

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD  
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 77-95

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
FOR  
"KOA" KAMPGROUNDS OF AMERICA  
City of Needles - San Bernardino County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, finds that:

1. James and Lee Hutton (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), P.O. Box 277, Needles, CA 92363, submitted a Report of Waste Discharge dated September 13, 1977.
2. The discharger proposes to discharge an average of 12,100 gallons-per-day of domestic sewage from two phases of a recreational vehicle campground. Phase I has been designed to have 50 recreational vehicle spaces, 2 mobile home spaces, 2 restrooms and a swimming pool. Phase II has been planned for 106 recreational vehicles and 2 restrooms. The proposed discharge from each phase is to be disposed of as follows: an average of 4,150 gallons-per-day from Phase I is to be discharged into a septic tank/leach field system, situated in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 13, T9N, R22E, SBB&M; and an average of 7,950 gallons-per-day from Phase II is to be discharged through a septic tank into 2 leach fields, located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 13, T9N, R22E, SBB&M. The disposal area for Phase II is approximately 1250 feet from the Colorado River.
3. The discharger has reserved areas of sufficient size for 100% replacement of the disposal fields. These areas are designated on Attachments "A" and "B" incorporated herein and made a part of this Order.
4. The discharger proposes to discharge wastewater from a swimming pool periodically for irrigation of landscape plantings.
5. The proposed disposal areas are approximately 2 miles northwest of the nearest sewer line.

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6. The Water Quality Control Plan for the East Colorado River Basin was adopted by the Board on April 10, 1975. The Basin Plan contains water quality objectives for the Piute Hydrologic Unit.
7. The beneficial uses of the groundwaters of the Piute Hydrologic Unit are:
  - a. Municipal supply
  - b. Industrial supply
  - c. Agricultural supply
8. Kampgrounds of America, Inc., prepared and submitted to the City of Needles Environmental Impact Study, File No. 86 for this project. The City of Needles Environmental Review Board approved this report at its meeting on July 27, 1977. This report does not state that this project will have any significant adverse effects on the environment.
9. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to prescribe waste discharge requirements for the proposed discharge.
10. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the proposed discharge.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the discharger shall comply with the following:

A. Discharge Specifications

1. Neither the treatment nor the discharge of wastewater shall create a pollution or a nuisance as defined in the California Water Code.
2. No wastewater other than domestic sewage and swimming pool wastewater shall be discharged at this location.
3. Sewage effluent discharged subsurface shall be retained underground with no materials of sewage origin evident on the ground surface.
4. No part of the waste discharge facilities shall be maintained closer than five (5) feet vertically from the high ground water level elevation.

5. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that flood or surface drainage waters do not erode or otherwise render portions of the discharge facilities inoperable.
6. Septic tank cleanings shall be discharged only by a duly authorized service.
7. There shall be no discharge of any water softener brines, except to impervious containers from which there is no seepage or overflow, and said brines shall be periodically discharged at a disposal site approved by the Regional Board to receive these wastes.
8. There shall be no discharge of wastewater within 200 feet laterally from the regulated high-water line of the Colorado River or within 200 feet of any domestic water well.
9. There shall be no discharge of swimming pool wastewater via the sewage disposal system.
10. The sewage disposal system shall be designed to facilitate its connection to a community sewage collection system when one becomes available.
11. Swimming pool backwash wastewater shall be discharged subsurface.

#### B. Provisions

1. The areas reserved for 100% replacement of the subsurface disposal fields, as shown on Attachments "A" and "B" shall at all times be retained servient to this campground, for the purpose of providing additional subsurface sewage disposal capacity, until such time as this facility is connected to a municipal sewerage system.
2. Upon request from this Board's Executive Officer, the discharger shall furnish technical and/or monitoring reports on the treatment and discharge of waste.
3. Prior to any modifications in this facility which would result in material change in the quality or quantity of wastewater discharged, or any material change in location of discharge, the discharger shall report in writing to the Regional Board.
4. Prior to any proposed change in operation, or in control or ownership of the land upon which the discharge facilities are located, the discharger shall report in writing to the Regional Board.

