



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Date of Notice: November 21, 2014

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Internal Order or WBS No. 21003321

PROJECT NAME/NUMBER: Landfill Gas to Energy Study with HDR Engineering, INC.

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Citywide

COUNCIL DISTRICT: Citywide

LOCATION: City of San Diego

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A renewed interest in alternative energy generation projects has led the Environmental Services Department to consider the prospect of landfill gas to energy facilities at City-owned landfills. The firm, HDR Engineering, INC., would complete a Landfill Gas to Energy Feasibility Study for City landfill sites.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego Mayor – Appointed Designee

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: This activity for which this agreement will be used is Categorically Exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA guidelines §15306 (Information Collection)

ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: City of San Diego Mayor – Appointed Designee

STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:

This activity has been determined to be exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA section 15306 (Information Collection) which allows for the basic data collection, research, experimental management, and resource evaluation activities which do not result in serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource which may be strictly for information gathering purposed, or as part of a study leading to an action which a public agency has not yet approved, adopted or funded; and where the exceptions listed in CEQA Section 15300.2 would not apply in that no cumulative impacts were identified; no significant effect on the environment were identified; the project is not adjacent to a scenic highway; no historical resources would be affected by the action.

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On November 21, 2014 the City of San Diego made the above-referenced environmental determination pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This determination is appealable to the City Council. If you have any questions about this determination, contact the City Project Manager listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determination made by staff to the City Council must be filed in the office of the City Clerk within 10 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (**December 8, 2014**). The appeal application can be obtained from the City Clerk, 202 'C' Street, Second Floor, San Diego, CA 92101.

This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request.