SIMI VALLEY LANDFILL AND RECYCLING CENTER CELEBRATES A DECADE OF SAFETY

March 10, 2011, Simi Valley, Calif. - On March 16th, The Simi Valley Landfill and Recycling Center (SVLRC) will celebrate its 10th year accomplishment of "no lost time" due to workplace injury or illness.

At Waste Management, safety is the number one priority for all employees and the customers we serve. For the past 10 years, not a single day of work has been missed by the employees due to a work place injury or illness. The Simi Valley LandfillÕs work force includes heavy equipment operators, mechanics, laborers, drivers, scale house attendants, engineers and management.

"We work long days, endure all inclement weather conditions to ensure the trash and recyclables are managed with the highest level of environmental standards for the communities we serve, said Scott Tignac, District Landfill Manager. "Safety is part of our DNA and I am very proud our team", said Tignac.

Aaron Ayala, a SVLRC employee said "IÕve worked here for 18 years and our safety accomplishments validate our belief that every job can be performed safely".

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