AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009
SECTION 1511 CERTIFICATION

Town of Hillsborough
Mobile Filtration System Project
Project No.: C-06-6320-110

The authorized representative of the State Water Resources Control Board hereby certifies, and/or affirms that the Mobile Filtration System 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 proposed Project includes the purchase and use of a NO-DES U.S. manufactured, towable water filtration system that filters flushed water and pumps it back into the water delivery system, reducing the risk of storm drain and creek overflows.

The NO-DES Mobile Filtration System will prevent the flushed, dirty water from running off into storm drains and creeks, a potential Nonpoint Source (NPS) issue. The filtration system will hook up to the water delivery system during water flushing. The water will be "looped" through the NO-DES system where it is filtered, parameters (total chlorine, pH, temperature, turbidity, and nitrites) checked, and returned to the pipe system.

Any NPS risks will be eliminated through this process, and water loss will be limited, so flushing operations remain unaffected by drought cycles. Hillsborough will save approximately 10 million gallons per year during normal water flushing maintenance activities.

- Estimated total cost of the Project: The estimated reasonable cost of the total Project is three hundred thousand dollars and no cents ($300,000).

- Type of assistance: full principal forgiveness.

- Estimated amount of ARRA funds to be used: three hundred thousand dollars and no cents ($300,000).

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

By: _____

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Date: 9/8/09