



# Goleta Valley Solid Waste Management

Resource Recovery & Waste  
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# Overview

- Collection programs
- Facilities
- Standards





# Collection Programs

- Two franchised haulers in Goleta Valley
  - MarBorg Industries
  - BFI (Republic)
- MarBorg franchise term to 2011
  - 2 possible 4-year extensions (2019)
    - Must meet performance specifications
    - Rate review in 2011
- BFI franchise term to 2011



# Collection Programs

- Residential
  - Weekly trash
  - Weekly green waste
  - Every other week recyclables
  - Annual on-call bulky item collection
- Commercial
  - Collection of trash, green waste, and recyclables based on need (up to 6 days/week)



# Facilities

- Trash to Tajiguas Landfill on Gaviota Coast
  - Opened in mid 1960s
  - Currently receive approx 175,000 tpy
  - Current capacity until 2023





# Facilities

- Greenwaste
  - Collected by franchisees
  - Delivered to SCR&TS & Tajiguas
  - Cleaned and ground
  - Marketed as mulch
    - Orchards
    - Parks
    - Homes





# Facilities

- Recyclables are delivered to SCR&TS
- Reloaded into transfer trucks and delivered to Gold Coast Recycling
- Material is sorted and marketed
- Residual is backhauled to Tajiguas



# Facilities

- Self-haul waste
  - Trash collection is not mandatory
  - Only customers with accounts can go to Tajiguas
  - SCR&TS 6 days/wk
  - MarBorg TS at Quinientos





# Hazardous Waste

- Permanent collection center housed at UCSB
  - Open every weekend and Fridays for businesses by appointment
    - 8,240 residents
    - 510 businesses
  - Accepts all types of hhw except radioactive
  - Paid for by County and cities of SB and Goleta



# Hazardous Waste

- Two ABOPs operated by MarBorg
  - Cacique in Santa Barbara
  - David Love Place in Goleta
  - Accepts recyclable materials
    - Used motor oil
    - Latex paint
    - Anti-freeze
    - Batteries
  - Open 6 days/week



# E Waste

- Growing wastestream
- Illegal to dispose in 2001
- E-waste collection centers
  - SCR&TS
    - 6 days/week
    - Free of charge
  - Cacique street
  - David Love Place





# Standards

- Collection service
  - Minimum frequency of once a week
  - Twice a week for food service
  - Cans are not supposed to be visible from street
  - Use of franchisees not mandatory except for in Isla Vista



# Standards

- State mandate for 50% diversion of waste passed in 1989
- Have implemented variety of programs
- Currently unincorporated area and City of Goleta (regional reporting authority) divert 69%



# Standards

- Franchised haulers are required to deliver to recycling facilities a specific percentage of waste collected
- BOS passed a mandatory commercial recycling ordinance in 2003
  - 99% compliance rate
- New developments must provide sufficient space in enclosures for recycling containers

# Newest Standard



## Recycling of construction and demolition debris

- Unscheduled haulers must recycle 50% of material collected
- Project applicants expecting to generate more than 350 tons of waste must develop SWMP



# Other Programs

- Public education programs
  - Website
  - Recycling Guide
  - Events
  - Media campaigns
- School recycling and Art from Scrap
- Backyard composting
- Illegal dumping, abandoned vehicles