

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Environmental Resources

BOARD AGENDA # *B-3

Urgent Routine
CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO
(Information Attached)

AGENDA DATE November 4, 2014

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

SUBJECT:

Approval to Submit Redesignation Application to the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) for the Redesignation of the Stanislaus County's Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) and Find the Redesignation Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the filing of a Notice of Exemption finding that the proposed redesignation is exempt under the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA guidelines section 15378.(b) (5).
2. Authorize the Director of Environmental Resources, or designee, to submit an application to the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) for the redesignation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The State provides funding for outreach and educational promotion of the RMDZ loan program. The funding is in the form of reimbursement for the expenses incurred to promote the program. The annual funding has historically been \$3,500 per year for the Department of Environmental Resources. Revenue estimates for the ten year RMDZ redesignation is approximately \$35,000.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2014-550

On motion of Supervisor Withrow, Seconded by Supervisor Chiesa
and approved by the following vote,
Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Chiesa, Withrow, Monteith, and Chairman De Martini
Noes: Supervisors: None
Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None
Abstaining: Supervisor: None

- 1) X Approved as recommended
- 2) _____ Denied
- 3) _____ Approved as amended
- 4) _____ Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST:


CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

File No.

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STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS (CONTINUED):

3. Adopt a Resolution supporting the redesignation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ).

DISCUSSION:

California's Integrated Waste Management Act (IWMA), passed in 1989, requires each jurisdiction within the State to reduce the amount of waste disposed in landfills by 50% by the year 2000. To assist California cities and counties in reaching this goal, the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program was created by the California Department of Resources and Recovery (CalRecycle).

In 1993, Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources (DER) established a RMDZ which included the cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford, and the unincorporated area within the County. The Stanislaus County RMDZ has been an active resource to the economic development of our County. The RMDZ Revolving Loan Program provides direct low interest loans of up to \$2 million to eligible businesses and nonprofit organizations that add value to recovered materials, produce new products from recovered materials, or that reduce the waste resulting from the manufacture of a product. These loans promote market development for post-consumer and secondary waste materials.

The RMDZ program is available throughout the state providing incentives to drive development of local markets for the processing, manufacturing and marketing of products made from reused, recycled and discarded materials. The program also assists in job creation, can increase the tax base, reduces transportation costs of local recycled materials and reduces energy demands, as many recycled content products use significantly less energy to manufacture than non-recycled content products.

Businesses located in or looking to locate in the RMDZ are provided the following assistance and economic incentives:

- **Low Interest Loans and Other Assistance with Financing** – A CalRecycle RMDZ loan can finance up to 75% of a project, up to \$2 million per loan. Loan terms are up to 15 years, and the low interest rates are from fixed-rate State funds. Rates are kept at or below the prime rate. Businesses not qualifying for a RMDZ loan are referred to other financing options/entities.
- **Permit Assistance** – State and Local public agencies guide businesses through local and state permitting and regulatory processes.
- **Location Assistance** – Businesses seeking to locate or expand in this region are directed to industrial zoned property and other sites throughout Stanislaus County and its cities.

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- **Feedstock Sourcing/Marketing Assistance** – Businesses in need of materials feedstock or seeking an outlet for their residual materials are provided with sourcing or marketing assistance.
- **Other Benefits** – Businesses are given access to Business Plan assistance, industry cluster networks, business incubation hubs, the capital network, financing assistance and promotional outlets.

Over the last twenty years, CalRecycle provided eleven loans to the Stanislaus County RMDZ. The eleven loans totaling \$13,507,508 went to local businesses in Stanislaus County. The following is a partial list of the Stanislaus County businesses awarded RMDZ loans:

