

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL

To: Cara Morgan
Division Chief

From: Cindi Rumenapp
Integrated Waste Management Specialist

Request Date: April 5, 2010

Decision Subject: Amended Nondisposal Facility Element For The County of Butte

Action By: May 5, 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 solid waste facilities, and the expansion of existing solid waste 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 Butte County Regional Agency has submitted a NDFE amendment for the facilities 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 Butte County Regional Agency's amended NDFE.

Facility Name: Neal Road Transfer/Recycling Facility		
<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing, but newly added to NDFE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Expanded
Type	C&D Processing and Sorting	
Location	1023 Neal Road	
Capacity	1500 tons per day	
Participating Jurisdictions	City of Gridley, City of Biggs, County of Butte, Town of Paradise, City of Chico, City of Oroville	
Anticipated Diversion Rate (%)	35%	

Facility Name: Town of Paradise Vegetative Waste Facility		
<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing, but newly added to NDFE	<input type="checkbox"/> Expanded
Type	Chipping and Grinding	
Location	925 American Way	
Capacity	600 cubic yards per day	
Participating Jurisdictions	County of Butte, Town of Paradise	
Anticipated Diversion Rate (%)	100%	

Facility Name: Earthworm Soil Factory		
<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing, but newly added to NDFE	<input type="checkbox"/> Expanded
Type	Composting	
Location	704 Neal Road	
Capacity	600 cubic yards per day	
Participating Jurisdictions	County of Butte, Town of Paradise, City of Chico, City of Gridley, City of Biggs	
Anticipated Diversion Rate (%)	100%	

Facility Name: Oroville Gold Compost Facility		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Existing, but newly added to NDFE	<input type="checkbox"/> Expanded
Type	Composting	
Location	641 Ophir Road	
Capacity	300,000 cubic yards on site	
Participating Jurisdictions	County of Butte, Town of Paradise, City of Chico, City of Gridley, City of Biggs and other out of county jurisdictions.	
Anticipated Diversion Rate (%)	100%	

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

	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 Butte County Regional Agency’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 Butte County’s Regional Agency’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 Butte County Regional Agency’s amended NDFE.

Dated: 4/16/10

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