California Regional Water Quality Control Board
Santa Ana Region

Minutes of April 21, 2006
Loma Linda City Council Chambers
25541 Barton Rd.
Loma Linda

1. Chair Beswick called the meeting to order at 9:10 A.M.

| **Board Members Present** | **Board Members Absent** |
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| Carole Beswick, Chair | John Withers, Vice-Chair |
| William Ruh | |
| Seymour Van Gundy | |
| Mary Cramer | |
| Deborah Neev | |

**Staff Members Present**

Gerard J. Thibeault, Executive Officer
Jorge Leon, Regional Board Counsel
Kurt V. Berchtold, Assistant Executive Officer
Joanne Schneider, Environmental Program Manager
Robert Holub, Supervising Engineer
Michael Adackapara, Supervising Water Resource Control Engineer
Mark Smythe, Chief of Storm Water (Coastal Waters)
Hope Smythe, Chief of Basin Planning (Inland Waters)
Jun Martirez, Chief of Permitting
Wanda Cross, Chief of Basin Planning (Coastal Waters)
Ann Sturdivant, Senior Engineering Geologist
Susan Beeson, Sanitary Engineering Associate
Jessie Powell, Water Resource Control Engineer
Heather Boyd, Environmental Scientist
Kamron Saremi, Water Resource Control Engineer
Michael Perez, Water Resource Control Engineer
David Woelfel, Environmental Scientist
John Broderick, Engineering Geologist
Patricia Hannon, Engineering Geologist
Kevin Heinemann, Staff Information Systems Analyst
Felipa Carrillo, Executive Assistant

**State Board Representative**

None present.

**Public Attendance**

Max Copenhagen, San Bernardino National Forest
Bill Jahn, Mayor, City of Big Bear Lake
Betsy Martyn, Big Bear Mountain Resorts
Tim Moore, Big Bear Lake Task Force

Brent Tregaskis, Big Bear Mountain Resorts
Matt Yeager, San Bernardino Co. Flood
Davin Diaz, CCAEJ
Pete Duchesneau, Goodrich Corp.
George Linkletter, Environ International Corp.
James Meeder, Allen Matkins
Erik S. Mroz, Attorney, Pyro Spectaculars, Inc.
Mat Larsen, Attorney, Best, Best & Krieger
Sujatha Jahagirdar, Environment California
Greg Woodside, Orange Co. Water District
Frank Stallworth, Senator Nell Soto's Office
Joel Rosenfield, Coca Cola NA, Ontario
Adiano Servellón, Coca Cola NA, Ontario
Rene Peauroi, Scott Bros. Dairy
Laura Larsen, RBF/Caltrans
Robert Taylor, San Bernardino National Forest
Marc P. Smits, Dept. of the Navy
David J. Martinez, City of Big Bear Lake
David McAlister, Tetra Tech
Jan Misquez, CCAEJ
Ryan Hiete, Musick, Peeler & Garrett LLP
Dan Ilkay, San Bernardino County Public Works
Adelaida Alcaráz
Ana Centeno
Oscar Cisneros
Merced Contreras
Marene Deischer
Beatris Garcia
Mirna Hernandez
Rev. Edmund Gómez
Sheila Lopez
Blanca Loria
Jose Luis Velasco
Patricio L. Morales
Susana Negrete
Janet Ortiz
Juan Perez
Esther Portillo
Maria Rodriguez

## 2. Public Forum

There were no speakers.

## 3. Approval of Minutes

Action: It was moved by Member Ruh, seconded by Member Van Gundy and unanimously approved that the Minutes of March 3, 2006 be approved as presented.

## 4. Consideration of Consent Calendar Items

It was noted that Items No. 10 and 11 had errata and No. 12 was postponed.

*5. **Appeal of Staff's Denial of an Exemption from the Minimum Lot Size Requirement – Randy and Debra Freeman, 40025 Newport Road, Hemet, Riverside County – APN 469-091-001**

*6. **Appeal of Staff's Denial of an Exemption from the Minimum Lot Size Requirement - Pablo Martin, 8740 Golondrina Street, Riverside, Riverside County – APN 169-310-037-4**

*7. **Appeal of Staff's Denial of an Exemption from the Minimum Lot Size Requirement - Nichalaus and Rhonda Gloudeman, 1363 Ward Way, Mentone, San Bernardino County – APN 0298-331-03**

*8. **Appeal of Staff's Denial of an Exemption from the Minimum Lot Size Requirement -Hillside Community Church, 5354 Haven Avenue, Alta Loma, San Bernardino County – APN 1074-271-01**

*9. **Waste Discharge Requirements for Pinnacle Communities' "Moreno Valley II" –Order No. R8-2006-0033**

*10. **Waste Discharge Requirements for the United States Department of the Navy, Former Marine Corps Air Station Groundwater Treatment Facilities, Tustin, Orange County, Order No. R8-2006-0017**

This item had errata.

