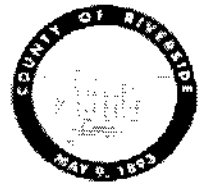


**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



FROM: Supervisor Ashley and Supervisor Stone

SUBMITTAL DATE: December 19, 2006

SUBJECT: Authorization for the Department of Environmental Health, Community Health Agency, to approve the release of funds related to the Esperanza Fire Community Cleanup

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

That the Board of Supervisors


- 1) Authorize the Department of Environmental Health to receive invoices from and process the release of previously designated funds to Waste Management of the Inland Empire (WMIE), for waste removal activities associated with the Esperanza Fire.

BACKGROUND:

On November 14, 2006 the Board allocated the use of Community Improvement Designation Funds to reimburse Waste Management of the Inland Empire (WMIE) for waste removal resulting from the Esperanza Fire Community Clean-up. A fund was set up using \$25,000 from the Fifth District and \$25,000 from the Third District Funds.

WMIE offered reduced hauling rates for the removal of this waste is providing additional in kind services for this effort. As the Administering Agency for the Franchise under which Waste Management Inc. provides its waste collection services to the County, the Department of Environmental Health is the appropriate entity to receive and process the invoices for these services


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