



Redwood Landfill

Mitigated Alternative

Risk Management

CEQA Hearing

Reduce Environmental Impacts of a Project

- ❖ Project started in 2000
- ❖ Draft EIR July 2003
- ❖ *Draft* Subsequent Final EIR July 2005
- ❖ Supplement *Response to Comments* March 2008
- ❖ Hearings April 28 & May 5

Alternatives

- No Project
- Status Quo – additional ADC materials
- Reduced Scale
- Mitigated
- Off Site
- Environmentally Superior – Mitigated Alternative

EIR is Inadequate, Incomplete & Deficient

- 33% expansion
 - ❖ Volume
 - ❖ Footprint
- No Specifics until after approval
- Green Waste 300 tons a day (3.15B lbs in 15 years)
- GHG 200% increase from 1990 levels
- No Gas to Energy
- No Climate Change Considerations
- No proven Leachate collection system
- No Financial Assurance
- No Zero Waste Plans – Consistency with CWP

Coalition Concerns

- The Mitigated Alternative would not require WMI to meet numerous significant conditions until after expansion is approved.
 - ◆ implement resource recovery
 - ◆ methane gas power generation
 - ◆ flood protection
 - ◆ seismic stability analysis
 - ◆ Leacate protection
- ✓ Any permitted volume increase must be conditioned on WMI meeting clear milestones first.

Mitigated Alternative Theme

“Additional Data Needed”

WMI specifics after permit approved, and
after additional data is collected

Green Waste

- 300 Tons/day (600,000lbs)
 - Use for ADC
 - Erosion Control
 - Slope stabilization

- Methane generation
- No Retail Composting
- 3.15B lbs. -15 years



Climate Change

- Waiting for FEMA flood revisions
- IPCC data 3 years old
- Flood protection - levees must be raised
- Complexity to raise levees
- 2006 Levee Failure

WMI has refused

- to submit a detailed project for public review until after it receives its fast-tracked expansion permit.
- County is putting the "cart before the horse"

The Larger Issue

- FEIR -no protections for the environment
- No Protections for our pocketbook

Call to Action

- Attend Hearings
- Support the 4 Principles
- BoS strong resolution for protection



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