

November 22, 2005

Marin County Board of Supervisors
3501 Civic Center Drive
San Rafael, CA 94903

SUBJECT: First Reading to Amend Sections 7.80.005(a)
and 7.80.010 of The Marin County Code

Dear Supervisors:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended your Board:

1. Conduct the first reading and set a merit hearing for 11 a.m., December 6, 2005, to amend Sections 7.80.005(a) and 7.80.010 of the County Code for Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA).
2. Instruct your Clerk to publicize the hearing in a local publication.

SUMMARY: At your October 18, 2005 Board meeting, Marin Public Works reported that the City of San Rafael had submitted notice to the State and County withdrawing their certification as the Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) for the incorporated City of San Rafael. Additionally at this meeting, you authorized the Marin Public Works Director to request that the California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal EPA) certify the County's CUPA to include the City of San Rafael.

Since that time the Public Works Department has been working with Cal EPA and San Rafael to achieve an expeditious and seamless transition for the inclusion of the City into the County's CUPA program. As part of this transition process it is necessary to amend the County's CUPA Ordinance to remove text excluding the County's CUPA from hazardous waste, permitting inspections and oversight within the incorporated areas of the City of San Rafael.

FISCAL IMPACT: This amendment will include San Rafael's business within the County's existing CUPA fee schedule and increase revenue and expenditures within the Public Works Waste Management Division (#367). Your Board made the necessary budget adjustments at your November 8, 2005.

REVIEWED BY:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Auditor-Controller	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	County Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Human Resources	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Rawles
Deputy Director

Attachment