

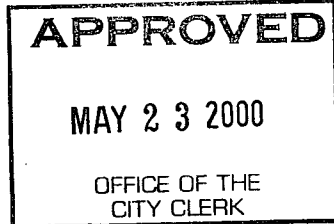


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DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS
SOLID WASTE DIVISION

CITY OF SACRAMENTO
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City Council
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION TO APPLY TO THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION FOR A BEVERAGE CONTAINER RECYCLING GRANT

LOCATION AND COUNCIL DISTRICT: Citywide

RECOMMENDATION: This report recommends that the City Council adopt the attached resolution authorizing submittal of a request for funding to the Department of Conservation for a beverage container recycling grant to promote beverage container recycling.

CONTACT PERSON: Gary Van Dorst, SW Planning Superintendent, 264-7043

FOR COUNCIL MEETING OF: May 23, 2000

SUMMARY:

A request for funding will be submitted to the Department of Conservation on May 31, 2000. The request for funding will allow the City of Sacramento to promote beverage container recycling in the City of Sacramento through promotion of the City's curbside recycling program and through the procurement of outdoor recycling containers for City Parks. This report recommends City Council approve the resolution authorizing submittal of the grant application and execution of a standard agreement with the State.

COMMITTEE/COMMISSION ACTION: None.

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Pursuant to Section 14581(a)(4)(A) of the State of California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act, the Department of Conservation's Division of Recycling is required to distribute a total of \$10,500,000 to eligible cities and counties for beverage container recycling and litter cleanup activities. The City of Sacramento is eligible to receive \$115,809 from the Department of Conservation to promote beverage container recycling.

The Solid Waste Division currently recycles beverage containers through the City's curbside recycling program and through programs utilizing outdoor containers located at the City Marina and some City parks. Funding from the Department of Conservation will allow the City of Sacramento to increase promotional and educational efforts for the City's curbside recycling program. Receipt of additional grant funding will also allow the Solid Waste Division to expand the number of outdoor recycling containers in use at City Park facilities. Grant funding will be used to purchase additional outdoor recycling containers. The collection of those containers will be incorporated into Solid Waste Division commercial recycling routes.

The attached resolution names the Solid Waste Manager and Solid Waste Planning Superintendent as the City's authorized representatives. This action is necessary because an authorized representative is the only person whose signature will be recognized by the Department of Conservation. Utilizing the Solid Waste Manager and the Solid Waste Planning Superintendent as the City's authorized representative will greatly facilitate administration of the grant. They are the City staff who works with the Department of Conservation on a routine basis as the author of periodic billings, monthly progress reports, etc.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Funding by the Department of Conservation will reimburse the City for all promotional and educational activities, up to 40% of the labor and administrative cost of these activities, and for the purchase of outdoor recycling containers. Solid Waste staff plans to purchase up to twenty-five containers for use in this project. Grant funding will not exceed \$115,809 for the promotional and educational efforts and for the purchase of outdoor recycling containers. Any operational cost for transportation and collection will be borne by the Solid Waste Division as part of matching funds encumbered through the grant. The Solid Waste Division already incurs the cost of waste disposal at these facilities and recycling may decrease the cost of that service.

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ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS:

The grant project is not a project under CEQA. There is no possibility that the activity may have a significant effect on the environment. Therefore, this item is exempt from CEQA guidelines under § 1561(b)(3).

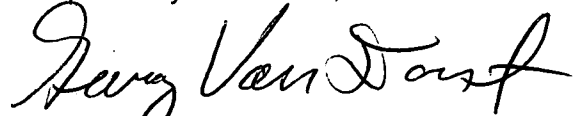
POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:

The promotion of beverage container recycling and the utilization of outdoor containers are consistent with City of Sacramento waste diversion programs and goals. The utilization of Department of Conservation funding is consistent with Council policy to provide cost-effective recycling services.

ESBD CONSIDERATIONS:

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

Respectfully submitted,



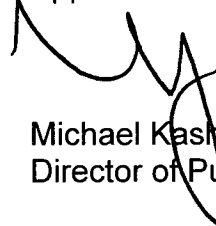
Gary Van Dorst
Solid Waste Planning Superintendent

RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:



ROBERT P. THOMAS
City Manager

Approved:



Michael Kashiwagi
Director of Public Works

RESOLUTION NO. 2000-258

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

ON DATE OF _____



RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION FOR A BEVERAGE CONTAINER RECYCLING GRANT

WHEREAS, funds are available from the Department of Conservation to promote and increase beverage container recycling; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Sacramento has sufficient resources to conduct a beverage container recycling promotional campaign and beverage container recycling program at City parks facilities; and,

WHEREAS, a beverage container recycling promotional campaign and beverage container recycling program at parks facilities is consistent with the City Council waste diversion policies and goals;

WHEREAS, the promotion and collection of beverage containers at the curb enhances the City's overall waste diversion.

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

- 1. The City Council hereby authorizes the submittal of a funding request application to the Department of Conservation to promote beverage container recycling.
2. The Solid Waste Manager and Solid Waste Planning Superintendent of the City of Sacramento are hereby authorized and empowered to execute in the name of the City of Sacramento, all necessary applications, contracts, agreements, amendments, payment requests, progress reports and final reports for the purpose of securing said funds and to implement and carry out the purposes specified in the funding application.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

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