# SANTA BARBARA COUNTY BOARD AGENDA LETTER



Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407 Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 568-2240 Agenda Number: Prepared on: 3/11/02 Department Name: Public Works Department No.: 054 Agenda Date: 3/26/02 Placement: Administrative Estimate Time: Continued Item: NO If Yes, date from:

SUBJECT:	Household Hazardous Waste Grant FY 2002/03 Resolution	
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FROM:	Phillip M. Demery, Director Public Works	
TO:	Board of Supervisors	

# **Recommendation(s):**

That the Board of Supervisors adopt the attached resolution to authorize the submittal of a regional application for a Household Hazardous Waste Grant from the California Integrated Waste Management Board.

# Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendation(s) are primarily aligned with Goal No. 5. Maintain and Enhance the Quality of Life for All Residents.

#### **Executive Summary and Discussion:**

The City of Santa Barbara proposes to submit a regional application on behalf of the County of Santa Barbara and the City of Santa Barbara to the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a Household Hazardous Waste Grant in the amount not to exceed \$300,000.00. Public Resources Code Section 47200 authorizes the California Integrated Waste Management Board to award competitive grants to local government agencies for programs that reduce the amount of Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) disposed of at solid waste landfills.

The Household Hazardous Waste Grant (Fiscal Year 2002/03), if awarded, will be used to fund the expansion of the County of Santa Barbara's existing Household Hazardous Waste Program by implementing the construction and operation of an ABOP (Antifreeze, Batteries, Oil, and Paint) facility within the City of Santa Barbara. Additionally, the Household Hazardous Waste Grant funds will be utilized to promote the City of Santa Barbara proposed ABOP facility through a public outreach and education campaign.

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The California Integrated Waste Management Board requires the governing body of each local government participating in the program to authorize submittal of the grant application

# Mandates and Service Levels:

The grant will further the efforts of the County to comply with the mandates set forth in the 1989 California Integrated Waste Management Act (Public Resources Code, Title 14, Division 7). The Act requires submittal of a Household Hazardous Waste Element (HHWE), describing the recommended programs to divert household hazardous waste from landfills to proper disposal. Your Board adopted the HHWE on February 4, 1992.

# **Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:**

This grant, if approved, will be administered by the City of Santa Barbara. There is no net cost to the County to submit this grant application.

### **Special Instructions:**

Please return a copy of the signed Resolution to Leslie Wells in the Public Works Department, Solid Waste and Utilities Division.

# Concurrence: County Counsel