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Upper Valley Waste Management Agency **Board Agenda Letter**

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Steven Lederer - Manager

Upper Valley Waste Management Agency

REPORT BY: Steven Lederer, Director of Environmental Management - 253-4471

SUBJECT: Insurance

RECOMMENDATION

INSURANCE

REQUESTED ACTION: Approval and acceptance of the Agency's proposed insurance coverages.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Agency has One Million Dollars of Directors and Officers Insurance to cover its activities. The policy is renewed with each fiscal year. Last year's insurance expense was six thousand two hundred ninety nine (\$6,299). Attached is a quote for \$5,880 for the coming year, representing a small cost reduction for the same coverage.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? Yes
Is it currently budgeted? Yes

Where is it budgeted? Upper Valley Waste Management Agency

Is it Mandatory or Discretionary? Discretionary

Discretionary Justification: While not required, a small investment in insurance appears to be a wise

investment.

Is the general fund affected? No

Future fiscal impact: None

Consequences if not approved: The Agency would not be insured and would be liable for the full amount of any

successful claims.

Additional Information:

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

None.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

A . Insurance Quote

Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Steven Lederer