

Detailed Project Description

3.0 Project Description

- 3.1 This project will consist of West Central Arkansas Planning and Development District, Inc. (WCAPDD) providing Administrative Services to the Southwest Central RSWMD for management of the Recycling Grant Funds received by the District. Duties will include fiscal management and preparation of information required by the Board of Directors and Recycling Advisory Committee. The desired outcome of the project is to attempt to satisfy ADEQ Regulations with regard to applicability of eligible Administrative Activities.
- 3.2 N/A
- 3.3 WCAPDD, Inc. is located at 835 Central Avenue, Suite 201 in Hot Springs. The current population served includes all of the three member counties of the SWCRSWMD and includes approximately 141,967 persons.
- 3.4 N/A

4.0 Administrative Requirements

4.1 Does the applicant hold current environmental permits required for this project?

Yes No No, but have applied Not Applicable

4.2 If existing equipment serves the project area, provide justification why this project is not a duplication of services.

4.3 Does the applicant have sufficient resources to effectively operate the project for the purpose(s) specified in the application? *(Grant recipients must show that adequate revenues are being collected to support the long-term operation and maintenance of a grant-funded project. Items such as equipment maintenance and supplies, utilities, labor and transportation costs should be considered.)*

Yes No

4.4 Projected beginning date September 1, 2007

4.5 Projected completion date August 31, 2008

4.6 Attach completed Budget, Appendix A

4.7 Attach signed Minimum Conditions of Grants, Appendix B

4.8 Attach proof of publication and public comments received regarding the grant request. *(A description of the grant proposal must be inserted in a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected by the project a minimum of 30 days prior to the submission of the grant application. This must include a solicitation of written comments from the public. For a sample public notice, see Appendix C)*

Ensure that Section 5.0 Signature and Certification is completed and accompanies each grant application.

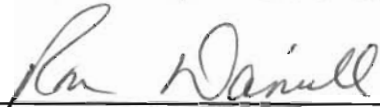
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5.0 Signature and certification

The authorized representative of the organization applying for the grant and the Regional Solid Waste Management Board Chairman both must sign the application. The authorized representative must have the authority to obligate the applicant's resources.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this application and its attachments is correct and true. I understand and agree that if grant money is subsequently awarded as a result of this application, I will comply with all applicable statutory provisions and with applicable terms, conditions, and procedures of the ADEQ grant program. I certify that all proposed activities will be carried out and that all grant money received will be utilized solely for the purposes for which it is intended unless written authorization is provided by the Regional Solid Waste Management District and the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality.



Signature of Applicant's Authorized Representative

Clark County Judge

(870) 246-5847

7/12/07

Title

Telephone Number

Date



Signature of RSWMD Board Chairman

Ron Daniell

7/12/07

Print name

Date

THE ABOVE-REFERENCED GRANT IS HEREBY APPROVED.



Teresa Dechtel (ADEQ Programs Branch)

10-09-2007

Date



Steve Martin (ADEQ Solid Waste Management Division Chief)

10/09/2007

Date

APPENDIX A – PROJECT BUDGET

COSTS SHOULD BE BUDGETED FOR FIRST YEAR ONLY.
REVENUE SHOULD BE PROJECTED FOR THREE YEARS.

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- (A) **PROJECT BUDGET SUMMARY** – Fill in all applicable spaces. Total ADEQ Grant Funds Requested and Total Project Costs must match the figures shown on page one (1) of the application. Be sure to total grant funds requested, matching resources, and total costs. Providing matching resources is not mandatory to be considered for a grant but is a measure of cost effectiveness of your application.

(A) Project Budget and Summary	ADEQ Grant Funds Requested	Matching Resources*	Total Costs
1. Personnel Services	28,498	63,502	92,000
2. Professional Services			0
3. Capital Outlay			0
4. Services and Supplies			0
5. Total ADEQ Grant Funds Requested (Transfer to Page 1)	28,498		
6. Total Matching Resources Committed to the Project		63,502	
TOTAL PROJECT COST (Transfer to Page 1)			92000

- (B) **REVENUE TO CONTINUE PROGRAM** – List all revenue sources, present or future, to maintain the project beyond the grant. This section must be completed.

(B) Revenue to Continue Program	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Grant Funds (specify type of grant)			
ADEQ Recycling Grant	28,498		
Landfill Tipping Fees			
Local Sales Tax			
Mandatory User Fees			
Sale of Recycled Material			
Solid Waste Assessment	101,000	101,000	101,000
Other (specify)			
TOTAL REVENUE	129,498	101,000	101000

APPENDIX B - MINIMUM CONDITIONS OF RECYCLING GRANTS

The following items are **not** eligible for funding from recycling grants:

Taxes
Reimbursement of funds
Retroactive purchases
Legal fees
Licenses or permits
Land acquisition
Vehicle registration
Utilities including telephone
Office equipment

All grants are subject to the requirements of A.C.A §8-6-601 et. seq. and Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission Regulation 11, Chapter Five: Solid Waste Management and Recycling Grants Program. Highlights include:

Grant Recipients agree to:

