City of Banning Public Works Department

September 8, 2011

Ms. Jeanine Townsend Clerk to the Board State Water Resources Control Board P.O. Box 100 Sacramento, CA 95812-2000



Subject: 2011 Draft Phase II Small MS4 General Permit

Dear Ms. Townsend:

The City of Banning (City) appreciates the opportunity to review the 2011 Draft Phase II Small MS4 General Permit. The City is identified in the permit's **Revised Attachement B: New Traditional Small MS4 Permittees**. Currently, the City is a permittee in the Whitewater River Region Phase I MS4 permit area and works closely with the Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District to meet the permit's requirements. The City of Banning respectfully request that it be removed from the **New Traditional Small MS4 Permittee** list.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (951) 922-3130.

Sincerely,

Duane Burk Director of Public Works