RESOLUTION
OF THE
UNION COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Resolution No.: 66-2025
Date: November 12, 2025

Approved as to form:
Bianka Vargas, Clerk
Approved as to sufficiency of funds:
John Cuiffo , Acting Comptroller
[X] YES [ ] NO [ ] NONE REQUIRED

AUTHORIZING THE HIRING OF A SOLID WASTE COMPLIANCE INSPECTOR

WHEREAS, due to a vacancy in the position of Compliance Inspector, in order to continue implementing an effective and comprehensive solid waste compliance program, it is the recommendation of the Executive Director and the Personnel, Procurement and Insurance Committee that there is a need to hire an additional Compliance Inspector to maintain the full complement of such inspectors; and

WHEREAS, upon consultation with Counsel, the Executive Director and the Personnel, Procurement and Insurance Committee have recommended hiring Diogenes Mercedes as Solid Waste Compliance Inspector at the appropriate salary level provided in the collective bargaining agreement between the Authority and the exclusive bargaining representative for all non-supervisory Compliance Inspectors, Teamsters Local 125.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Union County Utilities Authority as follows:

1) The above recitals are incorporated herein as if fully set forth at length.

3) This Board hereby authorizes the Executive Director to hire Diogenes Mercedes as a Solid Waste Compliance Inspector, at a salary of $46,000.00 which is commensurate with the salary negotiated with Teamsters Local 125.

4) Said employment shall become effective on or after December 1, 2025, and is subject to satisfactory completion of a physical examination and substance abuse screening.

5) This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

	PRESENT	ABSENT	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	MOTION	SECOND
Eastman		✓					
Figueiredo	✓		✓				
Holder	✓		✓				✓
Jackus	✓		✓				
Kahn	✓		✓				
McManus	✓		✓				
Rachlin	✓		✓				
Scutari	✓		✓			✓	
Szpond	✓		✓				
Alma, Alternate No. 1	✓		✓				
Scott-Bey, Alternate No. 2	✓						