- **Grover Landscape Services, Inc.**, 2825 Kiernan Ave., Modesto: Company has two permitted composting sites within the county. From 1996 through 2007, the business has received four loans totaling \$3,949,008. On average, 16,286 tons of greenwaste material is diverted annually from the landfill.
- **REPSCO, Inc.**, 5300 Claus Road, Riverbank: Company processes plastic, primarily PET to produce plastic slip sheets, an alternative to wood pallets. REPSCO received \$1,340,000 in 2011 and has diverted an average of 700 tons of plastic from the landfill annually.
- **Peninsula Plastics Recycling, Inc.**, 530 S. Tegner Road, Turlock: The company manufactures plastic packaging produced from recycled plastic. Peninsula Plastics received a \$2 million loan in 2009 and has diverted 71,787 tons of plastic from the landfill and created 110 full time jobs.
- **Modesto Sand & Gravel Products, Inc.**, 6139 Hammett Ct., Modesto: Company processes construction and demolition material (concrete, roof tiles, asphalt) generating an aggregate base product and sand. Modesto Sand & Gravel received \$328,500 in 2000 and has diverted over 160,404 tons of material from the landfill.

Recycling Market Development Zones must be redesignated every ten years by CalRecycle to continue their status as a RMDZ. In 2004, the Board of Supervisors (Board) adopted a resolution to renew participation in the RMDZ program for an additional 10 year period ending this year.

DER is again requesting the Board to adopt a resolution supporting the redesignation of the Stanislaus County RMDZ to enable continued delivery of these benefits to the companies within the RMDZ for an additional ten years. The redesignated Stanislaus County RMDZ will consist of the cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, Waterford, and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County. The participating cities have provided resolutions (Attachment 3) supporting the redesignation of the RMDZ.

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Environmental Review:

At the time of the prior redesignation the program was subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) review and was determined to have no significant impacts on the environment which resulted in a Negative Declaration being issued.

A review of the redesignation of the RMDZ has determined the program to be categorically exempt from the preparation and environmental documents, CEQA Guidelines, §15378 (b) (5), "Organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment."

Stanislaus County DER is serving as the lead Agency for redesignation of the RMDZ. Since the proposed action of redesignating the existing RMDZ program is administrative, the specific approval action is not considered a project under CEQA Guidelines Section 15378.(b) (5).

Staff requests the Board of Supervisors approve the filing of a Notice of Exemption (Attachment 1) with the Stanislaus County Clerk-Recorder's Office (pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152 and CEQA guidelines section 15062) finding that the proposed Redesignation is exempt under the provisions of the CEQA pursuant to State Guideline Section 15378 Project.

It is the goal of the proposed Resolution supporting the redesignation to be a regional partnership to continue to build on past successes. The Director of Environmental Resources is requesting the Board of Supervisors to adopt a Resolution approving the redesignation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone and authorize DER to submit the Redesignation Application (Attachment 2) to the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery for the unincorporated area of Stanislaus County and its nine surrounding cities.

POLICY ISSUE:

Adopting a Resolution allowing the redesignation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is consistent with the Board's priorities of A Strong Local Economy, Effective Partnerships and Efficient Delivery of Public Services by providing a program that supports the Department's mission to promote a safe, healthy and sustainable environment while improving the economy and creating jobs within the community through a balance of science, education, partnerships and environmental regulation.

STAFFING IMPACTS:

Existing DER staff will be administrating the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone.

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CONTACT PERSON:

Jami Aggers, Director of Environmental Resources. Telephone: 209-525-6770

Attachments:

1. CEQA Notice of Exemption
2. Application for Redesignation
3. Resolutions from the participating cities

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Date: November 4, 2014

No. 2014-550

On motion of Supervisor Withrow Seconded by Supervisor Chiesa
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Chiesa, Withrow, Monteith, and Chairman De Martini

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED:

Item # *B-3

**IN RE: A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
SUPPORTING THE RENEWAL OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET
DEVELOPMENT ZONE**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County RMDZ includes designated areas in the City of Ceres, City of Hughson, City of Modesto, City of Newman, City of Oakdale, City of Patterson, City of Riverbank, City of Turlock, City of Waterford, and the County of Stanislaus; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County RMDZ is dedicated to establishing, sustaining, and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of Stanislaus County RMDZ will expire on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus still desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County RMDZ to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of Stanislaus County RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future;

