



Legislation Text

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TO: Board of Directors

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SUBJECT: Franchises' Status

RECOMMENDATION

FRANCHISES' STATUS

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

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

To brief the Board on various company activities, that may include, but are not limited to:

1. Communications with customers.
2. The Company is considering an investment into a Bio-gasification plant for CFL, which would use woody organics as a fuel to create electricity and biochar. If financially feasible (\$7 million), the plant would support Climate Action plan goals, SB 1383 purchasing requirements, and would be an efficient way to dispose of woody debris. Barriers include permits, financing, and guaranteeing adequate feedstock to "feed" the plant.
3. Other happenings of interest to the Board.
4. Update on recycling markets and relevant legislation.

No Board action is anticipated.

FISCAL & STRATEGIC PLAN 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

Nothing additional.