



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407  
Santa Barbara, CA 93101  
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Department Name: Public Works  
Department No.: 054  
For Agenda Of: May 17, 2011  
Placement: Administrative  
Estimated Tme:  
Continued Item: No  
If Yes, date from:  
Vote Required: Majority

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**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Department Scott McGolpin, Public Works Director, ext. 3010  
Director  
Contact Info: Mark Schleich, Public Works Deputy Director, ext. 3603

**SUBJECT: Set Hearing to Establish Solid Waste Tipping Fees, Collection Rates and Parcel Fees for FY 2011/2012  
All Supervisorial Districts**

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**County Counsel Concurrence**

As to form: N/A

**Other Concurrence:** N/A

**Auditor-Controller Concurrence**

As to form: N/A

**Recommended Actions:**

That the Board of Supervisors set a public hearing for June 7, 2011 for 20 minutes to consider the proposed solid waste disposal and collection fee schedules.

**Summary Text:**

Each year, your Board adopts fees charged at County-operated solid waste management facilities as well as rates charged by the franchised service providers to collect waste materials from residential and commercial customers. These fees are developed and approved in accordance with Chapter 17 of the Santa Barbara County Code. In addition, your Board has the ability to set and revise Solid Waste Program Fees charged by the County to cover solid waste management program costs. A Board Letter will be submitted prior to the departmental hearing providing the proposed fee schedules for tipping fees charged at county solid waste management facilities, franchised solid waste collection rates, parcel fees for solid waste services in the Cuyama Valley, and setting the Solid Waste Program Fee level.

**Performance Measure:**

The tipping fees and collection rates are based on the cost to provide these solid waste management services.

**Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:**

There will be changes to the existing fee schedules with both cost reductions and increases depending on the service and will be provided in detail in the subsequent Board Letter.

**Staffing Impacts:** None

**Special Instructions:**

Please direct the Clerk of the Board to publish a Notice of Public Hearing in the Santa Barbara News Press, Santa Maria Times, and the Bakersfield Californian **five and ten days prior to the hearing**, per Government Code Section 6062a.

**Attachments:**

None.

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