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DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC WORKS

SOLID WASTE DIVISION

CITY OF SACRAMENTO  
CALIFORNIA  
May 5, 2003

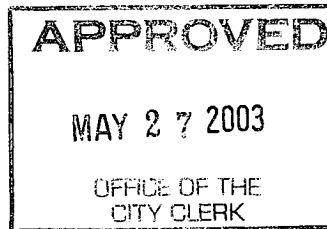
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City Council  
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:



**SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION FOR THE SACRAMENTO REGIONAL SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY TO APPLY TO THE CALIFORNIA INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR A HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO.**

**LOCATION AND COUNCIL DISTRICT:** Citywide

**RECOMMENDATION:**

This report recommends that the City Council approve the attached resolution authorizing the Sacramento Regional Solid Waste Authority to act as the lead agency in applying for a household hazardous waste grant on behalf of the City of Sacramento and execute all documents necessary to secure grant funds and implement the approved grant projects.

**CONTACT PERSON:** G. Harold Duffey, Integrated Waste General Manager,  
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**FOR COUNCIL MEETING OF:** May 27, 2003

**SUMMARY:**

The Sacramento Regional Solid Waste Authority is submitting an application to the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a household hazardous waste grant. If approved, City of Sacramento would join with Sacramento County in recycling electronic waste (E-waste) from area schools. Grant funds would be utilized to fund one to three E-waste recycling days at existing household hazardous waste facilities.

**COMMITTEE/COMMISSION ACTION:** None.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

County of Sacramento, Waste Management and Recycling Department staff has identified a need in local school districts to properly manage electronic waste. Outdated computers, as well as donated computers have been stockpiled at area schools. School Districts lack the resources to establish contract agreements with local E-waste processors to recycle this material. The grant application identifies this need and proposes a short-term solution aimed at recycling these materials. As proposed in the grant, the City and the County would hold up to six events over a three-year period at a total cost of not over \$100,000. School staff would transport E-waste items to either the City of Sacramento's Permanent Household Hazardous Waste Facility (8491 Fruitridge Road), or to Sacramento County's North Area Recovery Station (4450 Roseville Road) for recycling. In conjunction with these short-term efforts, City and County staff will provide each district with information about local vendors that recycle E-waste.

**FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

Grant funding through the Household Hazardous Waste Grant, Fiscal Year 2003 – 2004 will fund the proposed E-waste recycling activities. Regional groups (groups of two or more cities/counties) may request up to \$300,000. Grant funds received will be split equally between the City and the County for use throughout the duration of the grant term. It is anticipated that the City's share of the funding will be approximately \$100,000.

**ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

This item is exempt from CEQA guidelines under §15061(b)(3).


**POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:**

The action requested herein is consistent with the City of Sacramento's Strategic Plan Goal to establish and strengthen community and regional partnerships to enhance the quality of life.

**ESBD CONSIDERATIONS:**


The Solid Waste Division will conform to all ESBD procurement policies and practices.

Respectfully submitted,



G. Harold Duffy  
Integrated Waste General Manager

**RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:**



ROBERT P. THOMAS  
City Manager

Approved:



Ken Nishimoto  
Deputy City Manager

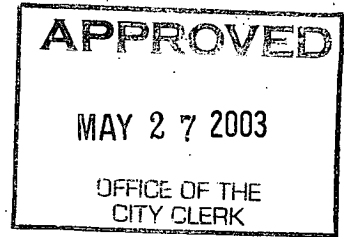
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**RESOLUTION NO. 2003 - 325**

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

ON DATE OF \_\_\_\_\_



**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SACRAMENTO REGIONAL SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY TO APPLY TO THE CALIFORNIA INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR A HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO**

**WHEREAS**, The City of Sacramento accepts E-waste through the Permanent Household Hazardous Waste Facility,

**WHEREAS**, The disposal of E-waste is costly and outdated computer and related equipment are being stockpiled at area schools,

**WHEREAS**, Grant funds are available to fund the diversion of E-waste items from area school districts,

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO THAT:**

1. The Sacramento Regional Solid Waste Authority is authorized to apply to the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a Household Hazardous Waste Grant on behalf of the City of Sacramento.
2. The Sacramento Regional Solid Waste Authority is authorized and empowered to execute all grant documents to secure grant funds and implement the approved grant projects.

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK

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DATE ADOPTED: \_\_\_\_\_