

## Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County, TN

## Legislation Text

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A resolution approving amendment 1 to the contract between the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County and Lightwave Renewables, LLC for the design, construction, operation, management and administration services related to solar facilities.

WHEREAS, BL2021-877 approved a contract between the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County ("Metro") and Lightwave Renewables, LLC for the design, construction, operation, management and administration services related to solar facilities located at Central Wastewater Treatment Plant, Whites Creek Wastewater Treatment Plan and Omohundro Water Treatment Plan; and,

WHEREAS, Amendment 1 to the contract removes and replaces Exhibit A - Solar Services Agreement to reflect corrected dates, update general language and to allow for Metro to retain accrued Renewable Energy Credits ("RECs"); and,

WHEREAS, BL2021-877 authorized amendments to the legislation by resolution of the Metropolitan Council; and,

WHEREAS, is in the best interest of the Metropolitan Government and the citizens of Nashville and Davidson County that Amendment 1 be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY:

Section 1. That Amendment 1 to the contract between the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County and Lightwave Renewables, LLC, attached hereto and incorporated herein, is hereby approved, and the Metropolitan Mayor is authorized to execute the same.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect from and after its final passage, the welfare of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

## **Analysis**

This resolution approves the first amendment to a contract between the Metropolitan Government and Lightwave Renewables, LLC, for the design, construction, operation, management, and administration services related to solar facilities located at Central Wastewater Treatment Plant, Whites Creek Wastewater Treatment Plan and Omohundro Water Treatment Plan, previously approved by Ordinance No. BL2021-887.

BL2021-877 authorized amendments to the legislation by resolution of the Metropolitan Council.

The amendment under consideration replaces Exhibit A-Solar Services Agreement to the goods and services contract. Changes to the Exhibit A include the accrual to Metro, rather than the service provider, of Environmental Attributes, which are the credits, benefits, emissions reductions, offsets, and allowances (also known as Renewable Energy Credits or "REC"s). Under the previous agreement, RECs accrued to Lightwave Renewables. Dates referenced in the Exhibit A would be corrected.