

**RESOLUTION 2021-82**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MAGNOLIA  
AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH  
THE BOROUGH OF SOMERDALE FOR THE DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., authorizes any local unit of the State to enter into a contract with any other local unit or units for the joint provision within their jurisdictions of any service which any party to the agreement is empowered to render within its own jurisdiction; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governor of the supporting and advancing solutions to enhance the State of New Jersey is committed to local government shared service provision of local services and alleviate the property tax businesses; and burden on the State's residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the governing body of the Borough of Magnolia recognizes that shared services may result in property tax relief and enhanced services for its constituents; and

**WHEREAS**, in an attempt to receive more favorable prices than the current contract prices and reduce the cost for solid waste disposal for the interested municipalities within Camden County, which collect and haul their solid waste, the Borough of Somerdale intends to solicit bids for the disposal of solid waste for the Borough of Somerdale and any other interested self-hauling municipalities, with the contract beginning January 1, 2022 and being for a period of up to five years; and

**WHEREAS**, it is expected that the commitment of the disposal of the specified, estimated annual tonnage of solid waste from the participating municipalities, which is a tonnage that several disposal facilities have the capacity to handle, will provide for more competitive bid prices, resulting in a reduction in the cost for the disposal of solid waste for all participating municipalities; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to receive the anticipated, reduced costs for the disposal of solid waste, it will be necessary for all participating municipalities to commit to the delivery of their solid waste to the contracted firm's facility; and

**WHEREAS**, it is intended that all participating municipalities will commit to the award of a contract to the lowest responsible bidder if it is determined that the bid price is considered to be a favorable price and results in a reduction in cost for solid waste disposal for each municipality for the intended term of the contract; and


**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Magnolia desires to participate in the shared services contract and be included as a participating municipality in the bid specifications for the disposal of solid waste, beginning on January 2, 2022, with the Borough of Somerdale and any other interested municipality within Camden County;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that Borough Council of the Borough of Magnolia in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey hereby authorizes the participation in the shared services agreement and inclusion in the bid specifications for the disposal of solid waste with the Borough of Somerdale.

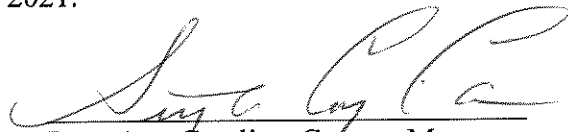
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council commits to the award of a contract if it is determined that the bid price is considered to be a favorable price and results in a reduction of cost for solid waste disposal for each participating municipality for the intended term of the contract.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor or her designee is hereby authorized to represent the Borough of Magnolia, regarding any discussions and matters associated with the disposal of solid waste, under this shared services agreement.

**ADOPTED**, at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Magnolia, County of Camden, State of New Jersey held on April 7, 2021.



Daneen D. Fuss, Municipal Clerk  
Borough of Magnolia



BettyAnn Cowling-Carson, Mayor  
Borough of Magnolia

I, Daneen D. Fuss, Borough Clerk of the Borough of Magnolia, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Magnolia during a meeting held on April 7, 2021.

(SEAL)



Daneen D. Fuss, Municipal Clerk  
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