



Update for Curbside Recycling Collection Services in Electoral Areas B and D

In the Fall of 2013 the SCR D signed on to the Multi-Material BC program for curbside recycling collection services in Electoral Areas B (Halfmoon Bay) and D (Roberts Creek). At that time, the SCR D would implement and operate the program and receive a financial incentive from MMBC to fund the program. Service implementation was expected to begin between Summer and Fall of 2014.

In the winter of 2014, the SCR D issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) for curbside recycling collection services for Electoral Areas B and D. The results of the RFP indicated that the cost to implement the service would be higher than the MMBC financial incentive and a user-pay system would be required to fund the service. The Board cancelled the RFP, declined the MMBC financial incentive, and requested that MMBC provide the service, which would be 100% funded by MMBC. MMBC indicated an RFP for the service would be issued in the Fall of 2014. However, MMBC did not guarantee service implementation.

As of early January, 2015, MMBC has indicated there is no timeline for implementation due to lack of program funds. The SCR D is actively encouraging MMBC to provide a date for issuing the RFP.

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