

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
LAHONTAN REGION**

**MEETING OF JUNE 19 - 20, 2013
Lee Vining, California**

ITEM: 8

SUBJECT: RESCISSION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO. 56 – WRIGHTWOOD, SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

CHRONOLOGY:

ADOPTED ON	ORDER NO.	AGENCY	FACILITY
4/22/1976	6-76-038	San Bernardino County Service Area No. 56	Community of Wrightwood

ISSUE: Should the Regional Board rescind Waste Discharge Requirements issued to the San Bernardino County Service Area 56, Community of Wrightwood because it no longer presents a threat to water quality?

DISCUSSION: This Order is no longer necessary and should be rescinded. Regional Board staff has solicited comments from the Discharger and interested parties. All comments received have been addressed.

RECOMMENDATION: Rescission of Orders as proposed.

ENCLOSURE	ITEM	BATE NUMBER
1.	San Bernardino County Service Area No. 56, Wrightwood - Board Order No. R6V-2013-Proposed	8-03

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**BOARD ORDER NO. R6V-2013-(PROPOSED)
WDID NO. 6B360115009**

**RESCISSION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR**

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO. 56 – WRIGHTWOOD

San Bernardino County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region (Water Board) finds:

1. Board Order No. 6-76-38 was adopted on April 22, 1976, establishing requirements for the discharge of waste from individual subsurface disposal systems in the Wrightwood Community. Waste Discharge Requirements are no longer necessary for the reasons described below and should be rescinded.
2. The unincorporated Community of Wrightwood is located on the northeast slope of the San Gabriel Mountains within the Angeles National Forest. Domestic waste throughout the community is disposed to individual onsite wastewater disposal units. After reviewing the case file, the Water Board has determined that Waste Discharge Requirements are not appropriate to be issued to San Bernardino County Special Districts Department because it has no wastewater treatment facility and produces no waste. Domestic wastewater produced by individual onsite treatment systems (i.e. septic systems) are individual private and public entities not owned or controlled by the Special Districts Department. It is appropriate to rescind Board Order No. 6-76-38 because San Bernardino County Special Districts Department is not a Discharger.
3. This action is being taken by this regulatory agency to rescind the Board Order No. 6-76-38. Orders issued pursuant to the California Water Code and as such is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.), in accordance with Title 14, California Code of Regulations, Section 15321(a)(2).
4. The Water Board has notified the Discharger and interested persons and agencies of its intent to rescind the above Waste Discharge Requirements.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Board Order No. 6-76-38, be rescinded.

I, Patty Z. Kouyoumdijan, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region on June 19, 2013.

PATTY Z. KOUYOUMDIJAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER