



# TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY

## TOWN COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

To: Honorable Mayor and Town Council Date: January 26, 2016

From: Jim Andersen, Manager Item No: 7  
Code Enforcement Department

Subject: **ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2016-03, A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF APPLICATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RESOURCES RECYCLING AND RECOVERY (CALRECYCLE) EFFECTIVE UNTIL RESCINDED BY THE SIGNATURE AUTHORITY OF THIS GOVERNING BODY**

T.M. Approval: \_\_\_\_\_ Budgeted Item:  Yes  No  N/A

### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the Town Council adopt Resolution No. 2016-03, a Resolution of the Town Council of the Town of Apple Valley authorizing the Town Manager to execute Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) grants on behalf of the Town of Apple Valley.

### SUMMARY:

The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) currently administers four (4) grants the Town of Apple Valley currently applies for and utilizes.

1. A tire amnesty grant program used to divert waste tires from landfills, prevent illegal dumping, educate the public on property tire maintenance and disposal, and to promote markets for recycled content for waste tire products.
2. An illegal disposal site abatement grant to help public entities accelerate the pace of cleanup and restore illegal dumpsites. This grant is used to help offset the costs of the Code Enforcement Department's Community Enhancement Program.
3. A waste tire clean-up grant which provides funding for the cost of cleanup, abatement, or other remedial actions related to the disposal of illegally dumped waste tires that are collected by staff from the desert.

4. A beverage container recycling grant which funds programs to assist organizations with establishing convenient beverage container recycling and litter abatement projects, and to encourage market development and expansion activities for beverage container materials. This grant is used by the Town to fund neighborhood clean-up and recycling events, to purchase recycling containers for Town facilities, and for educational programs about the importance of recycling.

CalRecycle will award grants on a competitive basis, and funds are available for jurisdictions to administer programs directly related to these grants.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Town of Apple Valley Code Enforcement Department has been awarded each of the available grants and currently is utilizing all four (4) grants; in particular, the Tire Amnesty Day Grant has been a staple program for approximately 20 years.

The Town of Apple Valley Code Enforcement Department wishes to continue to sponsor Tire Amnesty Day events, Neighborhood Clean-up events, offset the costs of the Community Enhancement Program and continue to rid the desert and dispose of illegally discarded waste tires. To date well over 100,000 tires have been collected and millions of pounds of trash that has been illegally dumped in the desert has been picked up and disposed of in the landfill. These grant opportunities are a valuable resource to the Town of Apple valley.

**ATTACHMENT:**

1. Resolution No. 2016-03

**RESOLUTION NO 2016-03**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF APPLICATION FOR  
PAYMENT PROGRAMS AND RELATED AUTHORIZATIONS**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Public Resources Code section 48000 et seq. the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) has established various payment programs to make payments to qualifying jurisdictions; and

**WHEREAS**, in furtherance of this authority CalRecycle is required to establish procedures governing the administration of the payment programs; and

**WHEREAS**, CalRecycle's procedures for administering payment programs require, among other things, an applicant's governing body to declare by resolution certain authorizations related to the administration of the payment program.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Town Council of the Town of Apple valley is authorized to submit an application to CalRecycle for any and all payment programs offered; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Town Manager, or his/her designee, is hereby authorized as Signature Authority to execute all documents necessary to implement and secure payment; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this authorization is effective until rescinded by the Signature Authority or this Governing Body.

**APPROVED** and **ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Apple Valley this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.

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Barb Stanton, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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La Vonda M-Pearson, Town Clerk