



CITY OF STOCKTON

DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL UTILITIES

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WDR Order No. R5-2014-0071-02

Permit Number: CA0079138

Via eMail to:

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California Regional Water Quality Control Board
Central Valley Region
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TENTATIVE ORDER AMENDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER NO. R5-2014-0070-02 (NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0079138) FOR CITY OF STOCKTON REGIONAL WASTEWATER CONTROL FACILITY, SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

The City of Stockton (City) has reviewed the above reference tentative order and supports the adoption of changes to the City's NPDES permit Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Regional Wastewater Control Facility (RWCF) to remove the requirement to report flow data from the existing USGS flow gage located approximately 500 feet south of the RWCF outfall. However, the City requests the following modifications to the tentative order.

Page 3, item 1c. The name of Table E-1 should be changed to "Monitoring Station Locations," to be consistent with the existing NPDES permit.

Page 4, item 1e. The City requests revising the new, underlined text within the Visual Observations section regarding flow direction as shown in underlined, bold, italics format below:

In conducting the weekly receiving water sampling the Discharger shall report the direction of receiving water flow, ***based on visual observation***, at the time of sampling, and a log shall be kept of the receiving water conditions throughout the reach bounded by RSW-002, RSW-002A, and RSW-003. A description, including at the minimum, the presence or absence of the following shall be recorded and summarized in the monthly self-monitoring reports.

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Please do not hesitate to contact me at (209) 937-7425 if you have any questions regarding this submittal.

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