

**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY  
BOARD AGENDA LETTER**



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**Agenda Number:**  
**Prepared on:** 2/9/04  
**Department Name:** Public Works  
**Department No.:** 054  
**Agenda Date:** 3/9/04  
**Placement:** Administrative  
**Estimate Time:**  
**Continued Item:** NO  
**If Yes, date from:**

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**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Phillip M. Demery, Director  
Public Works

**STAFF CONTACT:** Mark Schleich, Deputy Director, x3603 or  
Jody Rundle, Program Specialist, x3602

**SUBJECT:** Amendment to the Multijurisdictional Nondisposal Facility Element (NDFE)  
Fifth Supervisorial District

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**Recommendation(s):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A. Adopt the attached Resolution approving the proposed Amendment to the Multijurisdictional NDFE which is required by the California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB), in order for Bedford Enterprises, Inc. to obtain a Registration Permit under the new CIWMB Construction and Demolition (C&D) regulations.

**Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:**

Goal II: Ensure the public health and safety, and provide essential infrastructure.

**Executive Summary and Discussion:**

The California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989 (AB 939) mandates that each city and county within the State reduce the quantity of material disposed by 25 percent by 1995 and 50 percent by 2000. AB 939 also requires each jurisdiction to develop a Source Reduction and Recycling Element (SRRE) that would provide a plan for the jurisdiction to achieve the diversion mandates through specific source reduction, recycling, and composting programs; the County of Santa Barbara adopted its SRRE in January 1992. In 1992, the State also adopted AB 3001 which called for each jurisdiction to prepare a Nondisposal Facility Element (NDFE) to identify nondisposal facilities that the jurisdictions would use to assist them in reaching the diversion mandates of AB 939; the County of Santa Barbara adopted its NDFE in January 1995. Public Resources Code (PRC) Section 41732 states that the NDFE and any subsequent amendments shall "include a description of new facilities and the expansion of existing facilities which will be needed to implement the

jurisdiction's Source Reduction and Recycling Element." Furthermore, a nondisposal facility is defined by PRC Section 40151 as any solid waste facility required to obtain a State solid waste facility permit, with the exception of solid waste disposal or transformation facilities. Thus, the NDFE includes transfer stations, material recovery facilities, large composting operations, and other waste processing or recycling facilities that: 1) require a solid waste facility permit; 2) are needed to implement a jurisdiction's SRRE; and 3) recover at least five percent (5%) of the total volume of material received by the facility for reuse and recycling.

At the end of 2003, the California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) approved updates to the regulations to require that construction, demolition, and inert debris processing operations and facilities must be placed into regulatory tiers. Under these new regulations, Bedford Enterprises, Inc., which currently provides processing services to the Cities of Lompoc, Santa Maria, and the northern Unincorporated areas of Santa Barbara County, is required to obtain a Registration Permit and must be included in the Multijurisdictional NDFE. The County of Santa Barbara has prepared an Amendment to the Multijurisdictional NDFE for Bedford Enterprises, Inc, as shown below.

**AMENDMENT TO ADD  
BEDFORD ENTERPRISES, INC.  
TO MULTI JURISDICTIONAL NDFE**

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| <b>Facility Name:</b>               | Santa Maria C&D Waste Facility.  |
| <b>Type of Facility:</b>            | A metal recycling center open to the public and a construction, demolition, and inert materials processing center.           |
| <b>Operator:</b>                    | Bedford Enterprises, Inc.<br>1940 West Betteravia Road<br>Santa Maria, California 93455                                      |
| <b>Location:</b>                    | 1940 West Betteravia Road<br>Maria, California 93455   |
| <b>Facility Capacity:</b>           | Maximum of 174.9 tons per day.   |
| <b>Anticipated Diversion Rates:</b> | Approximately 96.5% of all material received.  |
| <b>Participating Jusisdictions:</b> | Cities of Lompoc, Santa Maria, and San Luis Obispo; County of San Luis Obispo; Unincorporated areas of Santa Barbara County. |
| <b>Permit Status:</b>               | Registration Tier Permit.  |

**Mandates and Service Levels:**

Public Resources Code, Title 14, Division 7. The facilities described in this document are consistent with those described in the County's SRRE, adopted by the Board of Supervisors in 1992, and will enable the County to continue to meet the State's diversion mandates.

**Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:**

There is no fiscal impact associated with the Board's adoption of the Amendment to the Multijurisdictional NDFE.

**Special Instructions:**

Please return a copy of the signed resolution to Jody Rundle, Public Works Department, Solid Waste and Utilities Division.

**Concurrence:**



**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

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Chair, Board of Supervisors  
County of Santa Barbara

ATTEST  
MICHAEL F. BROWN  
CLERK OF THE BOARD

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Deputy Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
STEPHEN SHANE STARK  
COUNTY COUNSEL

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Deputy County Counsel