

RESOLUTION NO. 2301

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF \$3,850 FROM THE HEALTH INSURANCE TRUST TO FUND THE CITY'S PORTION OF THE COST TO ENGAGE BOLTON PARTNERS TO PROVIDE CONSULTING SERVICES TO THE WICOMICO COUNTY PUBLIC ENTITIES HEALTH INSURANCE CONSORTIUM TO GO THROUGH A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS PROCESS FOR HEALTH INSURANCE

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Salisbury have authorized the City to participate in the Wicomico County Public Entities Health Insurance Consortium; and

WHEREAS, the Consortium has had a contractual relationship with CareFirst Blue Cross/Blue Shield since it was established in 2001; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Consortium believe that it is in the best interests of the Consortium to seek competitive bids for the administration of the program from time to time to ensure that the Consortium is being provided such services on an cost-effective and efficient basis; and

WHEREAS, the Consortium members have been given a quote of \$35,000 from Bolton Partners to provide consulting services through the bidding process for the administrative services for the Consortium's health insurance program; and


WHEREAS, the City's proportionate share of this cost, based on the number of employees is \$3,850; and

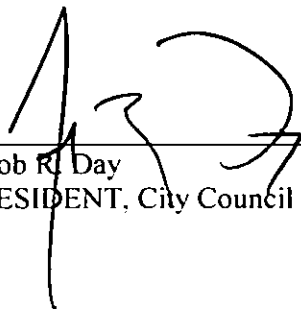
WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council believe that seeking competitive bids for the administration of the health insurance program would be in the best interests of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Salisbury City Council hereby authorizes the expenditure of \$3,850 from the Health Insurance Trust to engage the services of Bolton Partners to conduct the bidding process for the Wicomico County Public Entities Health Insurance Consortium's Health Insurance program.

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2013 and is to become effective immediately upon adoption.

ATTEST:

  
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Kimberly R. Nichols  
CITY CLERK

  
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Jacob R. Day  
PRESIDENT, City Council

APPROVED by me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of  
July, 2013

James Ireton, Jr.  
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MAYOR, City of Salisbury