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as "the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies" [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ceres, City of Hughson, City of Modesto, City of Newman, City of Oakdale, City of Patterson, City of Riverbank, City of Turlock, City of Waterford and the County of Stanislaus have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this Redesignation is exempt from CEQA and will file a Notice of Exemption with the County Clerk in accordance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15062; and

NOW THEREFORE: the Board of Supervisors of the County of Stanislaus hereby resolves that: The County of Stanislaus, as Lead Agency, approves the renewal of Stanislaus County RMDZ and directs the Zone Administrator of Stanislaus County RMDZ to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of Stanislaus County RMDZ as a RMDZ which includes the City of Ceres, City of Hughson, City of Modesto, City of Newman, city of Oakdale, City of Patterson, City of Riverbank, City of Turlock, City of Waterford and the County of Stanislaus.

The County of Stanislaus will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk
Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors,
State of California



File No.



Date Received for Filing: _____

By: _____

Title _____

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

MEMO TO: Stanislaus County Clerk/Recorder
 Office of Planning and Research

FROM: Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources

SUBJECT: FILING OF NOTICE OF EXEMPTION UNDER CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA)

PROJECT TITLE: Redesignation of the Recycling Market Development Zone

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone offers low interest loans and other incentives to businesses located in Stanislaus County that use materials from the waste stream for their manufacturing.

NAME OF AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT: Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources
3800 Cornucopia Way, Suite C
Modesto, CA 95358

EXEMPT STATUS: (check one)

Categorical Exemption: California Environmental Quality Act, 15378 – Project

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: The Redesignation of the Recycling Market Development Zone is the renewing of an existing program and is purely administrative thus not considered a project under CEQA Guidelines Section 15378.b(5).

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Bryan Kumimoto
Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources
Telephone: (209) 525-6700
3800 Cornucopia Way, Suite C
Modesto, CA 95358

RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE

Redesignation Application

This application is designed for an existing Recycling Market Development Zone (Zone) that is requesting renewal of a current Zone designation and/or requesting a **change in boundaries** of the Zone.

Please read the Application Instructions before completing the application (see Attachment 1). Guidance is also provided in the CEQA toolkit to assist in completing CEQA requirements for Zone Renewal and Zone boundary change.

Zone designations are approved for a term of 10 years. RMDZs must reapply for another 10 year designation term prior to the expiration of the 10-year term. If the Zone applies for a change in boundaries before its 10 year renewal anniversary, the clock will reset and a new 10 year clock will be established from the approval date of the change in boundaries.

In completing this application, the Zone Administrator should evaluate if there are any changes to the information requested based on the most recent Zone Annual Report, information contained in the Zone Information Reporting System (ZIRS) database, or previously submitted Zone designation or redesignation applications. If changes or updates are identified, please include information in the boxes provided below or attach additional documents to this application, if needed, with revised information to be included in the review. If you need assistance in determining, what information has been reported to CalRecycle to date, please contact your Zone Liaison.

ALL DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING THE APPLICATION, CAN BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY. THE APPLICATION COVERSHEET WITH SIGNATURE MUST BE SUBMITTED IN HARD COPY.

Application Coversheet

Check the box or boxes indicating the type(s) of redesignation requested:

- Renewal of Designation
(Please complete coversheet, certification, and Sections 1, 2 and 4 below)
- Zone boundary change (Please indicate which type):
 - Expansion
 - Reduction
 (Please complete coversheet, certification, Section 1, appropriate subsection(s) under Section 3, and Section 4 below)

If you are completing both a Renewal of Designation and requesting a Change in Boundaries, please complete section, 1, 2, 3 (choose appropriate subsection), and 4.

