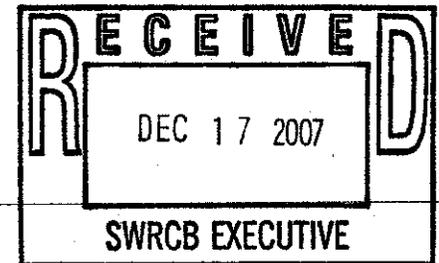


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Ms. Townsend,

Hope I am sending my comments to the proper e-mail address, if not please accept my apologies and advise as to where I should send comments.

Thank you,

Board Members,

I thank you for the opportunity to comment on this petition, the Proposed Order regarding the Petition of City of Arcata. comments are as followed;

1. The violation dates and description of violations were reported by the discharger, not an outside independent inspection agency. The data provided for review indicates violation in all cases from January 1, 2000 through June 21, 2004. Why the challenge to reduce the penalty by \$12,000.00
 2. These penalties shall not be contested. The Board should upheld the full penalty without further decision.
 3. The Board shall impose mandatory inspection, monitoring and sampling of the City of Arcata facility for the next three (3) years, at any time within the three years, additional violation(s) shall not be tolerated and penalty shall increase to maximum allowed.
 4. This should be a Public Health issue and a big concern for the City, County and the State. This should not be taken lightly.
 5. The Constituent limit were set by the Board to protect the public, NOT for dischargers to continue to violate the limit, and now after three years, present additional information to avoid portion of the penalty.
 6. The funds spent on trying to reducing the total penalty (\$297,000) by \$12,000.00 is lack of responsibility of the City and County officials spending tax payers money. By adding the City, County and the State manhours, funding and for holding hearing on this matter, it may have exceeds the reduction in penalty.
 7. The lack the proper management and control of this facility by the City and County, should not constitute paying for their mistake by the tax payers.
- Should you have any question on my comment(s), please contact me at rducbsa@yahoo.com

Regards,

Michael Tien

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