

RESOLUTION NO. 41608

A RESOLUTION relating to renewable energy; authorizing the execution of an amendment to the Renewable Natural Gas Transaction Confirmation Agreement with IGI Resources, Inc., to transfer rights and obligations from IGI Resources, Inc. to BP Energy Company, and to align with United States Environmental Protection Agency regulatory requirements.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the 2008 Climate Action Plan and the Environmental Action Plan, the City has committed to reducing its greenhouse gas emissions, and

WHEREAS the Biogas Utilization Project at the City's Central Treatment
Plant ("CTP") uses the biogas created by wastewater treatment to create
Renewable Natural Gas ("RNG") vehicle fuel, and reduces carbon and pollution
emissions by replacing 35,000 gallons of diesel fuel per month with RNG, and

WHEREAS in December 2017, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 39897 which authorized the City to enter into agreements with Puget Sound Energy, Inc., IGI Resources, Inc., and McKinstry Essention, LLC to manage the production, transportation, and sale of biogas generated at the CTP, and

WHEREAS the proposed amendment to the existing RNG Transaction
Confirmation Agreement with IGI Resources, Inc. is required to meet new
United States Environmental Protection Agency regulatory requirements
outlined in the final rule titled "Renewable Fuel Standard Program: Standard for
2023- 2025 and Other Changes", and



 Adopted _____

WHEREAS the new requirements, known as the Set Rule, also necessitate the transfer of rights and obligations from IGI Resources, Inc. to the BP Energy Company; Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to execute an amendment to the Renewable Natural Gas Transaction Confirmation Agreement with IGI Resources, Inc., to transfer rights and obligations from IGI Resources, Inc. to BP Energy Company, and to align with United States Environmental Protection Agency regulatory requirements, said agreement to be substantially in the form of the documents on file in the office of the City Clerk.

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