Existing Zone Name: Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone	Proposed New Name (if applicable);
Primary Contact – Zone Administrator (Name & Title): Bryan Kumimoto, Solid Waste Manager	
Mailing Address: 3800 Cornucopia Way, Ste. C	
City & Zip Code: Modesto, 95358	County/ies covered: Stanislaus
Phone: 209-525-6700	Fax: 209-525-6774
E-mail Address: bkumimoto@envres.org	

Certification:

I declare, under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that all information submitted for CalRecycle’s consideration for redesignation as a Recycling Market Development Zone is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of person authorized by the Resolution: _____ Date:

Type or print name and title: Jami Aggers, Director Environmental Resources

Section 1: Application Form

For all Redesignation types (renewals and/or change in boundaries), please complete Section 1. If there have not been any changes to the Zone information since the Zone designation or latest redesignation application then you may indicate Not Applicable (N/A) in each box.” or “... then you may indicate N/A in each box. (N /A = Not Applicable)”

<p>1. Briefly describe any changes to the Zone Mission Statement (if no changes, indicate N/A): N/A</p>
<p>2. Describe any changes to how the Zone will address the four statewide objectives (if no changes, indicate N/A): N/A</p>
<p>3. Describe any changes to the Zone’s targeted and regional approach (if no changes, indicate N/A): N/A</p>
<p>4. Briefly describe any changes to the Zone’s Recycling Marketing Development Plan resulting from the Renewal or Zone Expansion, e.g., Goals and Objectives, marketing activities, locating feedstock, financial support and/or incentives for businesses, etc. If there are no changes, then indicate N/A. If there are changes, please keep it brief and you may use bullets: N/A</p>
<p>5. Describe any changes to how you will measure and evaluate the RMDZ Recycling Market Development Plan (if no changes, indicate N/A): N/A</p>
<p>6. Briefly describe any changes to the Zone budget, administration, and resources (if no changes, indicate N/A): N/A</p>
<p>7. Please indicate if there have been any changes to multi-jurisdictional agreements (e.g., Joint Powers Authority agreements) that pertain to the administration of the Zone. Please provide copies of agreement(s) if there have been changes or if CalRecycle does not currently have a copy of the agreement(s) on file.</p> <p>There are no changes at this time.</p>
<p>8. Renewal of commitment to Environmental Justice: (<u>Government Code section 65040.12(e)</u> and <u>Public Resources code Section 71110(a)</u>)</p>

The Lead Agency agrees to administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to insure the fair treatment of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

Section 2: Zone Renewals

a. For **Zone Renewals**, please include the following information:

i. For **Zone Renewals**, please provide a brief description as to why redesignation is sought: To continue to establish and grow recycling-based businesses in the rural Central San Joaquin Valley of California, and specifically Stanislaus County; and, to create jobs in one of California’s most chronically unemployed regions.

ii. For **Zone Renewals** that do not result in a change to the boundaries of the Zone, please confirm that updates are not needed to the following documents compared to documents submitted as part of the original designation or subsequent redesignations.

- x No changes to the redesignation area’s boundaries as identified on a street map.
- x No changes to the General Zoning and Land Use maps of the redesignation area.

Section 3: Change in Boundaries

DOCUMENTS TO SUBMIT WITH APPLICATION FOR ZONE CHANGES IN BOUNDARIES, INCLUDING EXPANSION, REDUCTION. NOTE: MAPS CAN BE SENT ELECTRONICALLY.

- ✓ A street map identifying the streets that mark the boundaries of the redesignation area on a street map, and
- ✓ Copies of the existing general zoning and land use maps for the proposed redesignation area and the area immediately surrounding it. Clear identification of the boundaries of the proposed changes to the Zone should be on the maps.

a. For **Zone Expansions**, which covers the addition of a jurisdiction or jurisdictions to an existing Zone's boundaries, please include the following information:

i. For **Zone Expansions**, please provide a description of the proposed change in Zone boundaries:

ii. Please provide a **brief** justification for the Zone expansion, including how the expansion will complement the existing Zone and will create additional markets for recyclable materials:

DOCUMENTS TO SUBMIT WITH APPLICATION FOR ZONE EXPANSION.

