



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO



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Sample Recycling Article for Newsletters or Bulletin Boards

MIRAMAR LANDFILL'S LIFE EXPECTANCY

At San Diego's current rate of landfill disposal, the Miramar landfill will likely be filled to capacity and close in 2017, and the city would have to find alternatives for waste disposal (e.g. local privately owned landfills or long hauling waste to remote landfills). These alternatives will likely raise the cost of landfill disposal to everyone in San Diego. Unless we all work together to reduce and recycle our garbage, we could trash the unique beauty of San Diego and shorten the life of the Miramar Landfill.

For more information on recycling, visit the City of San Diego Environmental Services department at www.sdrecyclingworks.com.

For more information on consumer recycling and waste reduction tips go to the City of San Diego Environmental Services Department website at www.sandiego.gov/environmental-services/recycling/consumer.shtml

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