



## **Conversion Technology Evaluation Report Phase II Assessment Released**

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### **Final conversion technology evaluation report released**

After years of exhaustive research and visits to conversion technology facilities around the world, the County of Los Angeles is pleased to announce the official release of the final evaluation report for Phase II of the Countys conversion technology program. In the next year, the County will select a project to be the first commercial-scale demonstration facility in California. Conversion technologies can revolutionize the way we think of waste. These technologies encompass a variety of processes that convert normal, residual household trash into renewable energy, biofuels, and useful products. In addition to a comprehensive review of the environmental and economic effects of conversion technologies in California, the report created a shortlist of four technology developers and four potential materials recovery facilities with which a technology would co-locate. The technology finalists are: ArrowBio (anaerobic digestion); International Environmental Solutions (pyrolysis); Interstate Waste Technologies (gasification); and Ntech Environmental (gasification). The site finalists are: Del Norte Regional Recycling and Transfer Station (Oxnard); Perris MRF/Transfer Station (Perris); Rainbow Disposal (Huntington Beach); and Robert A. Nelson Transfer Station and MRF(Rubidoux). Now that the report is complete, the County will encourage suppliers and host sites to form bid partnerships and submit official proposals. By mid-2008, the County will select the winning partnership and begin providing facilitative support to what would be one of the first commercial-scale facility in the United States.

To read the final report or the executive summary, please visit [www.SoCalConversion.org](http://www.SoCalConversion.org)