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Good afternoon Chair Williams, Supervisors of the Board and Staff,

I am writing to request that the Board reconsider the Staff's recommendations and continue negotiations with Waste Management.

I have been a resident of the Santa Ynez Valley my entire life and have lived in Solvang, Santa Ynez, Buellton and now Ballard.

Waste Management has always been professional and more than attentive. On my families' most recent move we had forgotten to switch our trash service and it was beginning to pile up. When I contacted Waste Management and explained our situation they made sure we had cans delivered to us that very day. They've also been very patient with me on mornings, that I've forgotten to set my cans out, as I run them out to be picked up.

Most recently Waste Management sponsored and provided volunteers to help with a golf tournament that benefited the Teddy Bear Cancer Foundation and the Santa Barbara County Firefighters Benevolent Foundation. I am a director for the SBCo Benevolent Foundation and I greatly appreciated their help and support, it truly made a difference.

I realize I am just one individual that will be affected by this. I feel it is important to express to all of you that I would like Waste Management to continue providing trash services to my community.

Thank you,

Kelly Hahn