

December 18, 2025

Mr. Paul Freund Tehama County Landfill Agency Manager 20000 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA 96080

RE: Diversion Plan 2026

Dear Mr. Paul Freund:

According to the agreement between the Tehama County/City of Red Bluff Landfill Management Agency and Waste Connections of California, Inc., and Madera Disposal Systems, Inc. (WCI), Section 4.G.14 states, WCI must develop and implement a Diversion Plan which focuses on efforts to maximize recyclable material processing, marketing, reuse and diversion of all recyclable materials we receive.

We had originally intended to extend our diversion plans beyond a single year, but we've found that creating annual plans allows us to pivot and adjust our approach each year rather than making changes only once a decade. This flexibility helps us stay relevant and responsive to the needs of our customers. Our proposed diversion plan for 2026 is attached, outlining the established practices we use to meet our annual diversion goal while building on some of the new programs we have introduced in the past two years.

We look forward to continuing to provide our services to the residents of Tehama County and being the City and County's partner for many years to come.

Respectfully Submitted,

Max Bartlett

Sustainability Coordinator

Waste Connections of CA Inc.