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AGENDA: NOVEMBER 21, 2000

November 8, 2000

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

701 Ocean Street
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SUBJECT: SELECTION SUMMARY AND CONTRACT AWARD FOR SOLID WASTE CONSULTANT ENGINEERING SERVICES

Members of the Board:

The Department of Public Works has completed the selection process for solid waste consulting and engineering services. Eleven Statements of Qualification were received and reviewed for completeness, experience and overall qualification. The six most qualified and experienced consultants were selected for further review and reference checks. Based on the reference checks and further review of each firm's capabilities, the three most qualified consultants were selected to submit formal proposals: **CH2M Hill**, **URS Corporation** and **GeoSyntec Consultants**.

Final proposals were received on October 27, 2000, and presentations and interviews were conducted on November 2, 2000, with the top three candidates. The interview panel was composed of Public Works' engineering staff and a representative from the City of Santa Cruz's Public Works, Solid Waste Division. After thorough review of all information submitted and presented in response to the Request for Proposal, the review panel has recommended GeoSyntec Consultants of Walnut Creek as Public Works' next solid waste consulting engineer. Contract negotiations are currently underway with GeoSyntec Consultants and we anticipate returning to your Board with a contract by December 12, 2000.

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

1. Accept and file this report on the selection process for solid waste consultant engineering services.

2. Direct Public Works to return on December 12, 2000, with a contract for solid waste consulting engineering services with **GeoSyntec** Consultants.

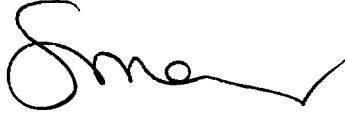
Yours truly,



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RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:



County Administrative Officer

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