



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO



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VIA EMAIL: commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov

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Subject: State Water Quality Control Board's Consideration of Approval of the Site Specific Water Quality Objectives for Chollas Creek

Dear Ms. Townsend:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Incorporation of Additional Data and Information into the Administrative Record for the State Water Quality Control Board's Consideration of Approval of the Site-Specific Water Quality Objectives for Chollas Creek. The new data and information supports the San Diego Basin Plan Total Maximum Daily Load amendments for Copper and Zinc in Chollas Creek that was adopted by the San Diego Water Board on February 8, 2017 (R9-2017-0015, "Basin Plan Amendment").

The City of San Diego strongly supports the adoption of the Basin Plan Amendment with the incorporation of this additional data and information because these site-specific objectives more accurately reflect local conditions, allowing the City and other permittees to focus efforts on improving water quality in the most effective manner. If you have any questions, please contact Ruth Kolb, Program Manager at 858-541-4328 or rkolb@sandiego.gov.

Sincerely,

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