

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL

To: Cara Morgan
Branch Chief

From: Diana Suarez-Arguelles
Integrated Waste Management Specialist

Request Date: 10/20/2010

Decision Subject: Amended Nondisposal Facility Element For The City Of Rialto, San Bernardino County

Action By: 11/20/2010

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 expanding facilities. Jurisdictions are not required to amend their NDFE if they stop using a facility identified in the NDFE; however, if they want to remove the facility from the NDFE, an amendment is required.

The City of Rialto 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's amended NDFE to add a new facility.

Facility Name: Rentech, Inc.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing, but newly added to NDFE <input type="checkbox"/> Expanded <input type="checkbox"/> Deleted
Type	Rentech, Inc. will accept woody green waste to generate power and produce feedstock that will be used to manufacture liquid fuels (including synthetic diesel and naphtha).
Location	249 E. Santa Ana Avenue, Rialto, CA
Capacity	3,100 tons per day
Participating Jurisdictions	Estimated 50 mile radius including the incorporated and unincorporated areas of San Bernardino, Riverside and Los Angeles

	Counties.
Anticipated Diversion Rate (%)	85%

The jurisdiction has adequately addressed all requirements by submitting the information noted below:

City of Rialto	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'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 Rialto's amended NDFE.

Branch 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's amended NDFE.

Dated: 11/16/10

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