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## Mid Valley Disposal Partners with CP Group to Open 35 TPH System *Technologically Advanced Single Stream and Commercial Recycling System*



**FRESNO, CA (May 23, 2016)** – Mid Valley Disposal, a family owned recycling and hauling company, announces the grand re-opening of its Mid Valley Disposal Elm MRF in Fresno, California. Designed and manufactured by San Diego, California-based CP Group, the recycling system processes 35 tons an hour of residential and commercial material. The system start-up was April 26, 2017.

“We are pleased to have partnered with CP Group and reinvested in the San Joaquin Valley,” says Jonathan Kalpakoff, VP of Mid Valley Disposal. “Increased processing capacity and the recovery of more recyclables will help with our commitment to increase diversion for the communities we serve. We selected CP Group because of their commitment to quality and being a California family business like us.”

The original system was installed in 2001 and processed 20 tons an hour. Due to needs for increased capacity and better recovery, Mid Valley turned to CP Group, who supplied all the new processing equipment. The bunkers, silos, baling system and tip floor pit from the original system were reused in the existing building.

“This system includes some of our latest recovery technologies, including glass processing and optical sorting technology,” says Ashley Davis, Director of Sales and Marketing at CP Group. “We are honored to work with Mid Valley on this project and bring this





modern facility to Fresno. It is an integral part of the recycling capabilities offered to the county.”

The advanced material recovery facility features three MSS optical sorters. The CIRRUS® FiberMax™ is used to remove film and other contaminants out of the fiber stream, while the two CIRRUS® PlasticMax™ units separate HDPE, PET, and Mixed Plastics. The system also features proprietary CP disc screening technology, including CP's steel-disc OCCScreen™, Scalping Screens, and Glass Breaker Screens, along with 1 NewScreen™ and 2 CPScreens™. An air drum style glass cleaner is used to remove the lights from the glass. The system recovers cardboard, mixed paper, glass, PET, and both color and natural HDPE.

“Like myself, the Kalpakoff brothers are third generation in the waste industry. It is rewarding to work with another family-owned company and see recycling progress through the generations,” says Davis.

With its fleet of 165 trucks, Mid Valley serves 89,000 households in Fresno and the surrounding counties. The MRF processes recyclables for half of the City of Fresno, and also for 75,000 households from 3<sup>rd</sup> party haulers in the counties of Madera, Tulare, King, and San Luis Obispo.

#### About CP Group:

CP Group is a team of manufacturers and thought leaders in the waste and recycling industry. CP Group—comprised of CP Manufacturing, Krause Manufacturing, MSS, Inc., and Advanced MRF—provides award-winning recycling system design, manufacturing, retrofits, audits, and consulting. CP Group provides turn-key solutions for mixed waste, residential recycling, commercial and industrial, construction and demolition, and electronic waste applications.

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