✓ Letters of commitment and support for the new Zone area from jurisdictional entities having a role to play in implementing the expanded Zone's Market Development Plan.

b. For **Zone Reductions**, which covers the deletion of a jurisdiction or jurisdictions from an existing Zone's boundaries, please include the following information:

i. For **Zone Reductions** please provide a description of the proposed change in Zone boundaries including the reason the Zone is being reduced in size:

SECTION 4: CEQA

CEQA Toolkit

As part of this process for redesignation, a local jurisdiction must complete all CEQA requirements. To assist in this, CalRecycle has developed an extensive toolkit that is available on [SharePoint](#) that consists of guidance and resolution/form templates (see 3 below). If the Zone has determined that the redesignation application does not constitute a project, the resolution templates are provided (see 1 and 2 below). There are several actions that must be taken and documents that must be completed, noticed, and filed to comply with CEQA and that should be submitted with your application, which include one of the following:

1. Lead agency determination that its redesignation application does not constitute a "project" under CEQA or is otherwise exempted. If the Lead agency has decided to file a Notice of Exemption (NOE) with the appropriate county clerk(s) then a copy of the NOE will satisfy this requirement. The following should be provided with the application:
 - a) Lead Agency's NOE or other evidence of compliance with CEQA, and
 - b) Resolutions for the lead agency approving Redesignation that includes changes in Zone boundaries (Renewal and Expansion) or approving the Redesignation (Renewal) of the Zone.

- c) Resolutions for any participating jurisdictions* approving Redesignation that includes changes in Zone boundaries (Renewal and Expansion) or approving the Redesignation (Renewal) of the Zone.
 2. Lead agency determination that its redesignation application does not constitute a “project” under CEQA or is otherwise exempted. If the Lead agency chooses not to submit a NOE, then the Lead Agency must submit a letter with the application stating that the Lead Agency has consulted with legal counsel (or followed whatever its local procedures require) and has determined that the redesignation is exempt from CEQA and is choosing not to file a NOE. The letter should briefly explain the basis for this determination and be signed by the appropriate authority. In addition, the following must be submitted with the application:
 - a) Lead agency’s letter stating that it has consulted with legal counsel (or followed whatever its local procedures require) and has determined that the redesignation is exempt from CEQA and is choosing not to file a NOE. The letter should briefly explain the basis for this determination and be signed by the appropriate authority.
 - b) Resolutions for the lead agency approving Redesignation that includes changes in Zone boundaries (Renewal and Expansion) or approving the Redesignation (Renewal) of the Zone.
 - c) Resolutions for any participating jurisdictions* approving Redesignation that includes changes in Zone boundaries (Renewal and Expansion) or approving the Redesignation (Renewal) of the Zone.
 3. Lead agency determination that the project will not cause any significant environmental effects and the lead agency has filed a Notice of Determination (NOD) with the appropriate county clerk(s) and the State Clearinghouse. Submit the following with the application:
 - a) Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration adopted by the lead agency together with Initial Study (sometimes in the form of a checklist),
 - b) Resolution from the lead agency adopting the Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration and resolutions from the lead agency and any participating jurisdictions* approving changes in Zone boundaries (if applicable) and approving the Redesignation of the Zone, and
 - c) Notice of Determination (NOD) as filed by the lead agency.
 4. Lead agency determination that the CEQA documentation submitted with the previous application meets the requirements of CEQA. Submit the following with the application:
 - a) Previous Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration or EIR,
 - b) Resolution from the lead agency adopting the previously-submitted environmental document and resolutions from the lead agency and any participating jurisdictions approving the changes in Zone boundaries (if applicable) and approving the Redesignation of the Zone (Note: You can use

- the Resolution templates in 3 above and include that you are using the Neg Dec from XX time, etc.), and
- c) Notice of Determination (NOD) as filed by the lead agency.
5. In the event redesignation requires the preparation and certification of an EIR, submit the following:
- a) EIR,
 - b) Resolution from the lead agency certifying the EIR and resolutions from the applying agency and any participating jurisdictions*approving the Redesignation of the Zone, and
 - c) Notice of Determination filed with the appropriate county clerk(s) and the State Clearinghouse.

*Note: If a Zone is part of a JPA and/or Regional Agency, than your Zone Liaison can coordinate with our Legal staff who can review the JPA to determine if individual jurisdiction resolutions, as noted above, are needed or not.

