City of Santa Rosa



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Title: REVIEW OF THE SONOMA ORGANIC WASTE PROCESSING (SOWP) FACILITY PROJECT.

PROGRESS TO DATE

In May 2017, the Sonoma County Waste Management Agency (Agency) issued a request for proposals from parties interested in owning and operating a compost facility to re-establish a solid waste compost facility within Sonoma County. As part of the siting effort, the City offered city-owned property near the Laguna Treatment Plant (LTP) for lease to provide both a potential site for the facility and potential synergistic benefits to the City via a separate request for proposals. During the City's RFP process, ten proposals which included use of city property were received by the City. Of these ten, city staff identified four that met city criteria for further consideration. The Board approved Letters of Intent to Negotiate with these four proposers in December, 2017. Subsequently, the Agency selected Renewable Sonoma as having the most beneficial proposal. Renewable Sonoma and city staff are now working towards developing an Exclusive Negotiating Agreement which, upon Board approval, will enable Renewable Sonoma to develop a detailed proposal for the project and for the lease of city property and will facilitate the negotiation of one or more agreements between the City and Renewable Sonoma for the location and development of the proposed project on City-owned

property.

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