*11. **Renewal of Waste Discharge Requirements, City of Riverside Regional Water Quality Control Plant, Riverside County, NPDES No. CA0105350 – Order No. R8-2006-0009**

This item had errata.

*12. **Renewal of Waste Discharge Requirements, Inland Empire Utilities Agency Regional Plant No. 1 and Plant No. 4 – San Bernardino County, NPDES No. CA0105279, Order No. R8-2006-0010**

This item was postponed.

*13. **Resolution Regarding Funding from the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) Emergency, Abandoned and Recalcitrant Site Account Resolution No. R8-2006-0036**

Action: It was moved by Member Ruh, and unanimously approved that the Board adopt Orders No. R8-2006-0033, R8-2006-0017, R8-2006-0009 and R8-2006-0036 with errata, and approve the exemptions from minimum lot size requirements requested by Randy and Debra Freeman, Pablo Martin, Nichalaus and Rhonda Gloudeman and Hillside Community Church.

14. **Amended Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R8-2005-0053 Issued to Kwikset Locks, Inc., Emhart Industries, Inc., Kwikset Corporation, Black & Decker Inc., and Black & Decker (U.S.), Inc.** – Consideration of a procedure submitted by the named dischargers.

This item was removed from the agenda because the named dischargers did not submit a proposal.

15. **Big Bear Lake Nutrient Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs), Public Hearing, Resolution No. R8-2006-0023** – Information on this item is contained in a verbatim transcript.

Heather Boyd, Environmental Scientist, presented this item. Staff recommended amending Chapter 5 of the Basin Plan to incorporate a Nutrient TMDL for Dry Hydrological Conditions for Big Bear Lake shown in the Attachment to the Resolution and as amended by Errata Sheet No. 1 and as further amended by the deletion of Task 1.2 and its footnote.

Speakers on the item:

Tim Moore, Big Bear Lake Task Force
Matt Yeager, San Bernardino Co. Flood
Max Copenhagen, San Bernardino National Forest
Brent Tregaskis, Big Bear Mountain Resorts

Action: It was moved by Member Neev, seconded by Member Ruh and unanimously approved that the Board adopt Resolution No. R9-2006-0023 with the errata as proposed.

16. **Administrative Civil Liability Complaint, SunCal Companies, Tract 31462, Beaumont, Riverside County, Order No. R8-2006-0018**

This item was settled and waived; therefore, no hearing was necessary.

17. **Triennial Basin Plan Review**

Dave Woelfel, Environmental Scientist, presented this item. He provided an overview of the Triennial Basin Plan process. A proposed draft priority list of issues to consider for this triennial review has been developed. The list will be posted on our website and one or two stakeholder meetings will be scheduled to invite public comments. A revised priority list will be presented at a subsequent public hearing for consideration of Board approval. This revised priority list will reflect input from stakeholders and available resources. Work on approved priority list items may lead to basin plan amendments.

18 **Status Report on Rialto-Colton-Fontana Perchlorate Investigation**

Robert Holub, Supervising Engineer, presented this item. He stated that Goodrich, Emhart and Pyro Spectaculars had been conducting fieldwork since the last Board meeting. Data was still coming in, so Board staff was not yet in a position to make any conclusive determinations on the findings. However, at the 160-acre site, Emhart's soil and soil gas work has shown that TCE was not detected in any of the shallow soil and soil gas samples that were taken, and perchlorate was not detected in most of the locations that were sampled. Pyro Spectaculars was in the process of installing the first of three wells that they will be installing at the site. Goodrich has drilled four of their five proposed off-site, downgradient borings where multiport wells will be installed to depths of about 750 feet. Mr. Holub stated that the cooperation and interaction by Goodrich, Emhart and Pyro Spectaculars and their consultants and drilling contractors in performing the fieldwork have been outstanding. Also, Emhart has been receptive to Board staff suggestions for additional

sampling locations, and has been performing more fieldwork than what was proposed in their work plan.

Speakers on this item:

James Meeder, Allen Matkins
George Linkletter, Environ International Corp.
Pete Duchesneau, Goodrich Corp.
Mat Larsen, Attorney, Best, Best & Krieger
Sujatha Jahagirdar, Environment California
Davin Diaz, CCAEJ

**19. Executive Officer's Report**

There was no report.

**20. Regional Board Member Communications**

There were none.

**21. Closed Session**

The Board adjourned to closed session at 12:10 pm to discuss Venus Laboratories, Inc. v. California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, and returned to open session at 12:20 pm.

22. **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned to the regular meeting of May 19, 2006 at 9:00 a.m., at the Loma Linda City Council Chambers, 25541 Barton Road, Loma Linda.

Respectfully submitted:

**GERARD J. THIBEAULT**
Executive Officer

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