

**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY  
BOARD AGENDA LETTER**



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**Agenda Number:**  
**Prepared on:** 5/15/02  
**Department Name:** Public Works  
**Department No.:** 054  
**Agenda Date:** 6/18/02  
**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 Department

**STAFF CONTACT:** Mark Schleich, Deputy Director x3603  
Leslie Wells, Program Manager x3611

**SUBJECT:** Used Oil Opportunity Grant Contract with the Community Environmental Council

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**Recommendation(s):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A) Approve the receipt of a California Integrated Waste Management Board Used Oil Recycling Opportunity Grant (Sixth Cycle – UOG6-01-5300); and
- B) Approve an Agreement with the Community Environmental Council for the execution of the above grant, in the not-to-exceed amount of \$282,020.51 for the term July 1, 2002 to April 15, 2004.

**Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:**

The recommendation(s) are primarily aligned with our organizational values regarding leadership, initiative and innovation.

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**Executive Summary and Discussion:**

The state's Used Oil Opportunity Grant program provides monies to cities, counties and other local agencies to fund programs that provide opportunities for households and small businesses to properly and legally dispose of used lubricating oil and oil filters.

The primary purpose of this Sixth Cycle grant is to provide administrative and technical support to oil collection centers and conduct a gas pump topper promotional campaign; increase filter recycling through a educational campaign and distribution of filter collection containers; site two permanent agricultural

collection facilities; and conduct a county-wide Latino outreach campaign targeting drivers' education and auto shop classes.

Work to be conducted under the Grant will include:

- Provide administrative and technical support to centers and attract new DIYers through gas-pump topper promotional campaign.
- Increase the proper disposal of filters through an educational campaign and provide convenient filter containers for proper storage and transportation.
- Site two permanent facilities for the collection of agricultural generated used oil and filters.
- Educate young Latino DIYers (aged 16-25) via presentations to community groups, drivers' education schools, and auto shop classes.

**Mandates and Service Levels:**

The California Oil Recycling Enhancement Act (Statutes of 1991, Chapter 817) authorizes the collection of four cents from oil manufacturers for every quart of lubricating oil sold, transferred or imported into California. The Act mandates the California Integrated Waste Management Board to provide used oil collection opportunities, in addition to non-competitive grants provided by the Used Oil Recycling Block Grant program, to local governments for establishing local used oil collection and education programs.

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, describing the recommended programs to divert household hazardous waste from landfills to proper disposal. Your Board adopted the Santa Barbara County HHWE on February 4, 1992.

**Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:** There are no facilities or fiscal impacts associated with the acceptance of a Used Oil Opportunity Grant. All costs incurred by the services provided are covered by this grant we received from the California Integrated Waste Management Board.

Accounting information: Department 054, Fund 1930, Program 1950, Account 7460.

**Special Instructions:** Please return a copy of the signed Agreement to Dana Green and Georgia Navarro in the Public Works Department, Solid Waste and Utilities Division.

**Concurrence:** County Counsel, Risk Management, Auditor-Controller.