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Staff Report

City of Manhattan Beach

TO: Honorable Mayor Fahey and Members of the City Council

THROUGH: Geoff Dolan, City Manager

FROM: Neil Miller, Director of Public Works
Juan Price, Maintenance Superintendent
Lindy Coe-Juell, Senior Management Analyst (Acting)

DATE: November 15, 2005

SUBJECT: Consideration of Resolution Authorizing the Submittal of an Application to the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a FY 2005-2006 Recycled Tire Product Grant Program (\$75,000) for Playground Resurfacing

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt Resolution No. 6005 authorizing the submittal of an application to the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a FY 2005-2006 Recycled Tire Product Grant Program and, upon grant award, authorizing the City Manager to enter into agreement with the California Integrated Waste Management Board for the purposes of securing grant funds.

FISCAL IMPLICATION:

Based on the initial research conducted for the submittal of the grant application, Staff anticipates the City will receive up to \$75,000 for the purchase of rubberized surfacing material made from recycled tires to be used as City tot lots are refurbished. The grant funds will help to offset the material cost of refurbishing the playground surfaces of City tot lots.

BACKGROUND:

The California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) offers a Tire-Derived Product (TDP) Grant Program to promote markets for recycled-content products derived from waste tires generated in California. The grants are available to public entities that agree to use recycled-tire products for identified projects. The CIWMB promotes this program because the use of recycled-tire products results in reduced landfill disposal or stockpiling of waste tires.

DISCUSSION:

Staff has determined that rubberized surfacing material made from recycled tires could be used in refurbishing the playground surfaces of older City tot lots. This type of material qualifies for funding under the TDP Grant Program and would provide a long-lasting, low-maintenance, and soft-protective surface for our City tot lots. The Grant Funds would be available for use through March 31, 2008 and would help to offset the cost of refurbishing the City tot lots as Council directs

said projects to be implemented. Several tot lot refurbishing projects (including Marine Avenue Park Play, Manhattan Heights, and Polliwog Park East tot lots) are on the short-term list of Capital Improvement Projects that is slated for Council review on December 20, 2005. The purchase of the recycled tire material would also be consistent with our City policy to support the purchase of recycled and environmentally preferred products.

Attachment: Resolution Number 6005

RESOLUTION NO. 6005

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF AN APPLICATION TO THE CALIFORNIA INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR A FY 2005/2006 TIRE-DERIVED PRODUCT (TDP) GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 876 (Escutia, Statutes of 2000, Chapter 838) authorizes the California Integrated Waste Management Board to establish a grant program to provide opportunities to divert waste tires from landfill disposal, prevent illegal tire dumping, and to promote markets for recycled-content waste tire products; and

WHEREAS, the California Integrated Waste Management Board has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the program within the State, setting up necessary procedures governing application by California cities, counties, city and county, special districts or political subdivisions thereof, and qualifying California Indian tribes; and

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the California Integrated Waste Management Board require the applicant to certify by resolution approval of the application before submission of said application to the State; and

WHEREAS, if awarded a grant, the applicant will enter into an agreement with the State of California for development of the project.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are true and correct.

SECTION 2. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Manhattan Beach authorizes the submittal of an application to the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a FY 2005/2006 Tire-Derived Product (TDP) Grant Program. The City Manager of the City of Manhattan Beach or his or her designee, is hereby authorized and empowered to execute in the name of the City of Manhattan Beach, all necessary applications, contracts, agreements, amendments and payment requests hereto for the purposes of securing grant funds and to implement and carry out the purposes specified in the grant application.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution; enter it into the original records of the City.

SECTION 5. The City Clerk shall make this Resolution reasonably available for public inspection within thirty (30) days of the date this Resolution is adopted.

SECTION 6. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution and thenceforth and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of November, 2005.

Ayes:
Noes:
Absent:
Abstain:

Mayor, City of Manhattan Beach, California

ATTEST:

City Clerk