



Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government  
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

Jim Gray  
Mayor

Sally Hamilton  
Commissioner, General Services

## MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Jim Gray  
Urban County Council Members

From: Jerry Hancock, Director, Parks and Recreation *J. Hancock*  
Sally Hamilton, Commissioner of General Services

Subj: Donation of Big Belly solar powered trash compactor

Date: June 5, 2012

A press conference was held earlier this year to announce the donation and installation of a Big Belly solar powered trash compactor for the Fifth Third Pavilion area in Cheapside Park in downtown Lexington.

This letter is to request Urban County Council approval of acceptance of this generous donation, which was made by Creation Technologies of Lexington Kentucky, and is valued at \$4,080.00. It will help keep downtown Lexington beautiful.

Big Belly Solar is a leading global provider of innovative and sustainable information solutions for the management of waste & recycling, with more than 800 customers in virtually every US state and 30 countries overseas. Big Belly Solar is enabling customer practices that are more environmentally sustainable, displacing fossil fuel usage through renewable energy, increasing recycling rates, reducing litter and associated public health concerns, and creating a messaging platform to engage users and influence more environmentally-conscious behaviors.

Please call me if you have any questions on this fine example of partnering with the community.