




Howard County

Internal Memorandum

Subject: Testimony & Fiscal Impact Statement

Council Bill No. _____ - 2017 pursuant to Section 612 of the Howard County Charter, approving a Planned and Scheduled Maintenance Agreement between Nixon Power Services, LLC d/b/a Nixon Energy Solutions and Howard County, Maryland that requires certain indemnification in future fiscal years.

To: Lonnie R. Robbins
Chief Administrative Officer

From: James M. Irvin, Director 
Department of Public Works

Date: January 25, 2017

The Department of Public Works has been designated coordinator for preparation of testimony relative to the above referenced Council Bill approving a Planned and Scheduled Maintenance Agreement between Nixon Power Services, LLC (Nixon Energy Solutions) and Howard County, Maryland that requires certain indemnification in future fiscal years.

Nixon Energy Solutions was selected in a sole-source procurement for a one year contract with the option for two one-year extensions. The contract is for the maintenance and service of the gas-to-energy generator located at Alpha Ridge landfill. Contract provisions require the County to indemnify the contractor in certain situations. Since this may require payment of funds in a future fiscal year, it is subject to County Council approval as a multi-year agreement.

Costs of services are paid from the Trash/Recycling Fund. There is no annual fiscal impact to the County General Fund.

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cc: Jennifer Sager
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