

INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT

by and among

ALPINE CITY

AMERICAN FORK CITY

THE TOWN OF CEDAR FORT

CEDAR HILLS CITY

EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY

THE TOWN OF FAIRFIELD

HIGHLAND CITY

LEHI CITY

LINDON CITY

OREM CITY

PLEASANT GROVE CITY

THE CITY OF SARATOGA SPRINGS

THE TOWN OF VINEYARD

and

NORTH POINTE SOLID WASTE SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT

Relating to the delivery of municipal solid waste to the District

INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT

THIS IS AN INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT made and entered into by and among Alpine City, American Fork City, The Town Of Cedar Fort, Cedar Hills City, Eagle Mountain City, the Town Of Fairfield, Highland City, Lehi City, Lindon City, Orem City, Pleasant Grove City, Saratoga Springs City, and the Town Of Vineyard, all municipalities of the State of Utah, herein individually referred to as “City” and collectively referred to as “Cities” and the North Pointe Solid Waste Special Service District, a political subdivisions of the State of Utah, herein referred to as “District.” The parties to this Agreement are individually referred to as “Party” and collectively referred to as “Parties”.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Title 11, Chapter 13, Utah Code Annotated, 1953, as amended, public agencies, including political subdivisions of the State of Utah as therein defined, are authorized to enter into written agreements with one another for joint or cooperative action; and

WHEREAS, all of the Parties to this Agreement are public agencies as defined in the Interlocal Cooperation Act; and

WHEREAS, all of the Parties to this Agreement share common issues related to the collection, transfer, transportation, and disposal of municipal solid waste, including curb-side collected waste, waste transported by individual citizens of Cities, and other waste materials; and

WHEREAS, the District was established to provide solid waste services for the Cities and the residents of the Cities; and

WHEREAS, the District has been efficiently and effectively provided these services for over 30 years; and

WHEREAS, the planned construction of the Vineyard Connector road by the Utah Department of Transportation has necessitated the redesign and retrofit of District facilities and daily operations; and

WHEREAS, the District has committed approximately \$1,800,000 toward the redesign and retrofit of its existing transfer station operations; and

WHEREAS, the funding and amortizing of the redesign and retrofit expenses are dependent upon the continued receipt by the District of the curb-side collected waste generated by the citizens of the Cities (all solid waste generated by the citizens of the Cities and collected at curb-side is referred to herein as “Curb-Side Waste”); and

WHEREAS, from 2008 through the completion of the redesign and retrofit of the District facilities, the District will have invested approximately \$5,400,000 in District facilities, and approximately \$1,950,000 in District equipment, to be able to provide solid waste disposal services to the member municipalities and their citizens; and

WHEREAS, the District has renewed its existing contract with Republic Waste Services for the transportation and disposal of waste collected at the transfer station owned and operated by the District; and

WHEREAS, as an additional benefit to the citizens of the Cities, the District also accepts waste transported to the District facilities by the individual citizens of the Cities; and

WHEREAS, the District also provides or participates in various additional expanded waste collection operations and services, including household hazardous waste collection,

assistance with prescription drug collection events, electronics recycling, tire recycling, chlorofluorocarbon (Freon) recovery, and community education; and

WHEREAS, the District is able to provide the expanded waste disposal services to the citizens of the Cities by subsidizing the associated expenses through the Curb-Side Waste receipts; and

WHEREAS, the expanded waste disposal services provided by the District to the citizens of the Cities constitute a direct benefit to the public good by providing for an appropriate disposal facility for such waste, thereby preventing the unlawful or inappropriate disposal of such waste materials; and

WHEREAS, the joint cooperative action of the Cities in committing the delivery of all Curb-Side Waste generated by the citizens of the Cities to the District allows the District to obtain better long term agreements for the transportation and disposal of the waste, providing a lower long term cost to the citizens of the Cities for solid waste disposal; and

WHEREAS, the long term committed delivery of Curb-Side Waste to the District is critical to the ability of the District to meet its commitments and provide solid waste services to the general public;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties do mutually agree, pursuant to the terms and provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, as follows:

Section 1. Effective Date; Duration.

- a. This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement shall become effective and shall enter into force, within the meaning of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, upon the satisfaction of all statutory requirements and the signature of the Agreement by the District

and any other City. This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement shall become effective and shall enter into force with regard to each additional City, upon the satisfaction of all statutory requirements and the signature of the Agreement by the additional City.

