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Upper Valley Waste Management Agency **Board Agenda Letter**

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Steven Lederer - Manager

Upper Valley Waste Management Agency

REPORT BY: Steven Lederer, DIRECTOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL MGT, 253-4471

SUBJECT: Franchises' Status

RECOMMENDATION

FRANCHISES' STATUS

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION: Manager to provide an update concerning the implementation of franchises' activities.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Attached are the monthly reports for July 2007. Other information about company activities is included in the background section below.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

Update on the Construction & Demolition (C&D) Recycling Study

Although the formal report is not due to be presented to the Board until September, the Company's consultant,

Evan Edgar, will provide the Board with an update on progress and results to date and staff will seek any informal guidance the Board may be able to provide at this stage of the evaluation. Preliminary copies of the report, if available, will be provided to the Board at the meeting.

Company Web Site

Staff noted that the Upper Valley Disposal Service (UVDS) Web site was out of date. UVDS has completed a comprehensive update of the website.

Events

A Household Hazardous Waste Event will be conducted on October 13, 2007 at the Calistoga Fairgrounds.

Oil Filter Recycling

Staff and the company are working on rolling out a program to collect used oil filters via the standard curbside recycling program. A particular effort is being made to roll out this program at the 3 publicly run farm worker centers.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

- A . CFL Report
- B . 2007 Green Report
- C . Curbside Oil 2007
- D. 2007 Origin Report
- E . 2007 Summary

Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Steven Lederer