

**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
BOARD AGENDA LETTER**



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If Yes, date from:

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Phillip Demery, Director
Public Works

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Engineering Section Manger

SUBJECT: California Used and Waste Tires Recycling Funds in the Santa Ynez Valley of the Third Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County

Recommendation(s):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A. Adopt the attached Resolution to authorize the Public Works Department to request funds from the California Integrated Waste Management Board's Special Waste Division for the purpose of Recycling California Used and Waste Tires;
- B. Authorize and direct the Director of Public Works to execute the grant agreement and other documents pertaining to the SB 1346 Rubberized Asphalt Concrete Grant Agreement on the County's behalf.

Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendation is primarily aligned with Goal No. 1, An Efficient Government Able to Anticipate and Respond Effective to the Needs of the Community.

Executive Summary and Discussion:

The California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) receives an annual appropriation from the California Tire Recycling Management Fund (Tire Fund) to administer the Tire Recycling Act (Act) (Assembly Bill 1843, Brown, Statutes of 1989, Chapter 974) and related legislation. As part of the Act, the CIWMB is offering the Senate Bill (SB) 1346 Rubberized Asphalt Concrete Grant Program to encourage the reduction of landfill disposal and stockpiling of California waste tires. In the CIWMB's approved Five-Year Plan, the proposed funding allocation for the SB 1346 Rubberized Asphalt Concrete grants for Fiscal Year

(FY) 2003/2004 is one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000) and for FY 2004/2005 is one million two hundred thousand dollars (\$1,200,000).



Cities, counties, special districts, and other local government agencies that fund public works projects such as the County’s “Measure D Rubberized Asphalt Concrete Overlay in Santa Ynez Valley, County Project No. 810487” are eligible for the grant program for recycling California used and waste tires.

Construction of Measure D Rubberized Asphalt Concrete Overlay in Santa Ynez Valley began on August 4, 2003 and was completed on September 26, 2003. The project consisted of the placement of rubberized asphalt concrete on approximately 3.8 lane miles of County maintained roadways in the Santa Ynez Valley. Rubberized asphalt concrete was chosen as the material to be utilized on this project because of its effectiveness in preventing reflective cracking and also, the County was able to recycle used and waste tires by mixing the crumb rubber into pavement materials such as rubberized asphalt concrete.

Grant funds are paid on the reimbursement basis at a rate of \$2.50 per ton of Rubberized Asphalt Concrete (RAC) used in the project. Measure D Rubberized Asphalt Concrete Overlay in Santa Ynez Valley, County Project No. 810487 used a total of 6795 tons of rubberized asphalt concrete during the entire overlay operation. Of these SB 1346 Rubberized Asphalt Concrete grants for Fiscal Year (FY) 2003/2004 funds, the County of Santa Barbara qualifies for \$16,988 of reimbursement for using 6795 tons of rubberized asphalt concrete.

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Mandates and Service Levels:

Approval of the resolution will require the Public Works Department to carry out programs and maintain records of recycling California used and waste tires as part of the California Integrated Waste Management Board Program.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

The programs that are implemented with the funds received through this grant, if approved, will present no net cost to the County.

Accounting Information:

The revenue will be deposited in Fund 0015, Department 054, Program 2100, Org. Unit 0001, Acct. 4339, and Project 810487.

Special Instructions:

Please send an executed copy of the Resolution and a Minute Order to the attention of Beverly Cross in the Engineering Section, Transportation Division of Public Works. This board item is time sensitive. Please process at your earliest convenience, as the submittal is March 5, 2004.

Concurrence:

County Counsel
Auditor-Controller
Risk Management

Attachment:
Resolution