- b. The initial term of this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement shall be from the effective date hereof until midnight December 31, 2019, and shall automatically renew for twelve additional terms of two years each; provided that any Party shall have the option to withdraw from this Agreement as of the end of the then existing term, if such Party provides written notice of withdrawal to the District on or before thirteen months prior to the end of the then existing term. By way of illustration, if the withdrawing Party desires to withdraw at the end of the initial term, December 31, 2019, the withdrawing Party would be required to provide written notice to the District prior to December 1, 2018; and if the withdrawing Party desires to withdraw at the end of the second term, December 31, 2021, the withdrawing Party would be required to provide written notice to the District prior to December 1, 2020.
- c. If a Party, after providing the required written notice, withdraws from this Agreement, this Agreement shall not automatically terminate with regard to the remaining Parties, but shall remain in full force and effect as to the remaining Parties. If a Party withdraws from this Agreement, the District shall have no obligation to accept waste from such Party, or from the citizens of such Party, after the effective date of the withdrawal. If the District elects to accept such

waste, the District shall impose such fees as determined by the District, which fees may be in excess of the fees charged to the non-withdrawing Parties.

- d. If a Party withdraws from this Agreement, the withdrawing Party shall automatically forfeit all interest of the withdrawing Party in the District assets. If a Party desires to be reinstated as a party to this Agreement, or later desires to obtain the services provided by the District, the reinstating Party shall provide written notice to the District and shall pay to the District an amount equal to the fair market value of the District assets, computed as of the date of the reinstatement, as determined by the District, times the reinstating Party's percentage of the total annual Curb-Side Waste which would have been received by the District for the calendar year prior to the date of reinstatement, if the reinstating Party had delivered all of its Curb-Side Waste to the District, as documented by the reinstating Party and as verified by the District. By way of illustration, if the reinstating Party generated 5,000 tons of Curb-Side Waste during the calendar year prior to the date of reinstatement, and the District received 95,000 tons of Curb-Side Waste during the calendar year prior to the date of reinstatement, the reinstating Party would have provided 5% of the total of 100,000 tons of Curb-Side Waste received by the District if the reinstating Party had delivered all of its Curb-Side Waste to the District, and the reinstating Party would pay to the District 5% of the fair market value of the District assets. The District shall have the right to reduce the reinstatement fee to such amount as determined to be in the best interest of the District. This reinstatement provision

shall not be applicable to new governmental entities who desire to join as parties to this Agreement. New governmental entities who desire to join as parties to this Agreement shall pay such fee as determined by the District.

Section 2. Administration of Agreement.

The Parties to this Agreement do not contemplate nor intend to establish a separate legal entity under the terms of this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

Section 3. Purpose.

This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement has been established and entered into among the Parties for the purpose of facilitating the efficient operation of solid waste services provided by the District. In accordance with said purpose, the Parties, jointly and severally, agree to the following:

- a. Each City agrees to deliver exclusively to the District, or cause to be delivered exclusively to the District, all of the Curb-Side Waste generated by the citizens of such City.
- b. District agrees to accept from the Cities the Curb-Side Waste, subject to the fee schedules, rules, regulations, and procedures adopted by the District.

Section 4. Manner of Financing.

This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement and the actions contemplated herein shall not receive separate financing, nor shall a separate budget be required. Each Party to this Agreement shall pay for their respective obligations arising under this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

Section 5. Manner of Holding, Acquiring, or Disposing of Property.

The Parties agree that each Party shall maintain separate ownership and control over its own real and personal property.

Section 6. Termination.

This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement shall automatically terminate at the end of the twelfth renewal term as described in Section 1 of this Agreement. This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement may also be terminated in advance of the automatic termination date by mutual written agreement of the Parties.

Section 7. Administrator.

Pursuant to Section 11-13-207, Utah Code Annotated, 1953 as amended, the Parties agree that the District shall act as the administrator responsible for the administration of this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement. The Parties further agree that this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement does not anticipate nor provide for any organizational changes in the Parties.

Section 8. Indemnification.

Each of the Parties is a political subdivision of the State of Utah. Each of the Parties agrees to indemnify and save harmless the others for damages, claims, suits, and actions arising out of such Party's negligent error or omission in connection with this Agreement. It is expressly agreed between the Parties that the obligation to indemnify is limited to the dollar amounts set forth in the Governmental Immunity Act of Utah, Section 63G-7-101, et. seq., Utah Code Annotated, 1953 as amended. The Parties to this Agreement specifically claim the

privileges, protections and immunities of the Governmental Immunity Act of Utah and limits of liability contained therein.

Section 9. Filing Of Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

A copy of this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement shall be placed on file in the office of the District and with the official keeper of records of the Cities, and shall remain on file for public inspection during the term of this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

Section 10. Notices and Contacts.

