

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 83-35

ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT OFFER FROM THE U. S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY AND APPROVAL OF AN INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, DIVISION OF OIL AND GAS, RELEVANT TO THE UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PROGRAM

WHEREAS:

1. The State Board has been designated by the Governor as the lead agency for the Underground Injection Control (UIC) program.
2. The State Board has been granted and has accepted UIC development grant funds from the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to evaluate effects of underground injections on ground water.
3. EPA is offering additional grant funds to continue UIC development work and to implement a UIC permit program.
4. The Department of Conservation, Division of Oil and Gas, (CDOG) has been designated by the Governor as the agency responsible for Class II injection wells used as a part of the oil and gas production process.
5. CDOG has made application to EPA and has been granted UIC primacy for Class II wells.
6. CDOG has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with the State Board for the purpose of reporting and coordinating its UIC activities.
7. The added cost to CDOG to administer the UIC program for Class II wells will not exceed \$193,801 for F. Y. 1982-83 and F. Y. 1983-84 combined.

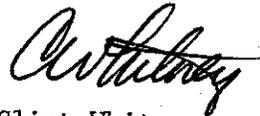
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the State Board authorizes the Executive Director to accept UIC development and permit funds for \$1,431,300 and any future UIC grant awards.
2. That acceptance of UIC grant funds does not obligate the State Board to assume primacy of a UIC program.
3. That monies not to exceed \$193,801 for F. Y. 1982-83 and F. Y. 1983-84 be allocated to fund CDOG for the administration of a UIC program for Class II wells provided that sufficient funding is forthcoming from EPA.

4. That the State Board authorizes the Executive Director to negotiate and execute contracts with CDOG for administration of a UIC program for Class II wells in an amount not to exceed \$193,801 for F. Y. 1982-83 and F. Y. 1983-84.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Executive Director of the State Water Resources Control Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on May 24, 1983.



Clint Whitney
Executive Director