Municipal Services.

Favorable. January 28, 1999

ORDER OF THE NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ALDERMEN AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY HAZWASTE CENTRAL AND THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE.

WHEREAS: One-day collections for the proper disposal of household hazardous waste [products held by individual municipalities are costly, and matching funds from the Department of Environmental Protection for these collections are no longer available; and

WHEREAS: Providing its citizens with a way to safely dispose of hazardous chemicals that might otherwise pose a risk to human health or to the environment is in the best interest of the City; and

WHEREAS: The South Central Connecticut Regional Water Authority, as agent for the South Central Regional Council of Governments and participating municipalities, operates a regional facility for the collection of household hazardous wastes at it's headquarters at 90 Sargent Drive in New Haven and manages and operates the facility for the benefit of participating municipalities; and

WHEREAS: Residents from the participating municipalities are able to drop off their household hazardous wastes on Saturday mornings from Spring through Fall for proper processing, transportation and disposal; and

WHEREAS: The City of New Haven Code of Ordinances Section 2-40 states that no contract to be executed by the City after one year from the date therefore, shall be binding on the City, unless expressly authorized by law, or by a vote of the Board of Aldermen. Any City contract that does not have to go to bid that costs in excess of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) shall require prior approval of the Board of Aldermen.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED that the New Haven Board of Aldermen, the legislative body of the City of New Haven, declares its intent to participate in the regional household hazardous waste collection center for a period of three years and confirms its intent to contribute financially for the operation, processing, transportation and disposal of household hazardous waste.

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that the Mayor is authorized extend the existing agreement with the South Central Connecticut Regional Water Authority for the operation of the facility for the period of July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2002 at a total cost to the City of \$99,000 for the life of the three-year agreement. Such agreement will permit the Authority to act as its agent to maintain the regional household hazardous waste collection center, to contract with a vendor for the transportation and disposal of wastes, to receive financial support from grant sources, to enter into agreement with other municipalities and to operate the facility.

hazwaste.doc

LEB | | 45 LH . 33

RECEIVED MAR 0 8 1999

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of New Haven:

DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

YOUR COMMITTEE ON
Municipal Services

TO WHOM WAS REFERRED THE PETITION OF

Communication from the Acting Director of Public Works, an order authorizing the City of New Haven to enter into an agreement with the Regional Water Authority HazWaste Central for the Collection and disposal of household hazarrdous waste.

BEG LEAVE TO REPORT THAT ON THE 21st DAY OF January 99 NOTICE OF HEARING ON SAID PETITION WAS ADVERTISED IN ALL REGISTER NEWS-1 TIME LEGAL NOTICES
PAPERS IN THE CITY; THAT ON THE DAY OF 28th January 19 99 A PUBLIC COMMUNICATION
HEARING ON SAID PETITION WAS HELD IN PURSUANCE OF SAID NOTICE.

YOUR COMMITTEE ON DUE EXAMINATION ARE OF THE OPINION THAT THE PRAYER OF SAID PETITIONER SHOULD BE GRANTED.

THEY THEREFORE RESPECTFULLY RECOMMEND THE PASSAGE OF THE FOLLOWING ORDER.

ALL OF WHICH IS RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

CHAIRMAN.

DAVID MOAKLEY

ORDERED THAT