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**PURCHASING ITEM
FOR
COUNCIL AGENDA**

1. Agenda Item Number:

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2. Council Meeting Date:
April 11, 2013

TO: MAYOR & COUNCIL

3. Date Prepared: March 26, 2013

THRU: CITY MANAGER

4. Requesting Department: Municipal Utilities

5. SUBJECT: Refuse/Recycling Container and Parts Purchase

6. RECOMMENDATION: Recommend approval to use the National Intergovernmental Purchasing Alliance (NIPA) contract to purchase refuse and recycling containers and parts from Toter Incorporated in an amount not to exceed \$350,000.

7. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION: The Solid Waste Services Division uses approximately 4,400 refuse and recycling plastic rollout containers annually. The containers are provided for new home construction and also for existing homes requiring a replacement container. Approximately 1,200 replacement parts, consisting of lids and wheels are used for container repairs. These parts are used for containers after the warranty expiration.

8. EVALUATION PROCESS: The recommended purchase was bid by the NIPA with City of Tucson as the lead agency. The requested contract was awarded in January 2013. The requested amount is based on the estimated usage for one year (4,400 containers, 800 lids, and 400 container wheel sets). Staff recommends container and parts purchase from Toter Incorporated due to exceedingly low failure rates with the recommended product.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Cost: \$350,000
Savings: NA
Long Term Cost: NA

<u>Account No.</u>	<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Program Name</u>	<u>CIP Funded</u>	<u>Funds</u>
626.3700.5322.0	Container Fund	Other Supplies	No	\$350,000

10. PROPOSED MOTION: Move to approve use of the NIPA contract to purchase refuse and recycling containers and parts from Toter Incorporated, in an amount not to exceed \$350,000.

APPROVALS

11. Requesting Department

Sheree Sepulveda, Solid Waste Manager

13. Department Head

Dave Siegel, Municipal Utilities Director

12. Procurement Officer

Mike Mandt

14. City Manager

Rich Dlugas