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TPA Presentation to:

**Orange County
Sanitation District**

December 9, 2019

Legislative Proposals for 2020

2020 Legislative Concepts Considered



Concept 1

- Amend Public Contracting Code for Sanitation Districts to modify the bid advertising requirement.



Concept 2

- Amend Public Contracting Code for sanitation to utilize Job Order Contracting as a bid procurement procedure.



Concept 3

- Amend Public Contracting Code for Sanitation Districts to increase the threshold for contracting in 2020.

OCSD Staff Recommendation

- **Sponsor Legislation on Concept 2: Amend Public Contracting Code for sanitation to utilize Job Order Contracting (JOC) as a bid procurement procedure.**
- **Proposed Solution:** To allow sanitation districts whose service area includes a population of 1 million people, or more, the ability to utilize Job Order Contracting as a bid procurement procedure.
- **Rationale:**
 - The JOC process is a flexible, cost-effective unit price contracting method used to complete maintenance, repair, and refurbishment of County infrastructure and building facilities.
 - Instead of dealing with the time and expense of bidding each project separately, with JOC, the contract has already been competitively awarded for an indefinite number of projects, enabling contractors to respond quickly and construction to begin faster.
 - Provides for accelerated project delivery, reduces administrative costs, and lowers direct construction costs while meeting all local, State, and Federal procurement requirements.

Proposed Next Steps

- OCSD to develop draft bill language to provide to TPA
- TPA to work with OCSD Legislative Delegation to secure a bill author
- TPA to have initial conversations with Legislative Leadership and key Committee Staff in Sacramento to identify any potential hurdles with the proposed bill language
- TPA to work with OCSD to identify key stakeholders to support the initial bill language
- TPA work with identified author to introduce the legislative language by February 21, 2020



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