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REPUBLIC SERVICES CONVERTS LANDFILL GAS TO ENERGY

ATLANTA, Georgia (May 30, 2009) – Republic Services, Inc., working with Renewable Solutions Group, is now providing enough fuel to heat about 10,500 homes through its new landfill gas-to-energy operation at its Oak Grove Landfill near Atlanta.

“When the Oak Grove gas-to-energy operation came in the winter of 2009, we successfully reached our goal of putting biogas to a beneficial use,” said Bill Held, director of landfill gas projects for Republic.

Biogas is naturally produced through waste decomposition at a landfill.

About Republic Services

Republic Services, Inc. has been building on success since its inception in 1998, becoming an industry-leading provider of waste and environmental services. The company provides trash collection services to commercial, industrial, municipal and residential customers in 40 states and Puerto Rico through its 400 collection companies. Republic Services owns or operates 242 transfer stations, 213 solid waste landfills and 78 recycling facilities. The company is headquartered in Phoenix, Arizona and has more than 35,000 employees. For more information, visit the Republic Services web site at www.republicservices.com.

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