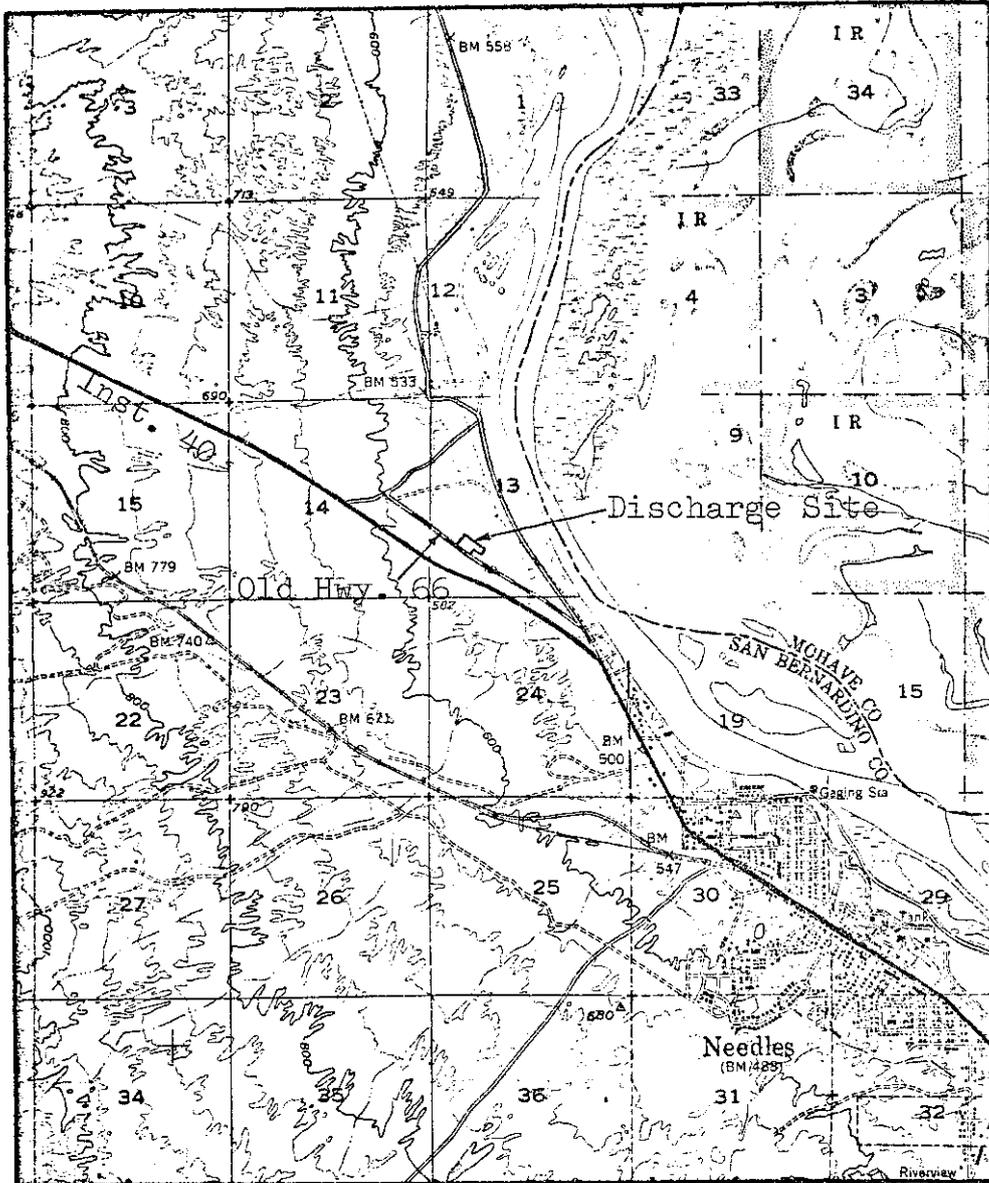
5. Prior to any future sale of this recreational vehicle campground, the discharger shall:

- a. Specify as a condition of sale that said sewage disposal areas must remain servient to the campground for the purpose of providing additional subsurface sewage disposal capacity, until such time as this facility is connected to a municipal sewerage system.
- b. Notify the succeeding owner, in writing, of the existence of this Order, and forward a copy of said correspondence to the Regional Board.

I, Arthur Swajian, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, on November 16, 1977.

