CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

RESOLUTION R5-2017-0016

APPROVING THE LOCAL AGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM FOR MODOC COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, on 19 June 2012, the State Water Resources Control Board (hereafter State Board) adopted Resolution No. 2012-0032, which in part approves the *Water Quality Control Policy for Siting, Design, Operation, and Maintenance of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems* (hereafter the OWTS Policy); and

WHEREAS, the OWTS Policy allows Local Agencies to propose Local Agency Management Programs (hereafter LAMPs) for California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (hereafter Central Valley Water Board) approval, as conditional waivers of Waste Discharge Requirements; and

WHEREAS, the OWTS Policy requires Central Valley Water Board staff (hereafter staff) to solicit comments from the State Water Resources Control Board Division of Drinking Water (hereafter DDW) regarding a LAMP's proposed setbacks and notifications to water purveyors; and

WHEREAS, for counties that span multiple jurisdictions OWTS Policy designates one Regional Water Quality Control Board to regulate, but requires its staff to solicit comments from non-jurisdictional Regions; and

WHEREAS, on 25 April 2016 the Modoc County Environmental Health Department (MCEHD) submitted an informal draft LAMP, along with a preliminary completeness checklist (hereafter checklist) per staff's request; and

WHEREAS, on 3 May 2016 staff provided informal comments on the informal draft LAMP and checklist; on 12 May 2016 MCEHD submitted a formal draft LAMP that addressed staff's comments; on 17 May 2016 Central Valley Water Board staff sought DDW's comments on the formal draft; and on 2 June 2015 DDW staff concurred with proposed setbacks and notifications; and

WHEREAS, on 2 June 2016 staff solicited comments on the formal draft from the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (hereafter Region 1), and the Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board (hereafter Region 6); Region 1 declined to comment and staff addressed informal comments from Region 6; and;

WHEREAS, on 13 December 2016, the Central Valley Water Board notified MCEHD and interested parties of its intent to approve the LAMP, and provided them with an opportunity for public hearing, and an opportunity to submit comments and recommendations, both on the LAMP and checklist; and

WHEREAS, on 24 February 2017, the Central Valley Water Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments pertaining to this action:

Therefore, be it RESOLVED, that the Central Valley Water Board hereby approves the Local Agency Management Program submitted by the Modoc County Environmental Health Department. I, PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Central Valley Water Board, on 24 February 2017.

Original signed by
PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer