AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009
SECTION 1511 CERTIFICATION

Association of Bay Area Governments
Bay Area-Wide Trash Capture Demonstration Project
Project No.: C-06-6441-110
Agreement No.:

The authorized representative of the State Water Resources Control Board hereby certifies, and/or affirms that the Bay Area-Wide Trash Capture Demonstration Project (Project) has received the full review and vetting required by law and that such representative accepts responsibility that the Project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. Subject to the provisions of the Financing Agreement, the following general description is provided in order to comply with Section 1511 of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA):

Project description: The Project will help Phase I municipalities work toward compliance with the San Francisco Bay Water Board Municipal Regional Stormwater Permit (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Phase I Permit), scheduled for adoption in October 2009 by installing trash capture devices for use and evaluation by Bay Area municipalities such as American Canyon, Brentwood, Calistoga, Napa, Clayton, Dublin, El Cerrito, Martinez, Moraga, Oakland, Oakley, Palo Alto, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill, Richmond, Saint Helena, San Jose, San Pablo, Walnut Creek, and Yountville. These trash capture devices may include catch basin inserts; catch basin screens/trash excluders, end-of-pipe screening devices, and in-line screening devices. Municipal staff will be trained, the public will be educated, and monitoring will occur.

- Estimated total cost of the Project: five million dollars and no cents ($5,000,000).

- Type of assistance: full principal forgiveness.

- Estimated amount of ARRA funds to be used: five million dollars and no cents ($5,000,000).

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

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Date: 9/3/09