

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-89

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FOSTER CITY AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH THE VOTE SOLAR INITIATIVE, A PROJECT OF THE TIDES CENTER, FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF A REGIONAL COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL SOLAR BULK PURCHASE PROGRAM

CITY OF FOSTER CITY

WHEREAS, private residents can obtain renewable energy generation systems more easily and at a lower cost by participating in regional "group buy" programs that leverage economies of scale; and

WHEREAS, by entering into an agreement with Vote Solar Initiative to provide program administration, the City can provide an opportunity for its residents to participate in a regional "group buy" program; and

WHEREAS, encouraging community installation of renewable generation systems will help the City reach its clean energy and emissions reduction goals outlined in the Sustainable Foster City plan and the Climate Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, there is no cost to the City to take a leading role in the community residential solar bulk purchase program if it partners with other regional agencies to provide at least 40,000 contacts for the program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Foster City does hereby the Mayor to sign an agreement with Vote Solar Initiative for the administration of a regional Community Residential Solar Bulk Purchase Program with Foster City as the leading agency.

PASSED AND ADOPTED as a resolution of the City Council of the City of Foster City at the regular meeting held on the on the 4th day of August, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Okamoto, Perez, Pollard and Mayor Bronitsky

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: Councilmember Kiesel



CHARLIE BRONITSKY, MAYOR

ATTEST:



DORIS L. PALMER, CITY CLERK