

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL

To: Cara Morgan
Division Chief

From: Amalia Fernandez
Integrated Waste Management Specialist

Request Date: July 20, 2010

Decision Subject: Amended Nondisposal Facility Element For The City Of Carson, Los Angeles County

Action By: August 20, 2010

Summary of Request:

Public Resources Code (PRC) Sections 40900 et seq., describe the requirements to be met by cities and counties when developing and implementing integrated waste management plans. PRC Sections 41730 et seq. require that each city and county prepare and adopt a Nondisposal Facility Element (NDFE) which includes a description of existing and new nondisposal facilities, and the expansion of existing nondisposal facilities, which will be needed to implement a jurisdiction's Source Reduction and Recycling Element (SRRE), to enable it to meet the requirements of PRC Section 41780. Cities and counties must amend their NDFE if they are adding or deleting facilities.

The City of Carson has submitted an NDFE amendment for the facility identified below. Based on review of the amended NDFE, staff found that all of the foregoing requirements have been satisfied and that the amended NDFE substantially complies with PRC Sections 41730, et seq., and recommends approval. This memo requests approval of the City of Carson's amended NDFE.

Facility Name: Pico Rivera Materials Recovery Facility		
<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing, but newly added to NDFE	<input type="checkbox"/> Expanded
Type	Large volume materials recovery facility	
Location	8405 Loch Lomond Dr., Pico Rivera, CA 90660	
Capacity	Based on 2007 records, the current peak loading is 327 tons per day (tpd) and the average daily throughput is approximately 234 tpd. The facility has a maximum design storage capacity of 376 tons.	
Participating Jurisdictions	Carson, Inglewood, Long Beach, Manhattan Beach, Pico Rivera, Rancho Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills Estates, Banning, Beaumont, Moreno Valley, Murrieta, Los Angeles and Riverside Counties	

Anticipated Diversion Rate (%)	The diversion rate is estimated at 58 percent based on an average daily throughput of 234 tpd (2007 records) and an approximate 97 tons of residual solid waste material transfer to a Waste Management disposal facility. The operation of the facility will permit an increase in recycling tonnage by an estimated 25 percent of recyclable materials per the Conditional Use Permit.
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The jurisdiction has adequately addressed all requirements by submitting the information noted below:

City of Carson	Yes	No
Local Task Force comments	X	
3-day public notice	X	
Resolution adopting amendment	X	
Amendment includes required information for facility type	X	

Recommendation:

Based on staff review of the City of Carson's amended NDFE Report, staff found that the requirements have been satisfied and agrees with approving the amended NDFE. Therefore, staff recommends approval of the City of Carson's amended NDFE.

Division Chief Action:

On the basis of the information and analysis in this Request for Action and the background information and findings set out herein, I hereby approve the City of Carson's amended NDFE.

Dated: 9/23/10

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