to an amount equal to the increase in the previous year's Consumer Price Index (U.S. City Average CPI-U from the Bureau of Labor Statistics).

The Department of Environmental Services (DES) has operated a HHW collection program since 1991. The collection program provides residents of Monroe County with an economical, convenient and environmentally sound disposal option for their unwanted, out-dated or banned pesticides, solvents, cleaners, oil base paints and other materials that contain potentially harmful constituents. Since 1991, nearly 5,500 tons of HHW have been collected and approximately 192,000 county residents served. The HHW collection program is operated at the Ecopark on 10 Avion Drive.

This contract will provide the services needed to continue the HHW collection program including the following components: applicable local, state and federal permitting and reporting requirements; furnishing of all equipment and supplies to package wastes for transport and disposal; technical staff to operate the facility on collection days to determine chemical hazards; and provide for final disposal of wastes by environmentally sound methods in full compliance with all local, state and federal laws.

Several consultants were considered, with Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc., rated the most qualified to provide these services. Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc. will provide these services in an annual amount not to exceed \$350,000.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or her designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc., 6057 Corporate Drive, East Syracuse New York 13057, to collect, transport, and dispose of household hazardous waste to support the Monroe County Pure Waters Industrial Waste Program, in an annual amount not to exceed \$350,000, for the period of January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year extensions, with escalations for the extensions to be limited to an amount equal to the increase in the previous year's Consumer Price Index (U.S. City Average CPI-U from the Bureau of Labor Statistics).

Environmental assessments were completed for this action and it was determined that there would be no significant effect on the environment.

Funding for this contract is included in the proposed 2018 operating budget of the Department of Environmental Services, fund 9007, funds center 8572010000, Pure Waters Administration, and will be requested in future years' budgets. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that neither Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc., nor its principal officer, Phillip G. Retallick, Senior Vice President, owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



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