

County of Santa Cruz

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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AGENDA: SEPTEMBER 25,2001

September 13,2001

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 19,2001, your Board approved development of the Buena Vista Landfill Gas Power Project and directed Public Works to return with a status report on our progress. We are currently in the midst of final negotiations with the California Department of Water and Power regarding electricity sales from our project. In addition, the County's development partner on this project, Brown, Vence and Associates LFG, Inc. is working with staff on the final aspects of the outside financing for this project. We anticipate an additional two to three weeks will be needed to finalize the power sales agreement and complete the outside financing arrangements, at which time we can provide your Board with a more thorough update on the project.

It is therefore recommended that the Board of Supervisors defer the status report on the Buena Vista Landfill Gas Power to on or before October 16,2001.

Yours truly,

THOMAS L. BOLICH Director of Public Works

RPM:abc Attachments

RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

County Administrative Officer

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