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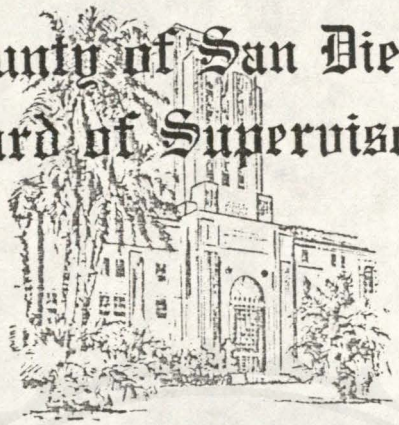

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SUPERVISOR
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April 27, 1992

Mr. Eugene and Mrs. Annabelle Keck
9614 Meadow Mesa Drive
Escondido, CA 92026

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Keck:

Thank you for your recent letter regard the County's policies on solid waste disposal. I appreciate your taking an interest in this issue and expressing your views to me.

I firmly support the position the Board has taken with regard to shipping our waste away from its area of origin. "Out of sight, out of mind" is no longer an option, nor an acceptable philosophy for this County when considering our solid waste disposal strategies. Communities and citizens must begin working together to solve this growing problem, rather than looking for ways to make the problem disappear. We must participate more vigorously in recycling programs, we must work to change packaging standards in manufacturing facilities, and we must open our minds to new disposal technologies as they are developed.

Again, I thank you for taking the time to write to me with your opinions on a very complex issue. If my staff or I may be of assistance to you in the future, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Leon L. Williams

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