

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 87- 73

ADOPTION OF THE POLICY REGARDING THE REGULATION OF UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS

WHEREAS:

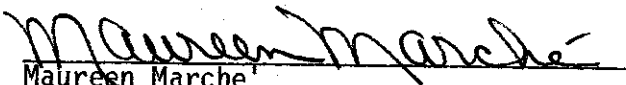
1. The State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) and Regional Water Quality Control Boards (Regional Boards) rely on a legislatively established surcharge on underground storage tank permit fees to fund staff implementation of the underground storage tank law and regulations.
2. Delay in or failure to collect and transmit the State surcharge by the local implementing agencies impedes State and Regional Board implementation of the underground storage tank law.
3. The roles of the State Board, Regional Boards, and local implementing agencies in ensuring proper and timely cleanup of the effects of leaking underground storage tanks need to be defined.
4. Statewide guidance and technical assistance are needed to ensure consistent evaluation and appropriate cleanup at leaking underground storage tank sites, regardless of which agency is overseeing the cleanup effort.
5. Local supervision of soil and ground water cleanup by responsible parties at leaking underground storage tank sites is desirable.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the State Board adopts the policy regarding the regulation of underground storage tanks.
2. That the State Board directs the Executive Director or his designee to take actions needed to implement the policy.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant to the Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on July 16, 1987.


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Administrative Assistant to the Board