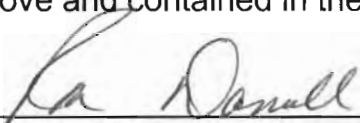
- Conform to all state laws on the purchase, use or sale of equipment and facilities secured with grant funds.
- Have design plans for construction of permanent facilities with an estimated cost of \$50,000 or greater approved by a professional engineer unless otherwise approved by ADEQ.
- Seek competitive bids or requests for proposals (RFP) for purchase of equipment or services with an estimated cost of \$15,000 or greater. This should be done through an advertisement in an area newspaper of general circulation.
- Start grant project before application deadline for the next grant round. Delays must be approved in writing by both the RSWMD and ADEQ.
- Develop the recycling program presented in the application and expend all grant funds within three years. Extensions must be approved in writing by both the RSWMD and ADEQ.
- Actively seek to market or reuse materials collected in three years.
- Use any interest earned on grant funds exclusively for this or other recycling programs.
- Maintain an orderly accounting system to document that grant expenditures are made in accordance with project budget. This includes keeping copies of all bids, paid invoices, canceled checks, and other appropriate paperwork.
- Report to the RSWMD for five or more years as directed by ADEQ & the board.

RSWMD Boards agree to:

- Establish or designate at least one adequate recyclable materials collection center in each county.
- Ensure that all applicable federal, state and local permits and licenses have been obtained; the project has begun; and adequate revenue sources for continuation of the program are in place before disbursing grants funds.
- Ensure that recipients conform to all state laws that are applicable to the purchase, use or sale of equipment and facilities secured with state funding.
- Ensure that facilities or equipment purchased with grant funds be used exclusively for the general purposes specified in the grant application. **Note: facilities and equipment purchased with grant funds may not be sold, traded or transferred without the Department's written consent.**
- Require grant recipients to maintain an orderly accounting system to document that expenditures are made in accordance with project budget. This includes keeping copies of all bids, paid invoices, canceled checks and other appropriate paperwork.
- Review any change order forms submitted. If approved, submit to ADEQ.
- Review requests for delay of start of grant projects. If approved, submit to ADEQ.
- Compile and submit annual progress reports to ADEQ by **September 1** of each year for a period of five years following the disbursement of funds, or until the expenditure of grant funds is complete.
- Notify ADEQ in the event a recipient has not met conditions of the approved grant application.

All grants are subject to audit. Department personnel have the right of access to all records pertaining to a grant-funded project or activity.

I hereby certify that I have read and agree to the conditions of grants as stated above and contained in the listed legislation and regulation.



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I, PENNY THORNTON Manager, of **The Sentinel-Record** a newspaper of

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P.O. Box 21100
Hot Springs, AR 71903
Written comments should be received no later than June 18, 2007.

general circulation published, and having bonafide circulation in Hot Springs, Garland County, Arkansas, hereby certify that the legal notice hereto attached was published in said newspaper for 1 consecutive insertions and that the

First insertion was on the 18th Day of May A.D. 2007

Second Insertion was _____ Day of _____ A.D. _____

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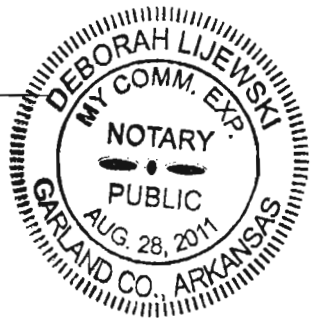
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Penny Thornton

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 18th day of May A.D. 2007

Deborah Lijewski
Notary Public



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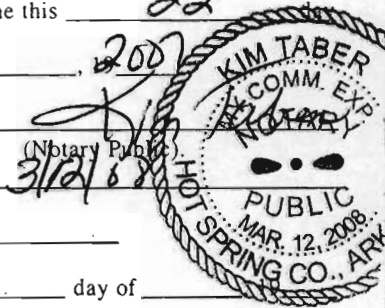
STATE OF ARKANSAS)
County of Hot Springs

I, Gwen Robbins do solemnly swear, that I am Classified of the Malvern Daily Record, a daily paper published in said County and that I was CMD of said paper at the dates hereinafter stated, and that said paper had a bona fide circulation in said county at said dates, had been regularly published in said county for a period of one month next before the date of the first publication of advertisement hereto annexed, and that said advertisement was published 1 times consecutively, and that the insertions of said advertisement were made and published in said newspaper on the following dates:

First insertion May 18 2007
 Second insertion _____ 19 _____
 Third insertion _____ 19 _____
 Fourth insertion _____ 19 _____
 Fifth insertion _____ 19 _____
 Sixth insertion _____ 19 _____

Gwen Robbins

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22 of May 2007



My commission expires _____
 Publishing Fee \$ 52.92

Received payment this _____ day of _____

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By _____

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The State of Arkansas
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WEST CENTRAL ARKANSAS
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT, INC.

I, **JINKS**, do solemnly affirm that I am the **PUBLISHER** of **THE DAILY HERALD**, a daily newspaper, printed in said county, and that I was the publisher of said daily newspaper at the dates of publication hereinafter stated, and that said newspaper had a bona fide circulation in such county at said dates, and had been regularly published in said county for a period of twelve months before the date of the first publication of the advertisement hereto annexed.

Date(s) of insertion: **MAY 18, 2007**

Signed 

Affirmed to and subscribed before me, this 15TH day of JUNE 2007.

 Notary Public
My commission expires OCTOBER 16, 2010.

Fees for printing: \$50.29

