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**AGENDA: SEPTEMBER 19, 2000**  
September 7, 2000

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
701 Ocean Street  
Santa Cruz, California 95060

SUBJECT: BUENA VISTA LANDFILL GAS POWER PROJECT

Members of the Board:

On June 13, 2000, your Board directed Public Works to return today with a status report on the development of the Buena Vista Landfill Gas Power Project. In our previous correspondence, your Board approved a contract for Advanced Energy Strategies (AES), an economic consultant specializing in energy projects, to assist in development of baseline economics, respond to proposals, and provide updates on current and future market conditions that may affect this project.

AES owner, Dr. Dean Tibbs, was unfortunately unable to work on our project for several weeks due to an unforeseen personal matter, and negotiations and economic review for our project was temporarily deferred. Work on this project has now resumed and is expected to be completed by November 2000.

It is therefore recommended that the Board of Supervisors take the following action:

1. Accept and file the report on the Buena Vista Landfill Gas Power Project,
2. Direct Public Works to return on or before November 14, 2000, with a status report and final recommendations on the Buena Vista Landfill Gas Power Project.

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RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

County Administrative Officer

copy to: Public Works  
Brown, Vence and Associates

Yours truly,

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