

FACILITY AND PLAN REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE

Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/
Integrated Waste Management Task Force

Minutes of February 17, 2005

County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works
900 South Fremont Avenue
Alhambra, California

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Albert Avoian, Business/Commerce Representative
Betsey Landis, Environmental Organization Representative
Michael Miller, League of California Cities-Los Angeles Division
Mike Mohajer, General Public Representative

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS NOT PRESENT

Charles Boehmke, County Sanitation Districts of L.A. County
John Gulledge, County Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County
Rafael Prieto, City of Los Angeles
Pete Oda, County of Los Angeles Department of Health Services

OTHERS PRESENT

Carlos Ruiz, County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works
Shari Afshari, County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works
Martins Aiyetiwa, County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works
Damian Skinner, City of Culver City
Mark Alpers, Environmental Science Associates

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 p.m.

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF October 21, 2004

The minutes of October 21, were unanimously approved.

II. AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF CULVER CITY'S NONDISPOSAL FACILITY ELEMENT

Mr. Aiyetiwa stated that Culver City wants to amend its Nondisposal Facility Element (NDFE) to include the City's proposed expansion of its existing transfer station, which would allow the transfer station to accept a capacity of up to 1,056 tons per day (tpd) and to change the weekday hours of operation from 4:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Mr. Aiyetiwa stated staff found the City's request to be consistent with the Countywide Integrated Waste Management Plan, and complies with the requirements of State regulations, therefore, he recommended the Task Force's approval of the proposed amendment.

In response to questions from the subcommittee, Mr. Skinner clarified that the transfer station only accepts municipal solid waste and green waste and does not accept commingled waste from collection trucks. All green waste and construction and demolition waste are recovered from the waste received at the transfer station.

A motion was made by Mr. Mike Mohajer that the NDFE amendment submitted by staff be approved.

The Facility and Plan Review Subcommittee unanimously voted to recommend approval of the City of Culver City's NDFE.

III. OPEN DISCUSSION/PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments received.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 12:20 p.m.