RESOLUTION NO. 2014 - 128

**SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY
RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE**

**THE CITY COUNCIL
City of Ceres, California**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ceres desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as “the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies” [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ceres finds there are no grounds for the City of Ceres to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Ceres hereby resolves that: The City of Ceres as Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Ceres City Council at a regular meeting thereof held on the 13th day of October, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Kline, Ryno, Vice Mayor Durossette

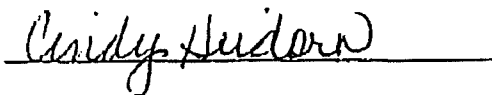
NOES: None

ABSENT: Councilmember Lane, Mayor Vierra



Bret Durossette, Vice Mayor
Chris-Vierra, Mayor

ATTEST:



Cindy Heidorn, CMC, City Clerk

Attachment "A"

City of Ceres

List of RMDZ Projects in Stanislaus County

CalRecycle has provided various loans to the Stanislaus County RMDZ, since 1994. The RMDZ loans led to the following outcomes in Stanislaus County:

- **Grover Landscape Services, Inc., 2825 Kiernan Ave., Modesto, CA:**
Company has two permitted composting sites within the county. From 1996 through 2007, the business has received four loans totaling \$3,949,008. On average, 16,286 tons of greenwaste material is diverted annually from the landfill
- **REPSCO, Inc., 5300 Claus Road, Riverbank, CA:**
Company processes plastic, primarily PET to produce plastic slip sheets, an alternative to wood pallets. REPSCO received \$1,340,000 in 2011 and has diverted an average of 700 tons of plastic annually from the landfill
- **Peninsula Plastics Recycling, Inc., 530 S. Tegner Road, Turlock, CA:**
Company manufactures plastic packaging produced from recycled plastic. Peninsula Plastics received a \$2,000,000 loan in 2009 and has diverted 71,787 tons of plastic from the landfill and created 110 full time jobs.
- **Modesto Sand & Gravel Products, Inc., 6139 Hammett Ct., Modesto, CA:**
Company processes construction and demolition material (concrete, roof tiles, asphalt) generating an aggregate base product and sand. Modesto Sand & Gravel received \$328,500 in 2000 and has diverted over 160,404 tons of material from the landfill.

**CITY OF HUGHSON
CITY COUNCIL
RESOLUTION NO. 2014-29**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HUGHSON,
CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS
COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE (RMDZ)**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post- consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hughson desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as "the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies" [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ, and in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hughson finds there are no grounds for the City of Hughson to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Hughson as a Responsible Agency, approves and supports the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs and authorizes the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting

public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Hughson at a regular meeting held on September 22, 2014, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: SILVA, CARR, HILL, YOUNG, and Mayor BEEKMAN

NOES: NONE

ABSTENTIONS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE



MATT BEEKMAN, Mayor

ATTEST:



DOMINIQUE SPINALE, City Clerk

**MODESTO CITY COUNCIL
RESOLUTION NO. 2014-418**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MODESTO
SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY
RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE AND RESCINDING
RESOLUTION NO. 2004-464**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables, and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act, and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities, and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals, and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014, and

WHEREAS, the City Modesto desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market

Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program, and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ, and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future, and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets, and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as “the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies” [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)], and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities, and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ, and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ, and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA, and

WHEREAS, the City of Modesto finds there are no grounds for the City of Modesto to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document.

WHEREAS, the City of Modesto still desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses locating within the region to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program, and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, support of existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling business investments to the region, and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Modesto as Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres,

Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that resolution No. 2004-464 is hereby rescinded effective October 14, 2014.

The foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Modesto held on the 14th day of October, 2014, by Councilmember Lopez, who moved its adoption, which motion being duly seconded by Councilmember Madrigal, was upon roll call carried and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers: Cogdill, Gunderson, Kenoyer, Lopez, Madrigal, Zoslocki, Mayor Marsh

NOES: Councilmembers: None

ABSENT: Councilmembers: None

ATTEST: 
STEPHANIE LOPEZ, City Clerk

(SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: 
ADAM LINDGREN, City Attorney

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-53

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWMAN SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Newman desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as “the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies” [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Newman finds there are no grounds for the City of Newman to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document; and

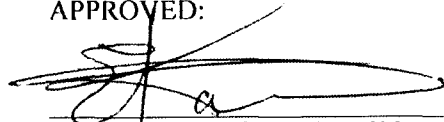
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Newman hereby resolves that: The City of Newman as Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

The foregoing resolution was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Newman held on the 23rd day of September, 2014 by Council Member Candea, who moved its adoption, which motion was duly seconded and it was upon roll call carried and the resolution adopted by the following roll call vote:


AYES: Candea, Davis, Martina and Mayor Katen.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: Hutchins.

APPROVED:



Mayor of the City of Newman

ATTEST:



Deputy City Clerk of the City of Newman



**IN THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF OAKDALE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2014-139**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKDALE
SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY
RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakdale desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and



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WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as “the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies” [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakdale City Council finds there are no grounds for the City of Oakdale to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Oakdale City Council hereby resolves that: The City of Oakdale as Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.



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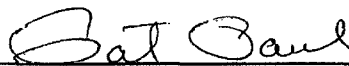
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION IS HEREBY ADOPTED THIS 6th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2014, by the following vote:


AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	Brennan, Dunlop, Jackson, Petersen and Paul	(5)
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None	(0)
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None	(0)
ABSTAINED:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	None	(0)

SIGNED:

ATTEST:



Pat Paul, Mayor



Kathy Teixeira, CMC
City Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-62

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THE CITY OF
PATTERSON SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS
COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Patterson desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as "the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies" [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Patterson finds there are no grounds for the City of Patterson to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document.

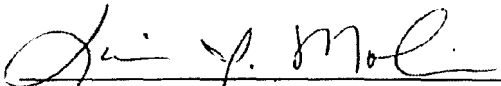
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council does hereby resolves that: The City of Patterson as a Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

The foregoing resolution of the City Council of the City of Patterson was passed by the City Council at a regular meeting held on the 7th day of October 2014, by Councilmember Novelli, who moved its adoption, which motion was duly seconded by Councilmember Lustgarten, and the resolution adopted by the following roll call vote:


AYES: Councilmembers Lustgarten, Novelli, Buehner and Mayor Molina
NOES: None
EXCUSED: Councilmember Farinha

APPROVED:



Luis I. Molina, Mayor
City of Patterson


ATTEST:



Maricela L. Vela, City Clerk
City of Patterson

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, correct and true copy of a resolution passed by the City Council of the City of Patterson, a Municipal Corporation of the County of Stanislaus, State of California, at a regular meeting held on the 7th day of October 2014, and I further certify that said resolution is in full force and effect and has never been rescinded or modified.

DATED: October 13, 2014



City Clerk of the City of Patterson

CITY OF RIVERBANK

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-076

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVERBANK,
CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS
COUNTY RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Riverbank desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as "the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies" [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Riverbank finds there are no grounds for the City of Riverbank to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Riverbank hereby resolves that: The City of Riverbank as Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.


PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Riverbank at a regular meeting held on the 23rd day of September, 2014; motioned by Councilmember Darlene Barber-Martinez, seconded by Councilmember Jeanine Tucker, and upon roll call was carried by the following City Council vote of 5-0:

AYES: Barber-Martinez, Jones Cruz, Tucker, Campbell, and Mayor O'Brien
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAINED: None

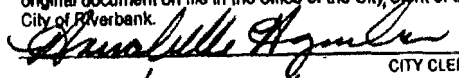
ATTEST:


Annabelle H. Aguilar, CMC
City Clerk

APPROVED:


Richard D. O'Brien
Mayor

CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original document on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Riverbank.