Any notice required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be deemed sufficient if given by a written communication and shall be deemed to have been received upon personal delivery, actual receipt, or three days after such notice is deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, and certified, and addressed to the Parties as set forth below:

Alpine City
Attn: City Recorder
20 North Main
Alpine, UT 84004

Lehi City
Attn: City Recorder
153 North 100 East
Lehi, UT 84043

American Fork City
Attn: City Recorder
51 East Main
American Fork, UT 84003

Lindon City
Attn: City Recorder
100 North State Street
Lindon City, UT 84042

The Town of Cedar Fort
Attn: Town Recorder
50 East Center Street
Cedar Fort, UT 84013

Orem City
Attn: City Recorder
56 North State Street
Orem, UT 84057

City of Cedar Hills
Attn: City Recorder
10246 North Canyon Road
Cedar Hills, UT 84062

Pleasant Grove City
Attn: City Recorder
70 South 100 East
Pleasant Grove, UT 84062

Eagle Mountain City
Attn: City Recorder
1650 East Stagecoach Run
Eagle Mountain, UT 84005

City of Saratoga Springs
Attn: City Recorder
1307 North Commerce Drive, #200
Saratoga Springs, UT 84045

Town of Fairfield
Attn: Town Recorder
PO Box 271
Fairfield, UT 84013

Town of Vineyard
Attn: Town Recorder
240 East Gammon Road
Vineyard, UT 84058

Highland City
Attn: City Recorder
5400 West Civic Center, Suite 1
Highland, UT 84003

North Pointe Solid Waste
Special Service District
Attn: District Manager
2000 West 200 South
Lindon, UT 84042

Section 11. Additional Provisions.

- a. Titles and Captions. All section or subsection titles or captions herein are for convenience only. Such titles and captions shall not be deemed part of this Agreement and shall in no way define, limit, augment, extend or describe the scope, content or intent of any part or parts hereof.
- b. Applicable Law. The provisions of this Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Utah.
- c. Integration. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties pertaining to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings pertaining thereto.
- d. Time. Time is of the essence of this Agreement.
- e. Waiver. No failure by any Party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement or condition of this Agreement or to exercise any right or remedy based upon a breach thereof shall constitute a waiver of any such

breach or of such or any other covenant, agreement, term or condition. Any Party may, by notice delivered in the manner provided in this Agreement, but shall be under no obligation to, waive any of its rights or any conditions to its obligations hereunder, or any duty, obligation or covenant of any other Party. No waiver shall affect or alter the remainder of this Agreement but each and every other covenant, agreement, term and condition hereof shall continue in full force and effect with respect to any other then existing or subsequently occurring breach.

- f. Rights and Remedies. Any party in breach of this Agreement shall be liable for all damages arising out of such breach, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law. The rights and remedies of the Parties hereto shall not be mutually exclusive, and the exercise of one or more of the provisions of this Agreement shall not preclude the exercise of any other provisions hereof.
- g. Severability. In the event that any condition, covenant or other provision hereof is held to be invalid or void, the same shall be deemed severable from the remainder of this Agreement and shall in no way affect any other covenant or condition herein contained. If such condition, covenant or other provision shall be deemed invalid due to its scope or breadth, such provision shall be deemed valid to the extent of the scope or breadth permitted by law. To the extent permitted by applicable law, the Parties hereby waive any provision of law which would render any of the terms of this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement unenforceable.

- h. Litigation. If any action, suit or proceeding is brought by a Party hereto with respect to a matter or matters covered by this Agreement, all costs and expenses of the prevailing Party incident to such proceeding, including reasonable attorneys' fees, shall be paid by the non prevailing Party.
- i. Recitals. The Recitals, as set forth above, are incorporated into this Agreement.
- j. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
- k. Amendments. This Interlocal Cooperation Agreement may not be amended, changed, modified or altered except by an instrument in writing which shall be approved and executed in compliance with the requirements of the Interlocal Cooperation Act.
- l. No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement is not intended to benefit any party or person not named herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have signed and executed this Interlocal Cooperation Agreement on the dates listed below:

ALPINE CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

AMERICAN FORK CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

TOWN OF CEDAR FORT

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

TOWN RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

TOWN ATTORNEY

CEDAR HILLS

Authorized and passed on the 4th day of March, 2014.


MAYOR

ATTEST:


CITY RECORDER



Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:


CITY ATTORNEY

EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

TOWN OF FAIRFIELD

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

TOWN RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

TOWN ATTORNEY

HIGHLAND CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

LEHI CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

LINDON CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

OREM CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

PLEASANT GROVE CITY

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

THE CITY OF SARATOGA SPRINGS

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

CITY ATTORNEY

TOWN OF VINEYARD

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

TOWN RECORDER

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

TOWN ATTORNEY

NORTH POINTE SOLID WASTE SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT

Authorized and passed on the _____ day of _____, 2013.

By: _____
RANDY FARNWORTH, Chair

ATTEST:

Reviewed as to proper form and compliance with applicable law:

H. CRAIG HALL, Attorney