Introduced: Ms. Davis

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RESOLUTION NUMBER 2080

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE NEGOTIATED PURCHASE OF PACKING, SHIPPING AND STORAGE SERVICES FOR THE MUSEUM COLLECTION FROM ELY, INC. OF FORESTVILLE AT AN ESTIMATED COST OF \$15,000.

WHEREAS, the FY 2020 Budget includes funds to provide for off-site storage for the Greenbelt Museum's collection of artifacts, furniture and other items; and

WHEREAS, many or the Museum's artifacts and furnishings are unique historic items which require appropriate care and proper storage; and

WHEREAS, the Museum Director and the Friends of the Greenbelt Museum (FOGM) identified a firm, Ely, Inc. with specialized experience in collections relocation and storage of Museum artifacts; and

WHEREAS, under the close supervision of the Museum Director, Ely Inc. has begun the process of carefully packing and transferring the collection to their facility in Forestville. NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that the City Manager be authorized to contract with Ely, Inc. to provide packing, shipping and storage services at an estimated cost of \$15,000 in FY 2020.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at its regular meeting of February 10, 2020.

Colin A. Byrd, Mayor

ATTEST:

Bonita Anderson, City Clerk