



AMENDMENT EXTENDING TERM OF
JOINT POWERS AGENCY (JPA)
- SONOMA COUNTY WASTE MANAGEMENT
AGENCY (SCWMA)

City Council Meeting
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Background

- In 1992, the City entered into an Agreement with the County and other Cities of Sonoma County to create a Joint Powers Agency to deal with wood waste, yard waste, household hazardous waste and public education. This agency became known as the Sonoma County Waste Management Agency (SCWMA).
- The Agreement provided for a term of 25 years. The current agreement is therefore scheduled to terminate in February 2017.

Background

- The proposed extension would allow for time to resolve litigation and explore a third party taking over the operations of the JPA or allow the City to explore its own options for these services.

Recommendation

- It is recommended by the City Manager and City Attorney that the Council authorize the City Manager to execute an Amendment to the Joint Powers Agreement extending the term of the Agency for one year to February 11, 2018.

QUESTIONS

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