CITY CLERK
DATED September 24, 2014

**WATERFORD CITY COUCL
RESOLUTION 2014-94**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CITY OF WATERFORD SUPPORTING
THE REDESIGNATION OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTYRECYCLING MARKET
DEVELOPMENT ZONE**

WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Waterford desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as "the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies" [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Waterford finds there are no grounds for the City of Waterford to assume the lead Agency role or to prepare an environmental document; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Waterford hereby resolves that the City of Waterford as Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock and Waterford and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

The foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Waterford, County of Stanislaus, State of California, at a regular meeting thereof held on the 2nd day of October, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: 5 GOEKEN, ALDACO, VAN WINKLE, KRAUSE, WHITFIELD

NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

City of Waterford,

DocuSigned by:
Charlie Goeken
Charlie Goeken, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DocuSigned by:
Lori Martin
Lori Martin, MMC, City Clerk

DocuSigned by:
Corbett Browning
Corbett Browning, City Attorney

BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TURLOCK

IN THE MATTER OF SUPPORTING THE } RESOLUTION NO. 2014-172
RENEWAL OF THE STANISLAUS COUNTY }
RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE }
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WHEREAS, California Public Resources Code Section 42010, et al. provides for the establishment of the Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) program throughout the State which provides incentives to stimulate development of post-consumer and secondary materials markets for recyclables; and

WHEREAS, all California jurisdictions must meet a 50% reduction in landfill waste disposal as mandated by the California Integrated Waste Management Act; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Waterford, and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities; and

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone is dedicated to establishing, sustaining, and expanding recycling-based manufacturing businesses, which is essential for market development and to assist these jurisdictions in meeting the established landfill waste reduction goals; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone expires on November 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Turlock desires existing and new recycling-based manufacturing businesses located within the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone to be eligible for the technical and financial incentives associated with the RMDZ program; and

WHEREAS, the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ is still necessary to facilitate local and regional planning, coordination, and support existing recycling-based manufacturing businesses, as well as attract private sector recycling investments to the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the continued development of local markets for recycled materials would reduce the need to transport them out of the region in the future; and

WHEREAS, the current and proposed waste management practices and conditions are favorable to the development of post-consumer and secondary waste materials markets; and

WHEREAS, the California Legislature has defined environmental justice as "the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes with respect to the development, adoption, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, and policies" [Government Code section 65040.12(e)], and has directed the California Environmental Protection Agency to conduct its programs, policies, and activities that substantially affect human health or the environment in a manner that ensures the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and income levels, including minority populations and low-income populations of the state [Public Resources Code section 71110(a)]; and

WHEREAS, CalRecycle has adopted a goal to continuously integrate environmental justice concerns into all of its programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, Waterford, and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities have agreed to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal as a RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, the County of Stanislaus has agreed to act as Lead Agency for the proposed renewal of the RMDZ; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the County of Stanislaus has determined that this redesignation is exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Turlock finds there are no grounds for the City of Turlock to assume the lead agency role or to prepare an environmental document.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Turlock hereby resolves that: The City of Turlock as the Responsible Agency, approves the renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ and directs the Stanislaus County RMDZ Administrator to submit an application to CalRecycle requesting renewal of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone as a RMDZ which includes the Cities of Ceres, Hughson, Modesto, Newman, Oakdale, Patterson, Riverbank, Turlock, Waterford, and the unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County surrounding these cities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the member jurisdictions of the Stanislaus County Recycling Market Development Zone will administer the RMDZ program in a manner that seeks to ensure the fair treatment of people of all races, cultures, and incomes, including but not limited to soliciting public participation in all communities within the RMDZ, including minority and low income populations.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Turlock this 28th day of October, 2014, by the following vote:


AYES: Councilmembers DeHart, Nascimento, Bublak, White and Mayor Lazar
NOES: None
NOT PARTICIPATING: None
ABSENT: None

ATTEST:



Kellie E. Weaver, City Clerk
City of Turlock, County of Stanislaus,
State of California

The foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in this office which has not been revoked and is now in full force and effect.



Kellie E. Weaver,
City Clerk of the City of Turlock,
County of Stanislaus, State of California

