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April 21, 2009

Nancy McDermid, Chair  
South Lake Tahoe Basin Waste Management Authority  
1901 Airport Road, Suite 100  
South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150

**Subject: Countywide Solid Waste Management Planning**

Dear Ms. McDermid:

The Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado recently held a workshop to discuss future countywide solid waste management planning. This discussion focused on several aspects of solid waste planning including; waste management facilities, program enhancements, landfills, and the development of a common rate setting methodology.

The Board of Supervisors (Board) is excited to explore the future of solid waste planning for the County of El Dorado. The Board wishes to formally invite and encourage the El Dorado Hills Community Services District (District) to participate in this opportunity to develop a countywide plan to manage the future solid waste needs of the County. The Board sees the development of this plan as a way to work together with the District to address the collective needs of the County and strategize solutions that make sense for all parties involved. The Board is hopeful that a collective approach to this plan will ensure a time and cost benefit savings for all entities who manage solid waste within their respective jurisdictions.

In the next week, the staff of the El Dorado County Environmental Management Department will be contacting you to schedule a meeting to discuss the District's participation in the development of this countywide solid waste management plan. If you have questions or would like to discuss this further please contact Gerri Silva, Director of Environmental Management at 530-621-6653.

Sincerely,

Ron Briggs, Chairman  
County of El Dorado Board of Supervisors