

lished; and (2) return receipts of the mailing referred to in Section 3, and shall further complete and execute the Certificate of Effect attached hereto.

Edgar L. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:

Neta P. Sacra, City Clerk

**Charter Amendment Resolution Number 1969-3
Resolution Number 163**

Resolution of the City of Greenbelt adopted pursuant to the authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition as amended) title "Corporation-Municipal," sub-title, "Home Rule," to amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, said charter being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and containing in whole or in part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, by repealing Section 40-59, title "Same; Contracts for Improvements."

Section 1. BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland that the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, said Charter being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and containing in whole or in part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, shall be amended by repealing Section 40-59, title "Contracts for Improvements," which section duplicates in part Section 40-40, title "Purchases."

~~[40-50. Contracts for Improvements.~~

~~Any city improvement costing more than \$1,000,000, or larger amount if fixed by ordinance, shall be approved by the City Council and contract entered into by the City Manager. All such contracts shall be awarded to the bidder who offers the lowest or best bid, quality of goods, time of delivery, and responsibility of bidder being considered, after such public notice and competition as may be prescribed by ordinance, provided the City Manager shall have the power to reject all bids, advertise again, or refer back to City Council for recommendations.~~

~~City Council may authorize any city improvements to be executed directly by the city departments in conformity with detailed plans, specifications and estimates. A copy of all invitations for bids or public notices shall be furnished to each Council member at the same time as the public notice or invitation is made, as well as a summary of the bids received.]~~

Section 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the date of the adoption of the Resolution is May 19, 1969 and that the amendment to the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, hereby proposed by this enactment, shall be and become effective on July 8, 1969 unless a proper petition for a referendum hereon shall be filed as permitted by law. A complete and exact copy of the Resolution shall be posted in the City office until June 28, 1969, and a copy of the title of this Resolution shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Greenbelt not less than four (4) times at weekly intervals before June 28, 1969.