

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING THE NON-	)	RESOLUTION NO. 25-5530
SYSTEM LICENSE (NO. N-028-25) ISSUED TO	)	
EPSON PORTLAND, INC. TO INCLUDE	)	Introduced by Chief Operating Officer
TRANSPORT OF PUTRESCIBLE WASTE TO	)	Marissa Madrigal in concurrence with
THE SPOKANE WASTE-TO-ENERGY	)	Council President Lynn Peterson
FACILITY FOR DISPOSAL	)	

WHEREAS, Metro Code Chapter 5.05 requires a non-system license (“NSL”) of any person that transports solid waste generated from within the Metro Region to a non-system facility; and

WHEREAS, Epson Portland, Inc. holds Metro NSL No. N-028-25 that expires on December 31, 2027, and authorizes the transport of industrial non-putrescible solid waste to Spokane Waste-to-Energy in Spokane, Washington.

WHEREAS, Epson Portland, Inc. submitted a complete application in September 2025 seeking to amend its NSL No. N-028-25 to include transport of putrescible solid waste to Spokane Waste-to-Energy for disposal under the provisions of Metro Code Chapter 5.05, “Solid Waste Flow Control”; and

WHEREAS, Metro Code Chapter 5.05 provides that the Chief Operating Officer will review an application for an NSL for putrescible waste and that Metro Council has authority to approve or deny the application; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Operating Officer has analyzed the application and considered the relevant factors under Metro Code and the Council incorporates the Chief Operating Officer’s analysis as set forth in Exhibit B to this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Operating Officer recommends that Metro issue amended NSL No. N-028-25(A) to Epson Portland, Inc as provided in Exhibit A to the Resolution; now therefore.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Metro Council:

1. Approves Epson Portland, Inc.’s amended NSL application subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations contained in Exhibit A to this Resolution.
2. Authorizes the Chief Operating Officer to issue Epson Portland, Inc. an amended NSL substantially similar to the one attached as Exhibit A, to expire on December 31, 2027.
3. Has considered the factors described in Metro Code Section 5.05.140 as further set forth in Exhibit B.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 30th day of October 2025.

Approved as to Form:

Lynn Peterson, Council President

Carrie MacLaren, Metro Attorney