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Gerri Silva, Director
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Re: American River Disposal Service Program Implementation

Dear Ms. Silva,

Thank you for your time yesterday to discuss expansion of ARD recycling programs. It was very helpful to us to sit down and brainstorm on the various programs. Your staff is well informed and provided some beneficial insight.

The following items are outlined to answer unresolved questions.

Blue Bag Recycling Program

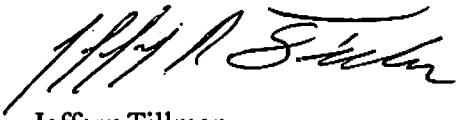
- This program will be rolled out to the year-round customers in our service area on 1-1-09.
- Blue bags will be provided to the customers initially and then replaced at curbside by our employees as the bags are used, similar to the system used by Sierra Disposal Service. There is no limit to the number of bags per household.
- The estimated cost of the program is provided in the attached spreadsheet.
- We will provide drafts of the educational materials as they are developed for your review and comment. Any samples or examples you have are welcomed.

Green Waste Recycling Program

- The Green Waste Recycling Program will be rolled out the week of Earth Day 2009.
- ARD intends to collect green waste on our regular collection routes, rather than with a separate truck, because of fuel and labor costs.
- Customers may participate by placing a designated bag next to their garbage can. Material in the designated bag will be collected free of charge.
- There is no estimated cost increase for this program, unless ARD is asked to provide a special bag which would trigger an associated cost increase.

Please feel free to contact me if further information or clarification is needed.

Truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeffery Tillman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "J".

Jeffery Tillman
President

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