

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



ITEM: 15.1
(ID # 27065)

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, March 18, 2025

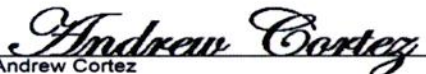
FROM : DEPARTMENT OF WASTE RESOURCES

SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT OF WASTE RESOURCES: Adopt Resolution No. 2025-050 Authorizing Department of Waste Resources to Apply for all State of California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) Grant Programs and Related Authorizations; All Districts. [\$0 – Waste Resources Enterprise Fund]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt Resolution No. 2025-050 authorizing the Department of Waste Resources (Department) to submit applications to the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) for all grant programs for five (5) years from the date of adoption of this Resolution;
2. If awarded, authorize the Department's General Manager-Chief Engineer, or designee, to execute the grant award that may result and associated agreements, documents and certificates, and implement programs and expend grant funds for any awarded program funding, with such expenditures exempt under County Ordinance No. 459, Section 7, Category I Exception (i), provided that the amount of the Department's contribution share is budgeted and it does not otherwise require a budget adjustment, subject to approval as to form by County Counsel; and
3. Direct the Department to return to the Board of Supervisors for approval of any grant agreements if funding of a grant significantly changes, alters, or discontinues which may require a budget adjustment or affirmative termination by the Board.

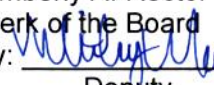
ACTION:Policy


Andrew Cortez 1/30/2025

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Spiegel, seconded by Supervisor Gutierrez and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes: Medina, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Gutierrez
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: March 18, 2025
xc: Waste

Kimberly A. Rector
Clerk of the Board
By: 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
NET COUNTY COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: Department of Waste Resources Enterprise Funds			Budget Adjustment:	No
			For Fiscal Year:	24/25 - 29/30

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

The Department previously applied for and received grants from the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) under Resolution No. 2020-059, which will expire on or about April 7, 2025. CalRecycle requires a new resolution for future grant applications.

CalRecycle Grants are made available by CalRecycle per Public Resources Code section 40000 et seq. to help local governments establish or expand services beneficial to the County and its residents. California cities, counties, and local agencies, including Tribal reservations and rancherias, with direct responsibility for providing public services are eligible to apply. Assembly Bill 1220 (Eastin, Statutes of 1993, Chapter 656) authorizes CalRecycle to expend funds from the Integrated Waste Management Account, upon appropriation by the legislature, to make grants to cities, counties, or other local agencies with responsibility to provide effective waste management services.

Following Adoption by the Board of Supervisors, this Resolution will enable the Department to apply for various grants offered by CalRecycle. It also gives authority to the Department's General Manager – Chief Engineer, or designee, to execute all grant documents necessary to secure any awarded funds, expend grant funds, and implement programs.

Prev. Agn. Ref.: M.O. 12.1 of 4/07/20 (Resolution No. 2020-059)

Impact on Residents and Businesses

CalRecycle offers funding opportunities authorized by legislation to assist public and private entities in the safe and effective management of waste streams. The funding opportunities may assist the Department in subsidizing some of the costs to grant funded programs that would be beneficial to the County and its residents.

SUPPLEMENTAL:

Contract History and Price Reasonableness

The Department has applied for grants from CalRecycle and the former California Integrated Waste Management Board (until 2009), to provide funding for programs that increase recycling,

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waste diversion and provide free household hazardous waste collection to the residents of Riverside County. Grant funds have benefited the Department by providing a portion of the funds needed to implement, maintain and expand these services to the public. The Department routinely applies for CalRecycle grants such as the Waste Tire Cleanup and Amnesty Event grants, Reuse Assistance Grants, Household Hazardous Waste, Beverage Container Recycling, Tire Derived Aggregate, Used Oil Block and Competitive Grants. The Department has been awarded numerous grants, providing funds to be used for the expansion of landfill waste diversion and household hazardous waste collection programs. Grant funds have been used for public education, facility construction, equipment purchases and service level increases to the public.

ATTACHMENTS:

ATTACHMENT A. Resolution No. 2025-050



Jason Farin, Principal Policy Analyst 3/11/2025



Aaron Gettis, Chief of Deputy County Counsel 2/7/2025

1 Board of Supervisors

County of Riverside

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3 RESOLUTION NO. 2025-050

4 A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
5 AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF GRANT APPLICATIONS AND RELATED AUTHORIZATIONS
6 FOR ALL CALRECYCLE GRANT PROGRAMS
7 FOR WHICH THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE IS ELIGIBLE

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9 WHEREAS, the California Public Resources Code authorizes the Department of Resources
10 Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) to administer various Grant Programs in furtherance of the State of
11 California's (State) efforts to reduce, recycle and reuse solid waste generated in the State, thereby preserving
12 landfill capacity and protecting public health and safety and the environment; and

13 WHEREAS, in furtherance of this authority, CalRecycle is required to establish procedures
14 governing the application, awarding, management, and administration of the Grant Programs, including to
15 local agencies; and

16 WHEREAS, CalRecycle grant application procedures require, among other things, an applicant's
17 governing body to declare by resolution certain authorizations related to the application and administration
18 of CalRecycle Grants.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the
20 County of Riverside, State of California, ("Board"), in regular session assembled on March 18, 2025, at
21 9:30 a.m., or soon thereafter, in the meeting room of the Board located on the first floor of the County
22 Administrative Center, 4080 Lemon Street, Riverside, California, that this Board does hereby determine
23 and declare as follows:

- 24 1. The County of Riverside ("County") is authorized to submit an application to CalRecycle for all
25 Grant Programs offered for which the County is eligible; and
26 2. The Riverside County Department of Waste Resources' General Manager – Chief Engineer, or
27 his/her designees, are hereby authorized and empowered as Signature Authority to execute in the
28 name of The County of Riverside all grant documents, including but not limited to, applications,

1 agreements, reports, amendments, and requests for payment, necessary to secure grant funds and
2 implement the approved grant project; and

- 3 3. The Riverside County Department of Waste Resources' General Manager – Chief Engineer, or
4 his/her designees, are hereby authorized and empowered to expend grant funds, with such
5 expenditures exempt under County Ordinance No. 459, Section 7, Category I Exception: (i) [Items
6 exempt by law or specific order or policies of the Board of Supervisors], provided that expenses are
7 part of the approved grant budget, the amount of the Department's contribution share is budgeted,
8 and it does not otherwise require a budget adjustment, subject to approval as to form by County
9 Counsel; and
- 10 4. These authorizations are effective for five (5) years from the date of adoption of this Resolution.
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13 ROLL CALL:

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15 Ayes: Medina, Spiegel, Washington, Perez, and Gutierrez

16 Nays: None

17 Absent: None

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19 The foregoing is certified to be a true copy of a resolution duly adopted by said
20 Board of Supervisors on the date therein set forth.

21 KIMBERLY A. RECTOR, Clerk of said Board

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23 By: 
24 Deputy

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