

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 2002 - 0135

APPROVAL OF A CLEAN BEACHES INITIATIVE GRANT FOR
THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA (COUNTY) FOR
THE URBAN RUNOFF MITIGATION PROJECT AT ARROYO BURRO BEACH (BEACH)
FROM THE COASTAL NONPOINT SOURCE CONTROL (CNPSC) SUBACCOUNT
ESTABLISHED IN THE COSTA-MACHADO WATER ACT OF 2000 (ACT)

WHEREAS:

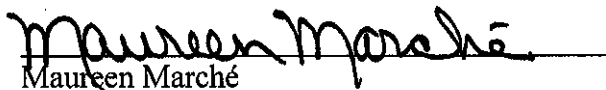
1. The Act was approved by the voters in the March 7, 2000, primary election;
2. The Act created the CNPSC Subaccount at Water Code § 79148.4;
3. The Budget Act of 2001 appropriated a total of \$32,298,000 from the CNPSC Subaccount (Item 3940-101-6022) for clean beach projects in accordance with a specific schedule. The County was identified as Item (r): County of Santa Barbara or City of Santa Barbara or California Department of Parks and Recreation: Arroyo Burro et al. (2,000,000);
4. The County has submitted the necessary documentation to satisfy the criteria of the Act for the Arroyo Burro Beach Urban Runoff Mitigation Project and agreed to provide matching funds in accordance with § 79148.8(f) of the Act;
5. The County filed a Notice of Exemption, finding Urban Runoff Mitigation Project categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act under Section 15301. The Notice of Exemption was filed and posted with the Santa Barbara County Clerk on May 13, 2002; and
6. The Beach Water Quality Task Force, in cooperation with the California Coastal Commission, reviewed the project on May 14, 2002, and June 18, 2002, and determined that it is consistent with the requirements of the Act.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Resources Control Board approves a grant to the County of Santa Barbara not to exceed \$227,000 from the Costa-Machado Coastal Nonpoint Source Control Subaccount for the implementation of the Arroyo Burro Urban Runoff Mitigation Project.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Clerk to the Board, does hereby certify that the forgoing 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 18, 2002.


Maureen Marché
Clerk to the Board