



# Simi Valley Landfill and Recycling Center

## Community Benefits

*Why the Modernization and Expansion Project is good for the community.*

- Maintains more than 275 good-paying jobs in Ventura County
- Injects more than \$48 million annually into the Ventura County economy
- Contributes more than \$3.6 million to public agency budgets within Ventura County
- Improves recycling options and increases environmentally-friendly programs
- Increases production of enough green energy to power 6,250 local homes
- Establishes one of the first LEED facilities at a landfill in the county
- Reduces truck traffic on the Madera Corridor by moving local trucking operations to landfill
- Creates over 500 acres for open space and wildlife habitats
- Provides charitable contributions

## Thank You

Good afternoon!

I want to thank all of you who took the time to join us at our Community Meeting last week at the Grand Vista Hotel.

We had residents from Big Sky, county staff and city officials.

We had a great time telling folks about our project and getting to know the community better.

There were plenty of questions and comments by residents and businesspeople who joined us, as well as City officials from the surrounding area.

Folks had great questions for our experts at the information booths, highlighting what we're doing to make our project work for the community, including:

- Preserving 500 acres of open space
- Contributing more than \$3.6 million to public agency budgets within Ventura County
- Generates green power for more than 6,250 local homes

We want to invite all of you to come up and see our project for yourself. We're having an Open House, geared towards families with kids, at the Landfill on November 7th from 10 am to 2 pm.

To view invitation, please visit  
[http://www.keepingventuracountyclean.com/enews/1109/join\\_us.pdf](http://www.keepingventuracountyclean.com/enews/1109/join_us.pdf)

For further information related to our project, please visit  
<http://www.keepingventuracountyclean.com/expansion.html>

Thanks again and hope to you see you at the Open House.

Sincerely,

Mike Smith  
Director of Operations