

**RESOLUTION NO. 2015.118****A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA, COMMITTING TO THE ADOPTION OF AND SUPPORT FOR AN INCREASED SOLID WASTE DIVERSION RATE ACROSS ALL CATEGORIES OF SOLID WASTE.**

WHEREAS, the City of Tempe is dedicated to sustainable solutions for city services and for residents alike;

WHEREAS, the City of Tempe has shown its commitment to conserving the city's resources;

WHEREAS, the City of Tempe has led by example in the development of innovative programs for diverting solid waste away from landfills;

WHEREAS, the City of Tempe makes a commitment to support local, state, and federal policies that promote recycling and waste-reduction programs;

WHEREAS, the city of Tempe is dedicated to partnering with innovators in the industry to identify and develop creative solutions and programs to increase diversion rates from local landfills;

WHEREAS, the City of Tempe desires to set individual goals for rate of waste diversion in the areas of single-family and multi-family residential, commercial, and citywide to be achieved by the year 2020;

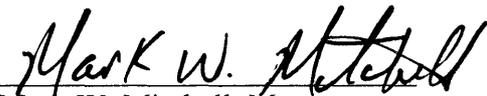
WHEREAS, the City of Tempe will reevaluate these goals annually after an initial six-month review;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA, as follows:

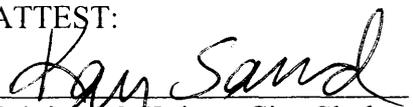
That the City of Tempe hereby commits to adopt and support the solid waste diversion goals listed below by the year 2020.

1. A diversion goal of 40% for single family residential waste.
2. A diversion goal of 9% in multi-family residential waste.
3. A diversion goal of 25% in commercial/industrial waste.
4. A diversion goal of 25% for the citywide average.

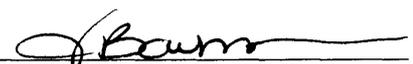
PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPE,  
ARIZONA, THIS 22nd day of October, 2015.

  
Mark W. Mitchell, Mayor

ATTEST:

*for*   
Brigitta M. Kuiper, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
Judith R. Baumann, City Attorney