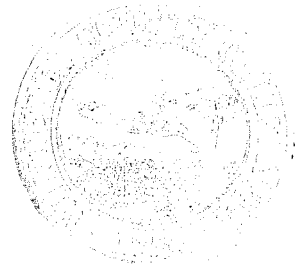


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December 22, 2006

Mr. William Merry, General Manager
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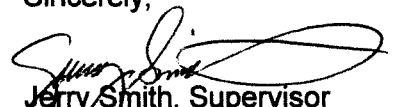
Dear William,

I am forwarding to you a copy of a letter I received from Ms. Yvonne Pea, dated November 20, 2006 regarding usable paint disposal.

Please provide me with an explanation to the Board Policy related to this issue so that I may respond to Ms. Pea's comments.

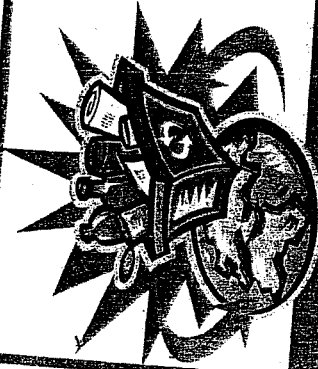
I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,


Jerry Smith, Supervisor
District 4 - Monterey County

JS:cw

736 Recycling-Refrigeration



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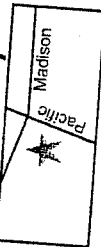
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Monterey

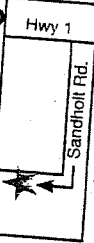


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(Next To Fire Station)

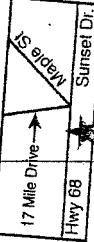
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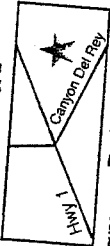
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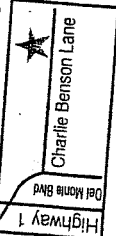
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MONTEREY REGIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

Home of the Last Chance Mercantile

January 11, 2007

Supervisor Jerry Smith
2616 First Avenue
Marina, CA 93933

Re: Paint Recycling and associated charges

Dear ~~Supervisor Smith:~~ *Jerry*

The Monterey Regional Waste Management District (District) is a "Special District" organized under state law. In 1951, the District was established under the California Health and Safety Code. The jurisdictional boundaries include the cities of Carmel-by-the-Sea, Del Rey Oaks, Marina, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Sand City, Seaside, and the unincorporated areas of Big Sur, Carmel Highlands, Carmel Valley, Corral de Tierra, Laguna Seca, Moss Landing, Pebble Beach, San Benancio, and Toro Park. A separate entity, the Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority (SVSWA) has within its jurisdictional boundaries the Prunedale unincorporated area. It appears that Ms. Pea has confused the District with "Waste Management Inc.", a private company and franchised refuse and recycling collector.

The District and the Salinas Valley Waste Management Authority attempt to coordinate pricing and policy decisions regarding the handling and disposition of waste and recycling materials whenever possible. The residence given by Ms. Pea, however, falls into the jurisdictional boundaries established by the SVSWA, so they are the appropriate entity to handle that material. Therefore, they would be able to receive her household hazardous waste (HHW) free of charge, not the District. Per our policy, we currently charge for household hazardous waste from "out-of District" residences. Similarly, the SVSWA charges when HHW is dropped off at their facility from "outside of their service area." The cost to manage HHW is approximately \$100 per customer, or \$10 per gallon of material turned in. Both the District and SVSWA have agreed to support this valuable, but costly, program for our service areas.

Supervisor Jerry Smith
January 11, 2007
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The good news is that the SVSWA does recycle the paint dropped off at their facility at 139 Sun Street in Salinas. Their hours of operation are Tuesday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Their phone number is (831) 424-5520. We appreciate her willingness to "do the right thing" regarding the recycling and handling of paint and other material. The following is a website link to the SVSWA (www.svswwa.org) that has a substantial amount of information regarding their program and hours of operation.

I hope this provides enough information to draft a response to her inquiry.

Very Truly Yours,



William M. Merry, P.E., DEE
General Manager

cc: Steve Johnson, SVSWA