

REGIONAL RECOVERY AND LANDFILL FACILITY

Solid Waste Operations
City of Rapid City
300 6th Street
Rapid City, South Dakota 57701

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Robert Ellis, Acting Director, Public Works

FROM:

Jerry Wright, Superintendent, Solid Waste Operations

DATE:

February 4, 2008

SUBJECT: Permission to advertise and request for proposals 2008

CC:

2008 Project file 08capitaloutlay-permtoadvertise second edition RALF bags concover.doc

Public Works 2008 file

Please find attached the documents to initiate permission to advertise for bids to purchase the paper RALF yard waste bags and also the alternative cover material for landfill operations under the 2008 Solid Waste Division Budget. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at your convenience.

Department 7102 Landfill Operations

Permission to advertise for the purchase of RALF paper yard waste bags at \$25,000 and for the purchase of alternative cover material at \$30,000. These items are in the 2008 Landfill Budget.

The RALF paper yard waste bags are purchased by the City landfill and sold to local retailers at our cost. This is a cost and revenue neutral item.

The alternative daily cover material is used in daily landfill operations to control litter and as a very economical substitute for using soil as daily cover. This product has been used for many years with significant savings and good results.