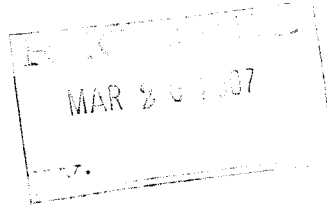




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March 21, 2007



Timothy Flanagan
Assistant General Manager
Monterey Regional Waste Management District
P.O. Box 1670
Marina, CA 93933

Dear Timothy:

On behalf of the Solid Waste Association of North America and the Landfill Gas Technical Division, I would like to extend you a special note of thanks for the time and effort you spent preparing and delivering your presentation at SWANA's 30th Annual Landfill Gas Symposium earlier this month in Monterey, California. Without exception, your contribution and role as a speaker was critical to the success of this event, which was **THE** largest event in its 30 year history – boasting nearly **700** participants! I certainly hope you enjoyed the experience and took full advantage of the many opportunities to meet landfill gas professionals from all over the world.

The Call for Papers for the 31st Annual Landfill Gas Symposium is available from the forms page of the SWANA website at www.SWANA.org. I hope you will again consider submitting an abstract for this great event – whether it be an update on the project you presented on in Monterey or another innovative project or groundbreaking research you are carrying out. Abstracts must be submitted by the end of July, but the sooner we receive your presentation proposal the better for our planning purposes. Please mark your calendars now for the 2008 event, scheduled for March 10-13 at the Westin Galleria in Houston, Texas.

I look forward to your continued involvement and support of SWANA. Please feel free to contact me by phone at (240) 494-2237 or by e-mail at bdieleman@swana.org if there is anything I can do for you in follow-up to this event. See you next year in Houston if not before.

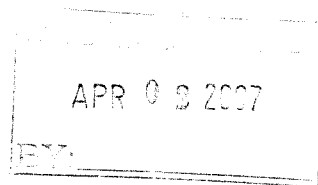
Best Regards,

Brent Dieleman
SWANA Manager of Technical Division Section

*Tim -
Many thanks for all
your support in making
LFG 30 a great success. Your
presentation was great &
the tour of your site
was incredible! I've
heard many great
comments from
attendees.*



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March 28, 2007

Mr. William Merry
General Manager
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Dear William:

On behalf of the Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) and the Landfill Gas Technical Division, I would like to thank you for opening up the Monterey Regional Waste Management District for the technical tour portion of **SWANA's 30th Annual Landfill Gas Symposium**.

Your facilities were very inviting, clean and attractive, and the staff was extremely knowledgeable and friendly. Special note of thanks to Richard Shedden, Richard Petit, Mario Van Cleave and Tim Flanagan for their excellent support and for taking time out of their busy schedules to participate in the tour. Also, thanks to all the MRWMD staff, board and others "behind the scene" who helped make the tour of your facilities enjoyable for all. Of all the many tours I've participated in and coordinated for SWANA events, the tour of the MRWMD was the most expertly planned, meticulously executed and professionally supported. This reflects very highly on you, your staff, the District's Board, and the entire community of Monterey.

I look forward to your continued involvement and support of future SWANA events. Please feel free to contact me anytime by phone at (240) 494-2237 or by e-mail at bdieleman@swana.org if there is ever anything SWANA can do for you or the Districts.

Best Regards,

Brent Dieleman
SWANA Manager of Technical Division Section

