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November 22, 2011

Mr. Edward Camarena, Chairman
South Coast Air Quality Management District Hearing Board
21865 Copley Drive
Diamond Bar, CA 91765-4178

Dear Chairman Camarena:

**PETITION TO AMEND THE STIPULATED ORDER FOR ABATEMENT
SUNSHINE CANYON LANDFILL (CASE NO. 3448-13)**

The Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/Integrated Waste Management Task Force (Task Force) would like to offer this letter of support for the Petition to Amend the Stipulated Order for Abatement, dated October 26, 2011, regarding Case No. 3448-13, South Coast Air Quality Management District vs. Browning-Ferris Industries of California, Inc., and Republic Services, Inc., dba Sunshine Canyon Landfill.

At its meeting of November 17, 2011, the Task Force voted in support of the Petition and the proposed mitigation measures contained therein. The support was presented before your Hearing Board by Mr. Mike Mohajer, member of the Task Force, at the first public hearing on November 19, 2011.

The Task Force has closely monitored the combined City/County landfill's operational issues as well as the rise of odor complaints against the landfill since 2009. We believe these mitigation measures would further address odor issues at the landfill.

Pursuant to Chapter 3.67 of the Los Angeles County Code and the California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989 (AB 939, as amended), the Task Force is responsible for coordinating the development of all major solid waste planning documents prepared for the County of Los Angeles and the 88 cities in Los Angeles County with a combined population in excess of 10 million. Consistent with these responsibilities, and to ensure a coordinated, cost-effective, and environmentally sound solid waste management system in Los Angeles County, the Task Force also addresses issues impacting the system on a countywide basis. The Task Force membership includes representatives of

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the League of California Cities-Los Angeles County Division, the County of Los Angeles Board of Supervisors, the City of Los Angeles, the waste management industry, environmental groups, the public, and a number of other governmental agencies.

We appreciate your consideration of our support for the Petition. Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Mohajer at MikeMohajer@yahoo.com or (909) 592-1147.

Sincerely,



Margaret Clark, Vice-Chair
Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/
Integrated Waste management Task Force and
Council Member, City of Rosemead

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