CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

RESOLUTION NO. R5-2008-0083

RESCINDING
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER NO. R5-2003-0061
(NPDES NO. CA0082848) AND
CEASE AND DESIST ORDER NO. R5-2003-0062
FOR
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY SERVICE AREA 31
FLAG CITY WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (hereafter Regional Water Board) finds:

- 1. The San Joaquin County Service Area 31 (hereafter Discharger) discharged tertiary treated municipal wastewater from the Flag City area to Highline Canal, a water of the United States, within the legal boundaries of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, at the point latitude 36° 6' 25" N and longitude 121° 24' 36" W. Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R5-2003-0061 (NPDES No. CA0082848), adopted by the Regional Water Board on 25 April 2003, prescribed requirements for the discharge. Order No. R5-2003-0061 included effluent limitations for several constituents, with which the Discharger could not immediately comply.
- 2. Cease and Desist Order No. R5-2003-0062, adopted by the Regional Water Board on 25 April 2003, provided a time schedule for the Discharger to comply with the effluent limitations that the Discharger could not immediately comply.
- 3. The Discharger recently completed the construction of a pump station and dual forcemain project that allows for discharge of the Flag City wastewater to the City of Lodi White Slough Water Pollution Control Facility (WPCF). As of 10 April 2008, all wastewater flows from the Flag City area are being directed to the Lodi WPCF, and the discharge to Highline Canal has ceased. Therefore, the Orders are no longer necessary, and the Discharger requested the rescission of the Orders by letter dated 29 April 2008.
- 4. The Discharger and interested parties were notified of the intent to consider rescission of Order Nos. R5-2003-0061 and R5-2003-0062 and provided an opportunity for public hearing and an opportunity to submit written views and recommendations.
- 5. The Issuance of this Order is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code, Section 21000 et seq.), in accordance with Title 14, California Code of Regulations, Section 15321.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R5-2003-0061 and Cease and Desist Order No. R5-2002-0062 are rescinded.

I, PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, on **12 June 2008**.

PAMELA C. CREEDON	, Executive Officer
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