  
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Executive Officer

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SITE MAP

"KOA" KAMPGROUNDS OF AMERICA

City of Needles - San Bernardino County

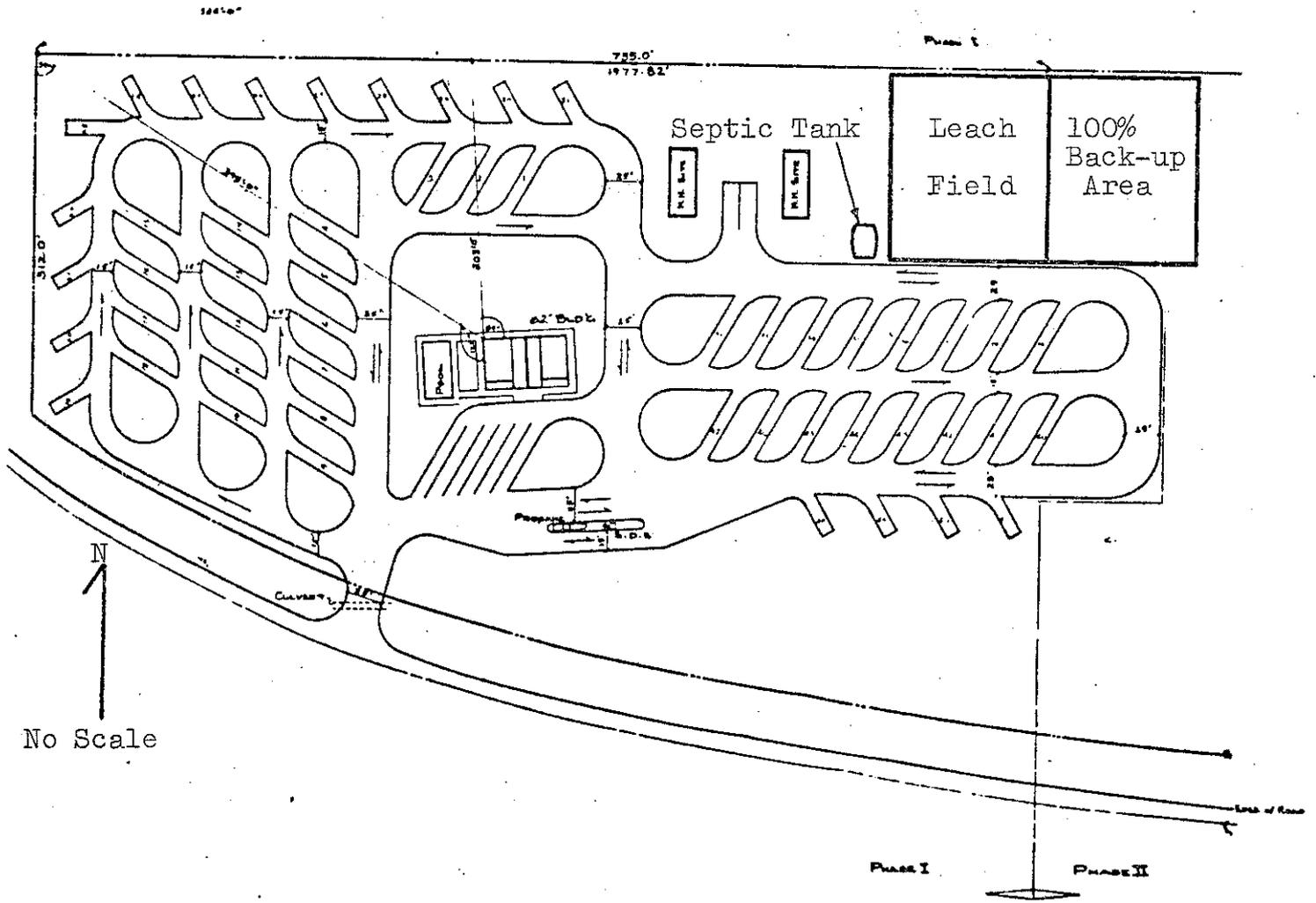
Location of Discharge: Phase I - NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 13,  
T9N, R22E, SBB&M.

Phase II - NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 13,  
T9N, R22E, SBB&M.

U.S.G.S. Needles 15 min. Topographic Map

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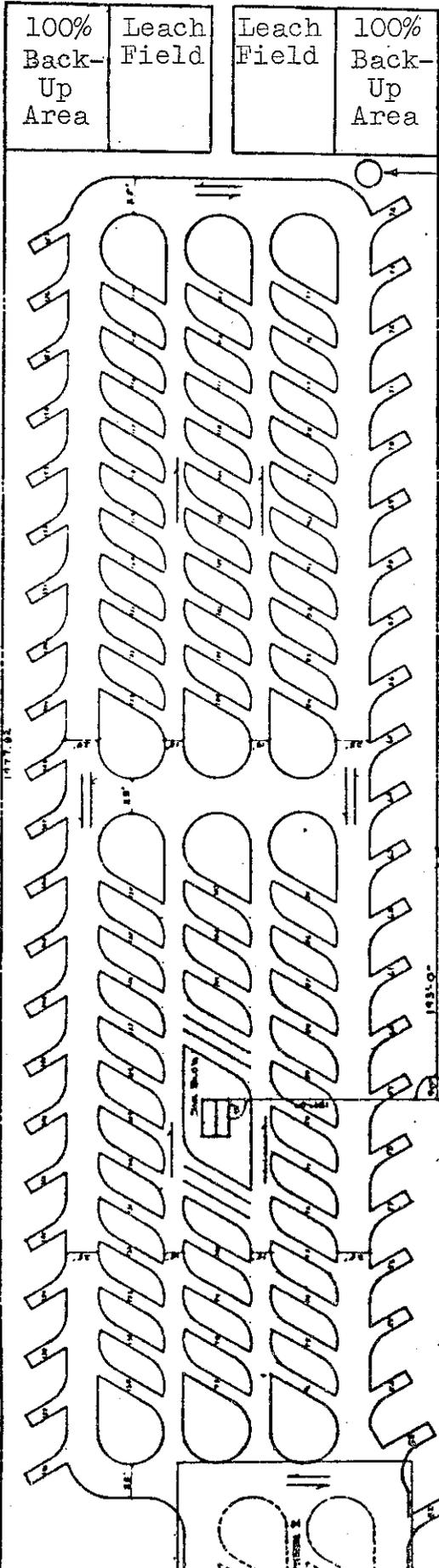
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ATTACHMENT A  
PHASE I  
"KOA" CAMPGROUNDS OF AMERICA  
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No Scale

Septic Tank

ATTACHMENT B  
PHASE II  
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