

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

DEPT: Environmental Resources

BOARD AGENDA #: *B-7

AGENDA DATE: April 25, 2017

SUBJECT:

Accept the First Update in Accordance with Public Contract Code Sections 20134 and 22050 for Emergency Repairs at the Fink Road Landfill to Replace 333 Linear Feet of Perimeter Litter Barrier Fencing

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2017-206

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

Ayes: Supervisors: Olsen, Withrow, Monteith, DeMartini, and Chairman Chiesa

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) Approved as recommended

2) Denied

3) Approved as amended

4) Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST: Elizabeth A. King
ELIZABETH A. KING, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

File No.

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AGENDA ITEM**

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Urgent Routine

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CEO CONCURRENCE: 

4/5 Vote Required: Yes No

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STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Accept the first update on the state of the emergency repairs at the Fink Road Landfill in accordance with Public Contract Code Sections 20134 and 22050 to replace 333 feet of perimeter litter barrier fencing.

DISCUSSION:

The Department of Environmental Resources, Landfill Division, maintains and operates the Fink Road Landfill. Some of the maintenance at the Fink Road site is performed by in-house staff, however, specialized services are often needed in the area of maintenance (routine and non-routine), repairs, surveying, construction projects and oversight, certain specific non-routine service calls, emergency services and repairs. For those specialized services, the Department has historically hired outside expertise.

Sometime between the close of business on Wednesday, April 12, 2017, at 4:30 p.m. and reopening on the following morning of Thursday, April 13, a 333 foot section of perimeter litter barrier fencing along the Interstate 5 corridor blew down, snapping the wooden poles off at their base because of high winds. The result leaves the site unsecured and subject to a Notice of Violation from the State. In addition, the potential of litter blowing onto Interstate 5 could pose a safety concern. These concerns needed to be addressed immediately to prevent an ongoing risk, and any delay resulting from a competitive solicitation for bids would pose a greater risk to health and safety. This was necessary to permit the continued conduct of essential Landfill operations.

On April 18, 2017, the Board of Supervisors in accordance with Public Contract Code Sections 20134 and 22050 approved the delegation of authority for the Director of Environmental Resources, or designee, to negotiate and execute a contract with Judge Netting, Inc., of Costa Mesa, California, to replace the 333 linear feet of downed perimeter litter barrier fencing at the Landfill. Further the Board directed staff to work with Risk Management to determine whether the repair was applicable to the County's insurers.

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Judge Netting will replace the 333 linear feet of fencing with 25 feet above ground treated wood poles on 20 foot centers and ultra violet treated polyester netting. The installation will provide a 5-year warranty on materials and workmanship from the time of completion. The wooden poles are readily available and are in like-new condition so the work can commence within approximately one week of the contract being signed. Staff is working to get the contract in place as quickly as possible.

POLICY ISSUE:

Public Contract Code Section 22050(a)(1) states, "In the case of an emergency, a public agency, pursuant to a four-fifths vote of its governing body, may repair or replace a public facility, take any directly related and immediate action required by that emergency, and procure the necessary equipment, services, and supplies for those purposes, without giving notice for bids to let contracts." Further, Public Contract Code Section 22050(c)(1) requires staff to report on the emergency at its next regularly scheduled meeting and every 14 days thereafter until the emergency is terminated. The next update will occur on May 9, 2017; the next regularly scheduled Board of Supervisors' meeting.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The total cost for repairs is \$47,200 and will be funded by the Fink Road Landfill's fund balance. Funds for this purpose are available in the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 Adopted Final Budget for the Department of Environmental Resources, Fink Road Landfill Division. The Department is working with Risk Management to determine if any of the costs are recoverable through the County's insurance carrier.

Cost of recommended action:		\$ 47,200
Source(s) of Funding:		
Fink Road Landfill Fund Balance	\$ 47,200	
Funding Total:	<u>47,200</u>	<u>\$ 47,200</u>
Net Cost to County General Fund		<u>\$ -</u>

Fiscal Year:	2016-2017
Budget Adjustment/Appropriations needed:	No

Fund Balance as of March 31, 2017	
Fink Road Landfill	\$ 28,331,655

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' PRIORITY:

The recommended actions are consistent with the Board's priorities of A Safe Community, A Healthy Community, and A Well Planned Infrastructure System by maintaining litter control and site security in accordance with the requirements of the Landfill's regulatory agency (CalRecycle). In addition, it supports the Department of Environmental Resource's mission to

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promote a safe and healthy environment and improve the quality of life in the community through a balance of science, education, partnerships, and environmental regulation.

STAFFING IMPACT:

Department staff will oversee the work related to this Emergency Project.

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ATTACHMENT(S):

None