

ORDINANCE NO. 181272

An ordinance amending Sections 12.03 and 12.24 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code relating to Solid Waste Alternative Technology Processing Facilities.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 12.03 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is amended by adding the definition of "Solid Waste Alternative Technology Processing Facility" in proper alphabetical order to read:

**SOLID WASTE ALTERNATIVE TECHNOLOGY PROCESSING FACILITY.** A facility that has one or more technological systems which extracts, recovers or generates usable materials and/or energy from solid waste, as defined in Section 40191 of California Public Resources Code.

Sec. 2. Subdivision 28 of Subsection U of Section 12.24 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is added to read:

**28. Solid Waste Alternative Technology Processing Facilities** in the M2, M3, and PF zones. In addition to the other findings required by this section, the City Planning Commission shall make all of the following findings:

(a) that the proposed location of the facility will not result in an undue concentration of solid waste alternative technology processing facilities in the immediate area, will not create a cumulative impact with special consideration given to the location of solid waste facilities already permitted and will support the equitable distribution of these facilities citywide;

(b) that an effort was made to locate the facility in close proximity to existing solid waste facilities, transfer stations, solid waste resource collection vehicle yards, material recovery facilities and green waste processing facilities;

(c) that the facility will not detrimentally affect nearby residential uses and other sensitive land uses, taking into consideration the number and proximity of residential buildings, churches, schools, hospitals, public playgrounds, nursing homes, day care centers, and other similar uses within a 1,500 foot radius of the proposed site;

(d) that the facility operator will provide a language appropriate quarterly newsletter and other benefits to businesses

and residents likely to be impacted by this facility, taking into consideration the location of the proposed site and nearby uses;

(e) that the facility and the vehicles serving the facility are designed, constructed and operated to ensure that they will not create noise, odor, or visual blight that is detrimental to nearby uses;


(f) that access to the facility, on-site parking and vehicle storage will not constitute a traffic hazard or cause significant traffic congestion or disruption of vehicular circulation on adjacent streets; and

(g) that hazardous waste and household hazardous waste as defined in the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Section 66260.10, universal waste as defined in the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Section 66261.9, radioactive waste as defined in Section 114985 of the California Health and Safety Code and medical waste as defined in Section 117690 of the California Health and Safety Code, will not be received at the facility.

Sec. 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

I hereby certify that this ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles, at its meeting of AUG 04 2010.

JUNE LAGMAY, City Clerk

By   
Deputy

Approved AUG 13 2010

  
Mayor


Approved as to Form and Legality

CARMEN A. TRUTANICH, City Attorney

Pursuant to Charter Section 559, I approve this ordinance on behalf of the City Planning Commission and recommend that it be adopted . . . .

May 14, 2010

See attached report.

By   
BASIA JANKOWSKI  
Deputy City Attorney

  
S. Gail Goldberg  
Director of Planning

Date May 20, 2010

File No(s) CF 08-0594; CPC 2007-455-CA

## DECLARATION OF POSTING ORDINANCE

I, MARIA VIZCARRA, state as follows: I am, and was at all times hereinafter mentioned, a resident of the State of California, over the age of eighteen years, and a Deputy City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, California.

**Ordinance No. 181272 – Amending Sections 12.03 and 12.24 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code relating to Solid Waste Alternative Technology Processing Facilities-** a copy of which is hereto attached, was finally adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on **August 4, 2010**, and under the direction of said City Council and the City Clerk, pursuant to Section 251 of the Charter of the City of Los Angeles and Ordinance No. 172959, on **August 19, 2010** I posted a true copy of said ordinance at each of the three public places located in the City of Los Angeles, California, as follows:

- 1) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall;
- 2) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East;
- 3) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

Copies of said ordinance were posted conspicuously beginning on **August 19, 2010** and will be continuously posted for ten or more days.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed this **19th** day of **August 2010** at Los Angeles, California.

  
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Maria Vizcarra, Deputy City Clerk

**Ordinance Effective Date: September 28, 2010**

**Council File No. 08-0594**