

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

RESOLUTION 92-145

SEDIMENT SCREENING CRITERIA AND TESTING REQUIREMENTS FOR
WETLAND CREATION AND UPLAND BENEFICIAL REUSE

Whereas, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (Regional Board) adopted and the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) approved an amendment revising the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay Region (Basin Plan) in 1989 regarding disposal of dredged sediment; and

Whereas, the Regional Board in that Basin Plan amendment encourages land and ocean disposal alternatives whenever practical; and

Whereas, the Regional Board is an active participant in the development of the Long-Term Management Strategy (LTMS) for dredge sediment disposal in the San Francisco Bay Area; and

Whereas, the Regional Board developed the document entitled "Sediment Screening Criteria and Testing Requirements for Wetland Creation and Upland Beneficial Reuse" to assist the LTMS and individual project proponents to evaluate the feasibility of various beneficial reuse options; and

Whereas, the Regional Board circulated a notice of availability of the document for public review on September 18, 1992; and

Whereas, the Regional Board held a public hearing on October 21, 1992 and November 18, 1992 and considered all evidence concerning this matter; and

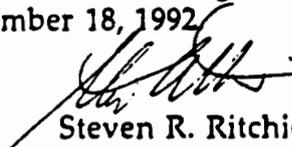
Whereas, the Regional Board has determined that there are no State mandated local costs under Section 2231 of the of the Revenue and Taxation Code as a result of this resolution because such regulation is not an executive regulation by virtue of Section 2209 of the Revenue and Taxation Code; now

Therefore, be it resolved that:

1. The Regional Board adopts the guidelines set forth in the attached document titled "Sediment Screening Criteria and Testing Requirements for Wetlands Creation and Upland Beneficial Reuse".

2. The State Board is requested to approve the proposed guidelines in accordance with Section 13245.5.

I, Steven R. Ritchie, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, on November 18, 1992.



Steven R. Ritchie
Executive Officer